



Mark Schlafly Joins Magni Board of Directors

Long-time Industry Executive Brings Expertise to Board

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ST. PAUL, MN, October 1, 2015 – Magni Global Asset Management today announced that Mark Schlafly has been named to its board of directors. As the former CEO and President of FSC Securities Corporation and Advantage Capital Corporation, Mr. Schlafly adds both distribution and operational experience to Magni’s Board of Directors.

“As a recognized and respected leader in the investment industry and in academia, Mark will provide valuable strategic insight to our Board. Mark’s guidance will be instrumental as we pursue growth opportunities,” said Kurt Lieberman, CEO of Magni.

“I am thrilled to be joining the Magni Board. With the explosion of interest in ESG investing, Magni is well positioned based on its country-level governance research. The depth of their research is unmatched in the industry.”

Mr. Schlafly also held senior positions with LPL and A.G. Edwards and Sons. He is currently with Washington University in St. Louis at the Olin Business School. He is also on the Board of Directors of Behringer Harvard Fund. He earned his Bachelor’s degree in Finance from St. Louis University, MO, and is a graduate of the Securities Institute from the Wharton Business School at the University of Pennsylvania, PA.

About Magni Global Asset Management

Magni Global Asset Management LLC is a Minnesota based money management firm founded by Dr. Roger Conant, previously the Chief Investment Officer for the St. Paul Companies/Travelers. Magni believes *Countries Matter*[™] when investing internationally and scores countries on their ability to provide an environment conducive to good corporate governance. The firm developed its Sustainable Wealth Creation (SWC) research process based on widely-accepted economic principles. Those principles are disaggregated into 280 Qualitative Sovereign Factors about the legal, regulatory, accounting, and economic infrastructure of a country. Magni has more than a decade of research across the investible countries of the world. For more information, please visit www.magniglobal.com or follow @MagniGlobal.

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