

Morningstar Equity Research to Join CAPIS' Independent Research Network

DALLAS, March 24, 2009—Capital Institutional Services, Inc. (CAPIS) one of the industry's top institutional agency brokerages, today announced that Morningstar, Inc. is joining its independent research network. As part of the CAPIS network, CAPIS will help promote Morningstar Equity Research, which includes coverage of about 2,000 companies around the world by more than 100 analysts.

“In this time of market uncertainty, the buy-side needs unbiased and authoritative research it can rely on,” said Kristi P. Wetherington, President and CEO of CAPIS. “Morningstar is one of the best-known independent sources for stock analysis and data in the world and we are thrilled to work with them. With a coverage universe of thousands of companies, its equity analysts provide the objective and actionable research our 1,400-plus clients need to drive results for their investors.”

Using its consistent, proprietary methodology that focuses on fundamental analysis, competitive advantage assessment, and intrinsic value estimation, Morningstar’s insightful research helps investors, advisors, research analysts, and asset managers make informed decisions.

Morningstar is now part of the CAPIS Independent Research Network (CIRN). Founded seven years ago, CIRN represents a select group of hand-picked independent research providers who consistently produce original ideas, unbiased analysis, and actionable information.

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About Capital Institutional Services, Inc. (CAPIS)

CAPIS is a leading independent U.S. institutional broker specializing in global agency trading and commission management for asset managers and plan sponsors. CAPIS has successfully developed and provided an array of brokerage solutions specifically tailored to the institutional marketplace since 1977. CAPIS is a member of the New York Stock Exchange, the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority, and SIPC. For more information, visit www.capis.com. For more information on the CAPIS Independent Research Network, please contact Mario Shane at 214-978-4772.

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