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USAIG Announces Executive Management Team Promotions

New York, NY, February 25, 2016...United States Aviation Underwriters, Inc., managers of the United States Aircraft Insurance Group (USAIG), have announced three top management promotions within its New York home office. These changes will be effective April 1, 2016.

John T. Brogan, Executive Vice President, has been promoted to **President and Chief Operating Officer**. He will be responsible for overseeing all underwriting and claims departments with a focus on enterprise strategy development, implementation and execution.

Mr. Brogan joined USAIG in 1997 and has held a series of management roles. In 2001, he joined USAIG's Eastern Department as a General Aviation Underwriter and in 2006 he was named Vice President and Manager of the Eastern Department. Mr. Brogan was promoted to Senior Vice President and Regional Supervisor in 2012 and in 2015, was appointed Executive Vice President and Manager of both the General Aviation and Workers' Compensation departments. Mr. Brogan holds a Bachelor of Science degree from St. Joseph's College and an MBA in Finance and Risk Management from St. John's University College of Insurance and Risk Management. He received the designation of Certified Aviation Insurance Professional (CAIP).

Edwin Marin, Senior Vice President & Chief Underwriting Officer has been promoted to **Executive Vice President**.

Mr. Marin began his career with the company in 1994. While in the Reinsurance Department, he was named Assistant Vice President in 2003 and in 2006, became Vice President. With increasing managerial and technical responsibilities, Mr. Marin was named Senior Vice President in 2009 and in 2013 assumed the role of Chief Underwriting Officer. He graduated from The College of Insurance with a Bachelor of Business Administration degree and is a Certified Aviation Insurance Professional (CAIP).

Vincent Keenan, Senior Vice President & Treasurer has been promoted to **Chief Financial Officer**. Mr. Keenan succeeds **William J. Lichte** who has been **Executive Vice President & Chief Financial Officer** since 2006. Mr. Lichte, who has been with the company for 40 years, will retire on June 14, 2016.

Mr. Keenan began his accounting career with the company in 2002. He was named Vice President in 2006 and in 2014, was appointed Senior Vice President & Treasurer. He graduated from the University of Delaware with a Bachelor of Science degree in accounting.

“These promotions underscore why USAIG remains America’s first name in aviation insurance,” says USAIG CEO David L. McKay. “Our experienced, knowledgeable people truly are the best in the business. We take great pride in their professional growth and ongoing advancement.”

About USAIG

United States Aircraft Insurance Group (USAIG) provides a full spectrum of coverage options for owners, operators, manufacturers and maintainers of corporate, private and commercial aircraft. In 1928, our founders – World War I pilots and businessmen David Beebe and Reed Chambers – saw the need for an insurance company that truly understood aviation. We remain a world aviation insurance leader delivering innovative, custom-tailored insurance products and services, including Performance Vector safety programs and Performance Vector PLUS good experience returns. United States Aviation Underwriters, Inc. manages USAIG, maintaining the industry’s largest network of underwriting and field claims offices. USAU’s wholly owned subsidiary, Toronto-based Canadian Aviation Insurance Managers manages the Canadian Aircraft Insurance Group insurance pool. USAIG is a subsidiary of General Re Corporation, a Berkshire Hathaway company. Follow us on Twitter @USAIG_CAIG, Facebook & LinkedIn. usaig.com