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Julian Lago Named NAHU Region V Vice President

(Palm Beach Gardens, FL) – Julian Lago was named Region V vice president to the National Association of Health Underwriters (NAHU) Board of Trustees at the 83rd Annual Convention and Exhibition in Atlanta.

"We are pleased to welcome Julian as a regional vice president of NAHU. He is an incredibly passionate individual who has worked hard to make sure agents and brokers are able to continue assisting their clients in this new health insurance marketplace," said Janet Trautwein, NAHU CEO.

Lago, a senior client advisor with Celedinas Insurance Group, has worked in the insurance industry for almost 30 years, specializing in employee benefits and financial services. A member of NAHU since 2005, he has held leadership positions including serving as president of his local and state chapters. The Florida Association of Health Underwriters has awarded Lago with the Dan Yount Outstanding Floridian of the Year Award and the David Saltzman Public Speaking Award. Over the past several years he has become a frequent speaker on the subject of healthcare reform, PPACA and exchanges. He has spoken at national, regional and state events including providing sworn testimony before the Florida Office of Insurance Regulation.

"At no time has the role of the agent broker been more critical than it is today. Helping consumers and businesses navigate, understand and implement the changes of healthcare reform is key. NAHU members represent the most informed, engaged and educated from within our industry," Lago said.

Originally from Passaic, New Jersey, Lago attended Kean University before moving to Florida in 1984. He and his wife Doris have four children and live in Palm Beach Gardens. Lago stays involved in his community, including past positions with the Hispanic Kiwanis of Palm Beach, Palm Beach Hispanic Chamber, West Palm Beach City Centennial, Royal Palm Beach Kiwanis and Royal Palm Beach Jaycees.

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