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Brent Williams is a Senior Partner with The Halifax Group. Halifax is a private equity investment firm with approximately \$1.5 billion of equity capital under management. Halifax makes control equity investments in partnership with founders and managers of lower middle-market businesses and has closed over 65 acquisitions across the U.S., Europe, Asia and Australia. Brent is on Halifax's Investment Committee, manages its Dallas office and is responsible for the firm's overall strategic and operational

management. Brent has been with Halifax since it was first established in 1999.

Prior to Halifax, Brent was a Director in PaineWebber's Merchant Banking Division, which he co-founded. Prior to that, he was a Director in PaineWebber's Investment Banking Division, which he joined from Smith Barney's Investment Banking Division. Previously, Brent also was an Assistant Vice President in the Project Finance Department of the Sumitomo Bank.

Brent has served on numerous boards, both for-profit and nonprofit. He currently serves on the board of directors of BCI Burke and recently served on or chaired the boards of Golden State Overnight Inc., Nutrition Physiology Corporation, Animal Supply Co. and Taylor Logistics. He is a member of the Investment Committee for the endowment of the United Way of Metropolitan Dallas and a member of the Young Presidents Organization. Previously, Brent served as a member of the Advisory Board for the Hicks, Muse, Tate & Furst Center for Private Equity Finance at McCombs.

Brent earned his B.A. from The University of Texas at Austin and his M.B.A. from Rice University.