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Newline Group Appointments and Promotions

London – March 24, 2014 – Newline Group, a unit of Odyssey Re Holdings Corp., announced today that Stephen Gordon has accepted the role of Chief Underwriting Officer.

In addition, Neil Beaton has been promoted to Head of Financial Lines, in charge of Financial Institutions, Commercial D&O and Commercial PI, and Nicola Mills has been promoted to Senior FI Underwriter.

Carl Overy, Chief Executive Officer for Newline Group, commented "We are delighted to welcome Stephen back to Newline, Stephen's knowledge of our business will enable a smooth transition into the role. We are also pleased to announce the promotions of Neil and Nicola, enabling Newline Group to provide a coordinated and seamless approach to the products, underwriting and marketing of our Financial Lines portfolio."

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Newline Group is a market leading specialty insurer headquartered in London, operating through two underwriting platforms: Newline Syndicate 1218 at Lloyd's, and Newline Insurance Company Limited. Newline Group writes business in more than 80 countries around the world from four underwriting centres in London, Manchester, Singapore and Melbourne.