



HIIG PROMOTES DAVID G. BURGESS TO CHIEF UNDERWRITING OFFICER OF ACCIDENT & HEALTH DIVISION

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Houston International Insurance Group (HIIG) announced today that the Company has promoted David G. Burgess to Chief Underwriting Officer of its Accident & Health Division.

Mr. Burgess joined HIIG in January of 2016 as Senior Vice President and has been in the insurance industry for more than 25 years always specializing in A&H and employee benefits. He will be relocating to the Company's Dallas office to build a team to focus on the growing market in Texas and surrounding states.

Matt S. Naylor, Executive Vice President of HIIG and Chief Executive Officer of the A&H Division, said, "David has shown his dedication to the Company and has used his extensive industry knowledge and experience to help better our underwriting functions."

HIIG is an insurance holding company based in Houston, Texas with offices across the USA including Atlanta, Birmingham, Dallas, Malvern (PA), Morristown (NJ), and Scottsdale.

HIIG has underwriting Divisions focused on Accident & Health; Construction; Energy; Professional Liability; Transactional Property; and other Specialty business.

HIIG has assets of more than \$1 billion and shareholders' equity of \$325 million. HIIG's insurance company subsidiaries consist of Houston Specialty Insurance Company, Imperium Insurance Company, Great Midwest Insurance Company, and Oklahoma Specialty Insurance Company. These insurance companies are rated A/A- (Excellent) by A.M. Best Company.

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