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**March 4, 2011 (Chicago)** – Ascendant Compliance Management, a leading compliance consulting company that offers integrated compliance and business solutions, is pleased to announce their recent partnership agreement with Compliance11, Inc., a leader in state-of-the-art compliance automation software.

“We are very excited to announce this partnership, and I think the industry as a whole is ready for this combined solution—they really are going to benefit from this,” says Jon Higgins, President and CEO of Ascendant. “The partnership brings together the in-depth compliance knowledge and insight that Ascendant is so well known for, along with the technology expertise and software capabilities of Compliance11. What results is something that has never been done before, something truly remarkable.”

Compliance11’s President and CEO, Tad Mitchell feels the same way, “I could not be more pleased that we were able to bring our knowledge and talents together for the benefit of the industry. It is really going to be exciting to watch this evolve.”

## *ABOUT COMPLIANCE11:*

Compliance11, Inc., is a leading provider of cloud-based compliance automation software for the financial community. Compliance11 products automate employee trading, insider trading surveillance, policy affirmations, employee disclosures, gifts, entertainment, political contributions, marketing review, customer complaints, regulatory inquiries and more. The highly scalable, hosted platform can be operational in days, freeing you to manage risk, not paper. For more information visit [www.compliance11.com](http://www.compliance11.com)

## *ABOUT ASCENDANT:*

Ascendant Compliance Management is located in Salisbury, Connecticut, with offices in New York City and San Francisco. Ascendant offers integrated compliance and business solutions for Investment Advisers, Broker-Dealers, Hedge and Private Equity Funds and provides conferences and online education and training. For more information on Ascendant’s services, or to sign up for email alerts, please visit their website at [www.ascendantcompliance.com](http://www.ascendantcompliance.com) or call 860-435-2255.

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