



Aries Pension & Insurance Systems Ltd

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“Record year suggests industry is waking up to governance”, says Aries.

Aries Pension & Insurance Systems (Aries), the pensions technical specialist, enjoyed a record-breaking year during 2011 with the addition of 20 new clients – their largest growth in a single year. These new clients include names such as the General Motors Pensions Plan, law firm Freshfield Bruckhaus Deringer LLP and the data, systems and consulting specialist, ITM.

Ian Neale, Director, commented: “2011 was a very successful year for Aries and we believe this demonstrates the value of the Aries Pensions System (APS), not only in cost and time savings, but also for clients having explanation of all the changes in legislation readily available.

“We believe that the growth of our client base, through recommendation as well as our own initiatives, shows that the industry is waking up to the demands of working alongside ever-changing governance requirements. In the current climate, simply complying with regulations is no longer sufficient and schemes are now having to stay on top of amendments to legislation, work with knowledge of current as well as previous pensions law and improve the efficiency in the way that the scheme is governed.

Neale continued: “With the huge changes to the industry coming this year, we hope to be able to continue our strong performance in the market and provide support to many of the schemes who need it most in these difficult times.”

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Notes to Editors

Aries is an innovative company dedicated to providing the best tools for pension managers, trustees, advisors and administrators to handle the complex regulatory environment for pensions in the UK. The firm combines a deep knowledge of pensions with well-honed systems engineering and a keen sensitivity to the needs of the pensions professional.

The Aries Pensions System is the foundation of the pensions technical support service now used by over 100 organisations throughout the industry: consultants, administrators, life offices, pension funds and specialist providers. Other Aries solutions include SIPP and SMPI illustration programs and a technical training course for pensions on divorce.

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