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News Release

Europ Assistance Acquires CMN Inc

CMN gains global network and strength

Toronto, November 1, 2006 – Europ Assistance Group (EA) and CMN are pleased to announce that Europ Assistance, the pioneer of the Assistance industry, has agreed to acquire 100% of CMN. By acquiring CMN, which is recognized as the service leader in the cost containment industry, Europ Assistance will further strengthen their position in the international healthcare field, gain a foothold for the first time in Canada and internally cost contain their considerable volume of U.S. health claims.

As a specialist in the international management of medical services, CMN provides its clients (public health institutions, governments and insurance companies) with a service which includes personalized administration of their patients' medical care as part of a tailored health program within a secure and optimized financial framework. CMN offers its clients privileged access to its networks, enabling them to control medical treatment costs for the patients they insure.

As part of the acquisition, EA announced that CMN's senior leadership team consisting of John Park, Alex Kroon, and Peter Lozier will remain in place and be instrumental in ensuring the smooth integration of CMN into the EA Group of companies.

"The team at CMN is extremely excited about today's announcement. Both CMN and Europ Assistance will benefit from CMN now managing their significant volume of North American health claims. The financial strength of EA combined with access to their global network will further improve CMN's ability to support its clients. With a presence on five continents, and a network consisting of over 7,000 acute care facilities and over 400,000 physicians and specialists offering assistance in over 130 countries, Europ Assistance provides CMN's clients with access to an exceptional international network." says John Park, Founder and President, CMN Inc.

To learn more CMN please visit our website at www.cmn-global.com or to learn more about Europ Assistance Group please visit their website at www.europ-assistance.com.

About CMN Inc.

Founded in 1995, CMN Inc. is an international health management company that assists clients – including insurance companies and government entities, and their insured members – to successfully navigate the increasingly complex global healthcare system with economic ease.

Our medical case management, North American and international proprietary provider networks, customized services, and technology are all seamlessly interwoven to ensure patients receive the best-possible medical care and service, while reducing and managing our clients' risks and costs.

About Europ Assistance Group

Founded in 1963, as the inventor of the assistance concept, the Europ Assistance Group operates on a global basis in order to bring its 300 million worldwide private and corporate clients appropriate solutions to deal with day-to-day or emergency situations 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.

100% controlled by the GENERALI group, the Europ Assistance group today covers 208 countries with its range of services, and includes 70 companies present in 33 countries, employing 5500 salaried staff: Algeria, Argentina, Austria, Belgium, Brazil, Canada, Chile, China, the Czech Republic, Denmark, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Libya, Luxembourg, Norway, the Netherlands, Poland, French Polynesia, Portugal, Russia, Singapore, South Africa, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Tunisia, the United Kingdom and the United States.

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