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FCCI Names New Assistant Vice President in Its Gulf Coast Region

SARASOTA, Fla. – September 5, 2012 – Sarasota-based property and casualty insurer FCCI Insurance Group (FCCI) has promoted an internal candidate to assistant vice president of its Gulf Coast Regional Office located in Ridgeland, Miss. Noble previously held the position of director of underwriting for FCCI’s Florida Region, and his experience spans both the agent and carrier sides of the insurance industry.

“We’re delighted to have Mike in the Gulf Coast,” says Tom Quaka, FCCI senior vice president, Gulf Coast Region. “Mike’s strong underwriting skills, prior experience with major carriers and ability to create and maintain agency relationships will positively serve our growing and dynamic mid-South business strategy.”

Noble’s consistent demonstration of the relationship-focused culture at FCCI and his understanding of what agents and policyholders need from a carrier were factors in the promotion.

Noble began his career with his family’s insurance agency in Missouri, where he worked as an agent for 12 years. He transitioned into underwriting with The St. Paul, then into marketing and underwriting management with Amerisure. In 2009, he joined FCCI as underwriting manager for the Tampa area, and he moved into the director of underwriting position earlier this year.

“I’m grateful to FCCI for the opportunity to take a leadership role with the growing Gulf Coast Region,” says Noble. “I look forward to working closely with our current agency partners in Mississippi and Alabama and to forming new agency relationships as we expand the region.”

FCCI provides automobile, crime, general liability, inland marine, property, commercial and contract surety, umbrella, workers’ compensation and agribusiness/farmowners insurance coverage to more than 23,000 business insurance customers. In operation for 53 years, FCCI is committed to carefully planned growth while providing financial strength and dependability for agents and policyholders.

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About FCCI – Founded in 1959 and working exclusively through independent agents, FCCI provides commercial property and casualty insurance to more than 17,400 policyholders and commercial and contract surety to more than 9,400 bonded principals in 15 states. Rated A- (Excellent) with a Positive outlook by A.M. Best Company, FCCI is headquartered in Sarasota, Fla. and has regional offices in Sarasota; Duluth, Ga.; Carmel, Ind.; Ridgeland, Miss.; and Richardson, Texas. FCCI also has a branch office in Lake Mary, Fla. For more information, please call 1-800-226-3224 or visit www.fcci-group.com.



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FCCI Gulf Coast Regional Office in Ridgeland, Miss.