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ETA Elects Board Members and Officers

Washington, DC – Members of the Electronic Transactions Association have elected three new board members and reelected two current members, according to an announcement by ETA’s interim CEO, Pamela Furneaux.

Chuck Harris, president of Netspend, Mike Passilla, president and CEO of Elavon, and Chris Hylen, general manager and vice president for Intuit, were elected to their first two-year term on ETA’s board, while Gregory Cohen, president of Moneris Solutions and Jeff Rosenblatt, President, EVO Merchant Services, were reelected to an additional two-year term.

Under ETA’s bylaws, Eddie Myers, president and COO of Payment Processing Inc., ascended from president-elect to president of the association on January 1. ETA’s board elected Roy Banks, CEO, ACCELERATED Payment Technologies as president-elect for 2012, Kim Fitzsimmons, senior vice president, First Data Services, to serve as treasurer and Debra Rossi, executive vice president, Wells Fargo Bank, to be secretary. Rick Pylant, chairman & CEO, Strategic Payment Systems, Inc., remains on the board as immediate past president.

“I am looking forward to working with ETA’s officers and board members as we take on the challenge of a new year in a rapidly changing business environment,” Furneaux said in announcing the results of the election, which was conducted in December. “ETA’s 2012 board of directors reflects the diversity of expertise and backgrounds that is emblematic of the payments industry today and crucial to guiding ETA through the evolving payments landscape.”

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About ETA

The Electronic Transactions Association is an international trade association representing more than 500 companies who offer electronic transaction processing products and services. ETA’s mission is to advance the payments industry profession by providing leadership through education, advocacy and the exchange of information.