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KARA CALVERT JOINS FRANKLIN SQUARE GROUP, LLC

Washington, DC - Franklin Square Group, LLC today announced Capitol Hill veteran and high-tech industry leader Kara Calvert will join the firm. Calvert most recently served as Director of Government Relations for the Information Technology Industry Council, the leading trade association representing 45 of the top high-tech companies in the world. Prior to her work at ITI, Calvert served as Policy Adviser to Senator Michael Enzi (R-WY) on technology, telecommunications, trade, taxes, budget and transportation issues. During her time with Senator Enzi, she also worked on the Senate Banking and Budget Committees handling export-import issues and the annual federal budget, respectively.

"We are very pleased to have Kara join the Franklin Square Group. She brings policy expertise and leadership in the innovation industries that will be extremely valuable to our clients," said Matt Tanielian, Co-Founder of the Franklin Square Group.

"The Franklin Square Group has established itself as the leading firm in representing America's innovators in Washington DC," said Calvert. "My background in technology and healthcare policy -- and my passion for both -- makes the Franklin Square Group a perfect fit."

"We are extremely fortunate to have Kara on board the Franklin Square Group team", said Josh Ackil, Co-Founder of the Franklin Square Group. "Its rare to find someone like Kara who excels in both shaping policy and executing politics."

Kara graduated from the University of Wyoming with a B.S. in Business. She is a fourth-generation Wyoming native with a strong sense of entrepreneurialship, thanks to her parents, grandparents and great-grandparents all owning and operating small businesses in Wyoming. Kara now lives in Washington DC.

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