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## **Randall S. Kroszner Joins Patomak Partners as Senior Advisor**

Former Fed Governor Will Advise Clients on Economic and Regulatory Matters

**Washington, DC** – (9/14/09) - Patomak Partners today announced that Randall S. Kroszner has joined the firm as Senior Advisor.

Dr. Kroszner, who served as a Governor in the Federal Reserve System until his term expired in January 2009, will provide expertise on economic trends and advise on developments in the regulatory environment.

While at the Fed, he took a leading role in developing responses to the financial crisis and in undertaking new initiatives to improve consumer protection and disclosure. Previously, Dr. Kroszner served on President Bush's Council of Economic Advisors (CEA) from 2001-2003, where he was heavily involved in formulating the policy response to corporate governance scandals as well as advising on a wide range of domestic and international issues, including financial regulation, international trade, and economic development.

Patomak Partners is managed by Paul S. Atkins, former commissioner at the Securities and Exchange Commission, and Ralph F. Mittl, previously Chief Compliance Officer at global private equity firm The Carlyle Group. The firm provides regulatory compliance consulting to investment managers including private equity firms, hedge funds, and mutual funds.

Paul Atkins said, "We are excited to have Randy join Patomak Partners. As a renowned economist and former Fed Governor, we expect his remarkable insight into economic trends and government regulation will be a tremendous asset to the firm."

Dr. Kroszner said, "In this regulatory environment, Patomak Partners is exactly what the industry needs. Paul and Ralph's vision for Patomak is to combine quality personnel with a refreshingly proactive approach to enhancing firms' consulting programs. I look forward to helping them carry out their vision."

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Patomak Partners LLC provides premier regulatory compliance consulting to private equity firms, hedge funds, mutual funds, and other investment advisors and investment companies.

Headquartered in Potomac, MD, its quality professionals bring decades of experience as advisors to and regulators of the financial services industry, an extensive network of industry and government relationships, and a solemn commitment to protecting the reputation of its clients and their investors.

Enhanced by strategic partnerships with outside counsel and software vendors, Patomak Partners' wide range of services include assisting new registrants, supporting investigations and litigations, performing forensic trading analyses, and testing of policies and procedures (including mock SEC examinations). [www.patomak.com](http://www.patomak.com)

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