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### FINANCE 500, INC. HIRES NEW CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER

**Irvine, CA, August 29, 2014** – (BUSINESS WIRE) – [Finance 500, Inc.](#) (“F500”) announced that they have recently hired Ann DiGiorgio as their Chief Financial Officer. Ms. DiGiorgio was previously the Chief Financial Officer of UnionBanc Investment Services, as well as the Chief Financial Officer and Chief Compliance Officer for BondDesk Trading, and a Compliance Officer for Girard Securities.

Ms. DiGiorgio is an industry veteran with more than thirty years experience in the financial services industry, with expertise in both finance and regulatory compliance. President Lance Hicks noted that “Ann brings a wealth of knowledge and experience to the firm from both an institutional and retail perspective, and provides greater overall depth to our upper management team. She’s a welcome addition.”

Among her many responsibilities will be helping the company define its growth strategies and business development plans, and then determining the financial steps necessary to implement them. “The ability to work with strong and experienced leadership at Finance 500 is an exciting and energizing opportunity for me. I welcome the changes that come with new leadership and look forward to working with the F500 community for many years to come”, commented Ann DiGiorgio.

About Finance 500, Inc.

Founded in 1982, Finance 500 is a full service, independent, registered broker-dealer, headquartered in Irvine California. The firm is a member of the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority (FINRA), the Security Investor Protection Corporation (SIPC) and is registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC). Since 1996 Finance 500 has specialized in the underwriting of FDIC insured certificates of deposit for banks across the country. The firm has established itself as one of the leaders in this particular niche, ranking among the top firms nationwide in total underwriting volume each year for more than a decade. Thousands of banks in the nation has used Finance 500 for assistance with their CD underwriting and investment needs.

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