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Axia Ventures Group participates in the 9th Annual CFA Forecast Event

Nicosia, Cyprus – *April 19, 2013* – Building on the success of prior years, the 9th annual forecast event of the Chartered Financial Analysts Society of Cyprus provided a solid platform for the assembly of over 250 attendees from the country's financial, banking and economic elite.

The attendees had the opportunity to observe speeches by the Minister of Finance of the Republic of Cyprus, Mr. Haris Georgiades, and by Mr. John P. Calamos, Senior Chairman, CEO and Global Co-CIO of Calamos Investments. In the event's opening address, Mr. Georgiades expanded on the economic status quo and highlighted his belief in Cyprus' future prospects, while Mr. Calamos shared his opinion on, among other things, the current state of worldwide economic affairs.

Axia Ventures Group ("AVG") participated at the event with a delegation consisting of two senior officers and a number of distinguished guests, including Dr. Andreas Charalambous, Director of Economic Research and European Union of the Ministry of Finance of the Republic of Cyprus.

AVG's General Manager Omiros Pissarides who attended the event made the following comment: "The CFA Society of Cyprus has been growing steadily over the last few years. Indeed, the CFA's 9th annual forecast event signifies the advance of the Society and places a solid mark on Cyprus' financial calendar. We are delighted to have been part of this event and look forward to further strengthening our relationship with the Society".

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