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### Gary Venter Joins as Senior Advisor to the Insurance Practice of Oliver Wyman

**NEW YORK, NY, October 9, 2009**— Gary Venter has joined Oliver Wyman’s Financial Services business unit as a Senior Advisor. He will be based in the New York office, and will work with the firm’s Insurance Practice.

“We are delighted to welcome a thought leader of Gary’s caliber onboard to Oliver Wyman,” said Ramy Tadros, Partner and Head of the Insurance Practice. “His work in finance and risk management is unparalleled in its intellectual rigor and actuarial influence, and will provide vital capabilities that extend the reach and enhance the impact of our offerings for clients in the property & casualty sector,” said Tadros.

From 1994-2009, Mr. Venter was a Managing Director at Guy Carpenter and its predecessors and helped to conceive and develop MetaRisk, their risk, reinsurance, and financial modeling platform. He also served as President of the Workers’ Compensation Reinsurance Bureau from 1987-1994 and as a Vice President with the National Council on Compensation Insurance from 1982-1987. In his early career, he was an Actuarial Director with Prudential Reinsurance from 1977-1982 and worked with the Fireman’s Fund from 1973-1977.

Mr. Venter currently serves as an Adjunct Professor in insurance mathematics at Columbia University. In addition, he is Associate Editor of the Casualty Actuarial Society’s publication, *Variance*, and on the editorial boards of the *North American Actuarial Journal* of the Society of Actuaries and the International Actuarial Society’s *Astin Bulletin*.

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