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Debra Lego Joins Woodruff-Sawyer & Co.

San Francisco, California – February 12, 2008 – Woodruff-Sawyer & Co. announced today that Debra A. Lego (formerly Lego-Wathen) has joined their firm as Vice President. Debra's focus will be on strategic broking, consulting and business development across all areas of risk and coverage.

Debra comes to the firm with an impressive background in insurance, finance and risk management. She has worked on the finance side as a senior auditor and controller, the client side as a global risk manager, and the carrier side overseeing sales and underwriting functions. More recently, she held senior management positions at brokerage firms Johnson & Higgins, Marsh, and Integro. "I think my multi-faceted experience is a great fit with Woodruff-Sawyer, a company I've always admired for its thorough and proactive approach to managing risk."

"Debra's unique blend of business and financial acumen will be an invaluable asset to clients," said Charlie Rosson, Chief Executive Officer at Woodruff-Sawyer. "We're very excited to have her as part of our team to perpetuate Woodruff-Sawyer's growth and reputation for delivering better results."

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