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- · Keynote Presentation by Ed H. Bowman, CPA, President/CEO/Director, SOURCECORP
- Market Update
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Wednesday, May 18, 2011

9:00 Introduction and Overview

Rick Lacher, <u>Program Co-Chair</u>

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I. Bobby Majumder, <u>Program Co-Chair</u>

K&L Gates LLP

9:10 Market Update

Current State of Middle Market Private Equity; Positioning for Sale; Where are We Relative to 2010, and Where are We Headed?

> **Rick Lacher,** Managing Dir. *Houlihan Lokey*

9:45 Anatomy of a Private Equity Deal – 2011

How Do Middle Market Deals Work; Latest Developments in Deal Terms and Structures; Key Issues for Buyers and Sellers

Harlan P. Cohen
Gibson Dunn
James R. Hanna
Vinson & Elkins LLP
Glenn D. West
Weil Golshal & Manges LLP

11:00 Break

11:15 Keynote Presentation

CEO's Perspective on the Relationship between Management and the Fund Sponsor, Governance, Economics, Incentive Compensation, and Managing through the Exit

> Ed H. Bowman, CPA, President/CEO/Dir. (Invited) SOURCECORP

12:00 Lunch (on your own)

1:00 Private Equity Investor's Perspective

Fund Sponsor Perspective on Deal Flow, Valuations, Exits and Dealing with Lenders to Troubled Companies; The Emergence of Growth Equity Minority, Equity Investing

Jay "Bud" I. Applebaum, Principal Wingate Partners

Jeff S. Fronterhouse, Co-CEO, Co-Founder/LLC Ptr.

Brazos Private Equity Partners LLC

Robert A. Poletti, Principal
Levine Leichtman Capital Partners

2:00 Terms and Forms Update

Market Check; Changes and Differences in Docs in 2011; Target and Sponsors; The View from Corporate Counsel; The View from Lender Counsel; The State of Risk Assumption; 3rd Party Issues; How are Lenders Getting Deals Done?

Matthew H. Hildreth, President/CEO, Dallas-Fort Worth Region

Amegy Bank of Texas Randall M. Kob, Managing. Dir.

Prudential Capital Group
Charles P. Miller

Patton Boggs LLP

2:45 Break

3:00 Accounting Developments Affecting Private Equity

Update on New Accounting Developments and Their Impact on Private Equity Deals; Unique Tax Considerations

Michael Capilouto, CPA,

Partner, Private Equity Acctg. Advisory Ctr.

Ernst & Young LLP, New York, NY

Peter F. Riley, CPA K&L Gates LLP

3:45 Legal and Regulatory Updates

Delaware M&A and Corporate Law Developments

Wilson Chu K&L Gates LLP

James P. Smith, III
Dewey & LeBoeuf LLP

Gregory V. Varallo Richards Layton & Finger

4:45 Adjourn

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I. Bobby Majumder, Program Co-Chair, is a partner with K&L Gates LLP. His practice is focused on corporate and securities transactions, including advising on mergers and acquisitions; public company representation, PIPE transactions, representation of private equity funds, hedge funds and venture capital funds in connection with formation, investments and representation of companies receiving venture capital and private equity.

Ed H. Bowman, CPA, Keynote Speaker, is President, CEO, and a Director of SOURCECORP, a business process outsourcing and consulting company. He established the company's initial operations, transitioned the company from a startup, through an IPO, to a \$330 million company that operates from approximately 37 locations in the U.S., the Philippines, Mexico and India.

Jay "Bud" I. Applebaum, a principal with Wingate Partners, joined the firm in 1989. Prior to that, he participated in forming Plexus Financial Services, Inc., a holding company for businesses with combined annual revenues of \$225 million. He joined Plexus from Salomon Brothers, Inc. where he was with the firm's Merger and Acquisition Group in New York.

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Jeff S. Fronterhouse is Co-CEO, Co-founder and partner in Brazos Private Equity Partners LLC. Prior to co-founding Brazos, he was a senior investment professional at Hicks Muse, a private equity firm, and before that, he specialized in mergers and acquisitions for The First

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James R. Hanna is an M&A/Private Equity partner with Vinson & Elkins LLP. He practices corporate law with an emphasis on mergers and acquisitions. He has extensive experience in the representation of private equity sponsors and corporations in public and private mergers and acquisitions.

Matthew H. Hildreth, President and CEO of Amegy Bank of Texas (Dallas-Fort Worth region), previously served as Senior Vice President and a Division Manager at J.P. Morgan Chase. Throughout his career, he has specialized in serving the investment and commercial banking needs of middle market companies throughout the Southwest.

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Charles P. Miller is the Deputy Managing Partner firm-wide with Patton Boggs LLP and a member of the firm's Management Committee, as well as an ex-officio member of the firm's Executive Committee. He counsels financial institutions, private equity funds, hedge funds, mezzanine and equity funds, and other institutional investors.

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