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GS1 Canada Announces Key Board Appointments

January 6, 2012 - Toronto, ON – GS1 Canada is pleased to announce the following appointments to its Board of Governors:

George Attar, CIO and Senior Vice President, Strategy and Government Relations McKesson Canada

Mr. Attar is responsible for McKesson Canada's strategy and business development activities including mergers and acquisitions. He is also responsible for government relations and information technology. McKesson Canada is a leader in healthcare solutions including the areas of supply chain, technology, and services. Prior to joining McKesson Canada in 2003, Mr. Attar served as a partner with Accenture where his 21-year career within the firm gave him significant experience in a variety of industries helping companies achieve their business objectives.

Thom C. Lachman, President P&G Canada

Mr. Lachman has been with Procter & Gamble since 1985 and has held positions of increasing responsibility including Vice President, North America – male grooming. He is a graduate of Tulane University, where he earned both a Bachelor of Science and M.B.A. In addition to his significant experience with P&G, Mr. Lachman is also active on a number of Boards, including the Food and Consumer Products of Canada (FCPC) and the Fellowship of Christian Athletes.

Frank V. Scorpiniti, Chief Operating Officer Katz Group Canada Ltd./Rexall

Mr. Scorpiniti is an accomplished pharmacy leader with more than 20 years experience in chain drug retail. He has held his current position of Chief Operating Officer, Katz Group Canada Ltd. since April 2011 and has been appointed the successor to CEO, Andrew A. Giancamilli. He will assume his appointment as CEO in February 2012. Prior to Katz, Mr. Scorpiniti was Senior Vice President, Pharmacy Operations at Duane Reade, a New York-based chain. A pharmacist, Mr. Scorpiniti began his career in the drug store business which led to his decision to enter the profession of pharmacy. He is a graduate of the University of the Pacific, School of Pharmacy in Stockton, California, holding a doctorate (Pharm D) in Pharmacy.

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