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Crawford UK and TEXA complete global cooperation agreement for loss adjusting services

London - Crawford & Company UK is pleased to announce that TEXA will be its exclusive representative for loss adjusting in France. This agreement builds on the earlier agreement for Crawford to represent TEXA exclusively outside France. As a result, both Crawford UK and TEXA will be able to provide their clients with an enhanced service offering across the globe. The agreement provides for both incoming and outgoing work in France to be channelled through an International hub in Paris.

Bruno Vesval, Chairman, TEXA, said, "I am delighted that we have taken our cooperation with Crawford to the next stage. The combined strengths of TEXA and Crawford will create an unrivalled network for the international clients of both companies. We share the same commitment to excellent service as Crawford and I look forward to working more closely for the benefit of our clients. "

French-based TEXA provides a wide range of claims adjusting services and housing solutions in France, Monaco and Morocco. Services offered from 80 offices and more than 500 technical employees include property, casualty, construction, engineering, energy, financial institutions, global programmes, fine art and specie, media and valuations.

Mark Harman, Crawford chief executive officer, Continental Europe, Middle East & Africa, added, "This agreement transforms our capability to provide our international clients with a full range of loss adjusting services in France. We have worked closely with TEXA over the past two years and they share our values and goals. This is a significant addition to the strength of our global network."

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Notes to News Editor:

Based in Atlanta, Ga., Crawford & Company (www.crawfordandcompany.com) is the world's largest independent provider of claims management solutions to the risk management and insurance industry as well as self-insured entities, with an expansive global network serving clients in more than 70 countries. The Crawford System of Claims SolutionsSM offers comprehensive, integrated claims services, business process outsourcing and consulting services for major product lines including property and casualty claims management, workers compensation claims and medical management, and legal settlement administration. The Company's shares are traded on the NYSE under the symbols CRDA and CRDB.

