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Hillberg Joins AgIS Capital Team

To Serve as VP of Operations for AM Property Services

September 1, 2016: Announcement by Jeffrey A. Conrad, President and Founder

I am very pleased to announce that Jeff Hillberg has joined the AgIS Capital team in the newly created role of Vice President of Operations for AM Property Services LLC, AgIS Capital's property management group. Jeff will be based in California and will have property management responsibilities for our growing investment portfolio, which is adding land and operating assets in major agricultural production regions across the United States.

Jeff joins us from the Hancock Farmland Services Inc., which was previously known as Farmland Management Services and where he served most recently as chief financial officer. During his tenure with Hancock, Jeff prepared financial statements, sourced farmland acquisitions, managed due diligence processes, directed the operation of investment properties, marketed crops and developed risk management policies and procedures.

We are excited to have Jeff join us in this newly created role because he has a strong background in the farmland management sector and a versatile skill set – both of which are sure to enhance our organizational capabilities. Members of the AgIS Capital team have worked with Jeff in the past and we are confident of his ability to make a substantial contribution to our efforts as we continue to grow the firm and strive to create and capture value for our clients.

Jeff holds a BA in Political Science from the University of California, Santa Barbara and a MS in Finance from Indiana University.

About AgIS Capital LLC:

AgIS Capital is a Boston-based private equity firm that invests in farmland and agricultural operating companies. The principals of the firm have decades of experience in the farmland investment sector and have completed billions of dollars of transactions during the last 20-plus years. The firm focuses on \$10 to \$100 million transactions in the United States and other mature markets. For further information, please visit the firm's web site at <u>www.agiscapital.com</u>.