**Executive Bio**

**Scott Shellady – Founder and Managing Partner – The Cow Guy Group**

 **Managing Director/Chief Compliance Officer - TJM Europe LLP**

 **Adjunct Professor of Finance - DePaul University**

 **Frequent Television Contributor - Fox News, CNBC, CNN and BBC News**

**Mr. Shellady has a strong range of technical and trade experience in commodities, equities and financial products in the three main geographies of The Americas, Europe and Asia.**

**From 1990 to 1993, after graduating with a finance degree from the University of Colorado in 1988, Mr. Shellady was the European Managing Partner of *Prime International Trading London*, a proprietary options trading group based out of Chicago. He built the group up to one of the largest options proprietary trading firms on the London International Financial Futures Exchange (LIFFE) and was responsible for all aspects of firm management, from risk controls to regulatory reports.**

**In 1993, Mr. Shellady built a similar group for *Muirpace Ltd*. as a board member and Director, which was sold and merged into Speer Leeds Kellogg in 1995. Mr. Shellady was then retained by *Deutsche Bank AG* as an Associate Director Level 3 to revitalize all of their options execution on the floors of London and any exchange staffed by Deutsche personnel in Europe.**

**In 1998, Mr. Shellady was hired by *The Industrial Bank of Japan – Aubrey G. Lanston Futures (now Mizuho)* to become the Managing Director of their London futures operations overseeing all aspects of the futures division of a large triple A rated, international Japanese investment bank.**

**During this same period, Mr. Shellady was helping to get *patsystems plc* off the ground as a technology company for electronic futures trading. Mr. Shellady was the first shareholder after the founder and committed time and resource from 1996 to 2000 when he was named Chief Operating Officer for a listing in March of 2000 on the London Stock Exchange raising over $100 million US Dollars leading to an over $400 million market cap.**

**After an initial 12 years in London, Mr. Shellady returned to Chicago to run an agricultural family futures and options execution business that was started nearly 50 years ago.**

**Currently, Mr. Shellady is back from another 2.5-year stint in London where he was most recently the Managing Director and Chief Compliance Officer of *TJM Europe*. He now represents his new group – *The Cow Guy Group* in Chicago in a joint venture with TJM - where he can frequently be seen wearing his trademark ‘Cow Jacket’ on CNBC, Bloomberg, CNN and Fox Business News. Mr. Shellady is excited in getting back to his roots, servicing America’s agricultural needs.**

**Mr. Shellady is still active in Shellady Farms, an ongoing family concern near Galena, Illinois and currently resides in the Chicagoland area. He is a citizen of both the U.S. and the European Union (U.K.).**

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