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## Media Advisory

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### **José Ramon Rodriguez, CPA, Re-Appointed to State Board of CPA Examiners**

On February 20, 2012, Governor Bev Perdue re-appointed José Ramon Rodriguez, CPA, as a member of the State Board of Certified Public Accountant (CPA) Examiners. Mr. Rodriguez, whose term will expire June 30, 2014, was initially appointed to the Board in 2008. He is currently serving as President of the Board and previously served as Vice President and as Chair of the Professional Standards Committee.

A graduate of the University of Miami, Mr. Rodriguez was licensed as a North Carolina CPA in 2005. He is also licensed as a CPA by the State of New York and by the State of Florida.

Mr. Rodriguez, a partner with KPMG LLP, is based out of the firm's Greensboro office. At KPMG LLP Mr. Rodriguez is the Regional Professional Practice Partner-East and is one of KPMG LLP's designated SEC and Foreign Filing reviewing partners.

Mr. Rodriguez has 30 years of experience as an audit professional and has worked extensively with public and private manufacturing and distribution concerns, retailers, transportation entities, and technology companies nationally and internationally. He has been involved in numerous initial and secondary public offerings and has assisted emerging companies in obtaining capital through private placements.

Mr. Rodriguez is a member of the American Institute of CPAs (AICPA), the North Carolina Association of CPAs (NCACPA), and the Florida Institute of CPAs (FICPA). In the past, Mr. Rodriguez served as a member and chairman of the Florida Board of Accountancy, the agency that regulates the practice of public accountancy in Florida.

Mr. Rodriguez is active as a trustee or a member of the board of directors for a number of organizations including the Wake Forest University Schools of Business Board of Advisors; the Jackson (Florida) Memorial Hospital Foundation; the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital Annual Hispanic Fund Raising Drive; St. Thomas University; and the Miami-Dade County Efficiency and Competition Commission.

A native of Havana, Cuba, Mr. Rodriguez lives in Winston-Salem with his wife and children.

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