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Axia Ventures Group announces the hiring of Mr. Alexandros Argyros as Vice President in its Investment Banking Division

Athens, Greece – March 29, 2010 – Axia Ventures Group ("AVG") announced today that Mr. Alexandros Argyros has joined as Vice President in its Investment Banking Division.

Prior to AVG, Mr. Argyros spent one year with Filia Group, a private fund focusing on investments in the Environmental and Alternative Energy sectors in Greece. Prior to that, he spent seven years with Morgan Stanley, three years with the Global Industrials Group in New York and London and four years with the Greek coverage team in Athens. Mr. Argyros has executed a significant number of M&A and Capital Markets transactions in the region.

Mr. Argyros holds a BA. in Economics from Amherst College (USA).

Mr. Antonios Achilleoudis, Group Managing Director of AVG, commented as follows: "The appointment of Alexandros is a positive one primarily because of his significant experiences in investment banking across AVG's extended region. We extend a warm welcome to Alexandros and wish him every success in his career with us".

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