



**CANACCORD FINANCIAL INC:
TOTAL VOTING RIGHTS**

TORONTO, August 1, 2012 – For the purposes of the Financial Services Authority’s Disclosure and Transparency rules, the Company announces that as at July 31, 2012 the total number of common shares in issue is 102,220,816 with each share carrying the right to one vote.

The Company has 20,560 common shares held in treasury. The total of 102,200,256 common shares may therefore be used by shareholders in the Company as the denominator for the calculations by which they will determine if they are required to notify their interest in, or a change in their interest in, the share capital of the Company under the FSA’s Disclosure and Transparency Rules.

ABOUT CANACCORD FINANCIAL INC.:

Through its principal subsidiaries, Canaccord Financial Inc. is a leading independent, full-service financial services firm, with operations in two principal segments of the securities industry: wealth management and global capital markets. Since its establishment in 1950, Canaccord has been driven by an unwavering commitment to building lasting client relationships. We achieve this by generating value for our individual, institutional and corporate clients through comprehensive investment solutions, brokerage services and investment banking services. Canaccord has over 60 offices in 12 countries worldwide, including over 40 Wealth Management offices located across Canada, the UK and Europe. Canaccord Genuity, the international capital markets division, operates in Canada, the U.S., the U.K., France, Germany, Ireland, Italy, China, Hong Kong, Singapore, Australia and Barbados.

Canaccord Financial Inc. is publicly traded under the symbol CF on the TSX and the symbol CF. on the London Stock Exchange.

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