

# News Release

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## **Willis Names Former Gallagher Division President to Head CAPS Keith A. Dobrolinsky Joins as National Partner**

**New York, NY, November 3, 2005** – Willis Group Holdings, Ltd. (NYSE: WSH), the global insurance broker, today announces the appointment of Keith A. Dobrolinsky as National Partner of its Captive, Actuarial and Pooling Solutions (CAPS). He is based in Chicago, Illinois.

Dobrolinsky was formerly President of AJ Gallagher's Midwest Region Public and Non Profit Division, which was the division responsible for self-insured and pool clients. He also served as a National Director of Gallagher's Public Entity and Scholastic Division and the National Higher Education Practice which focused on all facets of alternative risk financing throughout the Gallagher network.

Dobrolinsky joins Willis with over 16 years of industry experience, all with Gallagher. He steps into a position, formerly held by Guy Ragosta, who leaves Willis to assume a new role as CEO of a company outside the insurance industry.

"I'm eager to begin the task of succeeding someone so well regarded throughout the industry and within the Company. Guy has positioned this division in such a way that it is poised to lead the industry in providing services and solutions for CAPS clients," said Dobrolinsky. "I have no doubt that all the pieces are in place for me to proceed with the successful navigation of this Practice through the challenges of creating new organic growth and business development."

"Over the past several years, we have aggressively repositioned Willis to be the leading provider of CAPS programs for businesses and institutions of all sizes, in all industries. Keith's appointment further strengthens Willis' focus on that Practice, and I'm confident that he will provide a single-minded focus on Willis clients as well as potential future business," said Mario Vitale, Chief Executive & Operating Officer of Willis' North America operations.

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