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EVA KALIVAS ATTENDS LPL FINANCIAL Opening Bell Ringing Ceremony at NASDAQ

New York, New York—October 25, 2012—Eva Kalivas from EPIC Retirement Services Consulting LLC, in New York, New York recently attended the Opening Bell ceremony at The NASDAQ Stock Market in New York City's Times Square on October 19, 2012. This special event was hosted by LPL Financial, the largest independent brokerage firm in the nation*.

"We at LPL Financial are honored to host Eva Kalivas of **EPIC Retirement Services Consulting LLC** at our NASDAQ Opening Bell ceremony in New York City," said Bill Dwyer, President of LPL Financial, National Sales. "This event, dedicated to Retirement Partners, is a wonderful opportunity to show our appreciation of and take pride in the many accomplishments made by some of our leading advisors. We are proud to serve as an empowering partner to **EPIC** as they continue their work in helping clients realize their retirement goals. In these challenging times, it is imperative to place greater emphasis on investing for the future and we look forward to continuing to build upon and strengthen our relationship as part of the long-term commitment of LPL Financial to serving the growing needs of our advisors and their clients."

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