LOOMIS SAYLES ADDS DIRECTOR OF US RELATIONSHIP MANAGEMENT

- Industry veteran Ken Johnson returns in new role
- Firm expands global relationship management focus under James Sia

BOSTON (20 JULY 2022) – Loomis, Sayles & Company is delighted to announce that Ken Johnson has rejoined Loomis Sayles as director of US relationship management, as of 5 July 2022. This move marks the firm's latest step toward increasing its capacity to act as a trusted advisor to individual clients as well as further enhancing the end-to-end client experience across all client types globally.

In this new role, Ken reports to James Sia, director of global relationship management. Jim will continue his focus on non-US relationships as well as overseeing the firm's senior relationship managers in the public, corporate, and endowment and foundation channels. Ken will lead the firm's US-based relationship managers and assume coverage for several institutional client accounts. Ken and Jim will also lead several initiatives that enhance the client experience globally.

"We are thrilled to welcome a professional of Ken's caliber back to Loomis Sayles," said Maurice Leger, director of global institutional services. "Ken has earned a sterling reputation in the industry for client commitment. We are confident he will continue the excellent work Jim Sia has done to hone Loomis Sayles' US-based relationship management team, enabling Jim to focus on expanding our global RM footprint to meet growing client needs."

Ken brings over three decades of industry experience to his role. Most recently, he was with IR+M, where he was a senior client portfolio manager. Ken first joined Loomis Sayles in 2000 as a fixed income client portfolio manager and was later promoted to associate director of client service and a member of the public funds relationship management team. In 2013, he joined product management as the investment director for the firm's full discretion team.

Previously, Ken worked for Investment Counselors Incorporated (ICI), where he was responsible for business development, client service and consultant relations. He began his career at Edward Jones as a registered representative. Ken attended Truman State University and earned an MBA from Fontbonne College.

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ABOUT LOOMIS SAYLES

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**Includes the assets of both Loomis, Sayles & Co., LP, and Loomis Sayles Trust Company, LLC. ($34.8 billion for the Loomis Sayles Trust Company). Loomis Sayles Trust Company is a wholly owned subsidiary of Loomis, Sayles & Company, L.P.*