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SOLEIL SECURITIES NAMES VINCE FARRELL CHIEF INVESTMENT OFFICER

New York – August 4, 2008 – Soleil Securities Group, Inc., a provider of value-added, independent equities research and brokerage services, announced today that industry veteran Vince Farrell had joined the firm as its Chief Investment Officer.

Mr. Farrell joins Soleil from Scotsman Capital, the New York based investment firm, where he was a Principal. Prior to joining Scotsman in April, 2005, Mr. Farrell was Chairman of Victory Capital Management of Cleveland and Chairman of Victory SBSF Capital Management in New York. He was a founding partner of Spears, Benzak, Salomon & Farrell, which was acquired by KeyCorp in 1995. Mr. Farrell held a variety of positions in his 23 years at SBSF, including Chief Investment Officer, and he served as the portfolio manager on a number of the firm's largest client relationships. He is a regular guest on the cable network CNBC as well as other national print and broadcast media.

Prior to joining SBSF, Farrell spent nine years at Smith Barney, Inc. as a Vice President in Sales. He graduated from Princeton University in 1969 and received his M.B.A. from the Iona College Graduate School of Business in 1972.

“Vince is a remarkable addition to the Soleil team. His perspective on market trends and macroeconomic forces complements the detailed analysis being generated by Soleil’s research partners,” said Terry Gardner, President of Soleil. “In this challenging economic environment, Soleil’s clients will benefit from Vince’s insights and outlooks as part of their decision making process.”

“I am excited to be joining a firm which values thought leadership and idea collaboration,” said Mr. Farrell. “The Soleil platform presents investors with a unique opportunity to source actionable insights across a variety of sectors.” Mr. Farrell added, “I look forward to contributing my views to such a strong intellectual network and promoting the success of Soleil and its clients.”

About Soleil Securities

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