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Weaver Names Two New Partners-in-Charge Within the Alternative Investment Practice

HOUSTON, TEXAS (October 12, 2021) –Weaver, the 35th largest public accounting and advisory firm in the United States, is pleased to announce the promotion of Sindhu Rajesh, CPA, CFE, and Rebekah (Becky) Reeder, CPA, to Partners-in-Charge of the firm's growing Alternative Investment Funds practice.

Rajesh, based in the firm's Los Angeles office, has more than 20 years of experience extensively focused on assurance and consulting services for private equity, venture capital and real estate funds. Having joined Weaver in 2015, she assists clients in organizational structure, accounting and operational matters, and has been instrumental in leading growth along the West Coast and across the country. She has a practice specialty in a variety of closed-end funds as well as hedge funds, funds of funds and registered investment advisers.

Reeder, who began her career at Weaver more than 16 years ago, works with a range of clients from single fund start-ups to multi-billion dollar, multi-entity complexes. Located in Weaver's Dallas office, she focuses on assurance services for investment funds including hedge, private equity and venture capital funds, broker-dealers, and financial institutions. Reeder's knowledge across alternatives and involvement in the industry has helped expand the firm's alternative investments practice in the Southwest.

"Our team currently serves more than 2,300 investment funds domiciled in the U.S. and offshore, and we continue to see rapid growth across our offices coast-to-coast," said Kevin Sanford, CPA, National Strategy Leader, Financial Services. "The promotion of Sindhu and Becky is a significant benefit to our existing and new clients, and a testament of our dedication to serving all sectors within the industry."

Rajesh is a certified fraud examiner and a certified public accountant registered in the State of California. A graduate of Bombay University, she is a member of the California Society

of CPAs and the Association of Certified Fraud Examiners. Reeder, a certified public accountant in the State of Texas, is a member of the Texas Society of CPAs and the Texas Alternative Investment Association. She currently serves on the board of Texas Wall Street Women, a not-for-profit peer network of professional women in the finance industry. She is an alumna of Hardin-Simmons University.

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From Fortune 500 multinational companies to start-ups, Weaver's clients include commercial, government and not-for-profit organizations. The firm is particularly well-known in financial services, energy, manufacturing and distribution, construction, technology, real estate, health care and government. Weaver's services go beyond traditional assurance and tax services to include risk advisory, IT advisory, energy compliance and consulting, forensics and litigation services, transaction advisory, valuation, CFO advisory, and specialty tax services such as international tax, state and local tax and private client services. Learn more at www.weaver.com.