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Jon Gidney to Join Greenhill as a Vice Chairman Based in Sydney

New York, February 23, 2015—Greenhill & Co., Inc. (NYSE: GHL), a leading independent investment bank, announced today that Jon Gidney will join the Firm as a Vice Chairman and Managing Director based in Sydney.

Mr. Gidney has over 20 years of investment banking advisory experience in the Australia and New Zealand markets, most recently as Vice Chairman of Investment Banking at JP Morgan in Australia. He has been with JP Morgan based in Sydney for more than 10 years, having initially been recruited to join as head of its Mergers & Acquisitions group for Australia and New Zealand. Prior to his time at JP Morgan, he was a Managing Director at Caliburn, the Australian M&A advisory firm that Greenhill later acquired. Mr. Gidney was part of the original team at Caliburn, which had worked together in the Sydney office of BZW, and was with that firm for the first five years of its existence, working closely with current Greenhill Australia Chairman Peter Hunt and Co-Head of the region Roger Feletto.

Peter Hunt, Chairman of Greenhill Australia, said, "We are extremely pleased to bring Jon back to our Firm after a distinguished 10 years of client advisory work at JP Morgan. Jon is one of the top M&A advisors in our market, and we know from experience that he is a perfect fit for the collaborative and collegial culture that characterizes our firm both locally and globally."

Roger Feletto, Co-Head of Greenhill Australia, said, "Our business in Australia has evolved considerably in the last 10 years, and the global firm we are now an integral part of is the ideal place to utilize Jon's skills and experience. He has remained a friend of our firm, and we now look forward to him rejoining as a colleague and senior member of our team."

Scott L. Bok, Chief Executive Officer of Greenhill, said, "Our business in Australia has made great strides in the five years since we arrived there, particularly in the past year as our Co-Heads of the region have further leveraged our global network to advise on

strategic cross border transaction opportunities between Australia and other important markets around the world. The recruitment of Jon is a coup for the Australian team, as well as for the Firm globally. He brings significant incremental client relationships, sector experience and transaction expertise to our Australian business. The fact that he is a former colleague of some of our senior team will make the transition to a senior role in our business all the easier."

Greenhill & Co., Inc. is a leading independent investment bank focused on providing financial advice on significant mergers, acquisitions, restructurings, financings and capital raising to corporations, partnerships, institutions and governments. It acts for clients located throughout the world from its offices in New York, London, Frankfurt, São Paulo, Stockholm, Sydney, Tokyo, Toronto, Chicago, Houston, Los Angeles, Melbourne and San Francisco.