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**COMPACT MEDIA GROUP BOOSTS MANAGEMENT TEAM WITH
WARREN NEWBERT AS FINANCE DIRECTOR**

Compact Media Group has today announced the appointment of former BBC Studios & Post Productions' Commercial and Finance Director **Warren Newbert** as Finance Director. He will join the team on April 11th.

Warren's experience working within media services companies spans more than a decade and he has a proven track record in building and growing businesses. He joins Compact from BBC Studios and Post Production Limited – a commercial subsidiary of the BBC responsible for the operation of studio facilities at BBC Television Centre and Elstree – where he was Commercial and Finance Director.

Prior to joining the BBC in 2009, Warren was CFO at Gravity Media Group, an outside broadcast company, that itself completed an MBO out of a listed plc. Warren trained with Grant Thornton and spent four years with the corporate finance practice advising a number of entrepreneurial businesses on acquisitions, disposals and fund raising.

Richard Green, Executive Chairman, Compact Media Group, says: "We are delighted to welcome Warren to the team. Warren brings real experience in putting in place the building blocks to enable businesses to grow and expand and his strong financial skills are complimented by commercial know-how."

Warren Newbert, newly appointed Finance Director, Compact Media Group, adds: "I am very excited at the prospect of working with Richard, John O'Sullivan (CEO) and the team at Compact as they enter a major new chapter of their business. Compact's reputation and measurable success on behalf of its clients is an ideal foundation to build upon for future growth and I look forward to meshing my expertise with the company's vision."

The appointment closely follows significant successes recorded in 2010 by Compact. The company increased its Q4 collections by 11% on behalf of its clients, with nearly 20% growth year-on-year. Recent signings include Zodiak Rights, Hartwood Films, ARTE France & Kiddinx Studios

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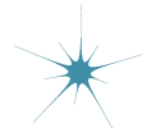
Compact Media Group was established in 1996 and is now in its 15th year of operation. As the leading independent collection agent on behalf of audio-visual secondary television rights, the company represents over 160,000 works from more than 350 international clients.

Notable clients include BBC Worldwide, ITV Global Entertainment, Scottish Media Group, Icon, FremantleMedia, Channel 4, Discovery Communications, National Geographic, Echo Bridge and several of

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the UK's largest independent producers, ALL3MEDIA, Shed and Hat Trick. Recent signings include Zodiac Rights, Hartwood Films, ARTE France & Kiddinx Studios.

Retransmission revenues applies to all territories where appropriate cable (and satellite in some cases) legal frameworks exist – mainly Europe, Australasia and the US. However these mechanisms do not apply in the UK, which means UK cable (or satellite) broadcasters are exempt from compensating rights holders when they re-transmit an original broadcast signal.

In addition to the core business, Compact has evolved to include Collection Account Management (CAM) services and Music IP rights collection (Compact Music Services) on behalf of their international client base. Compact Capital looks to acquire IP catalogues across the breadth of the creative industries.

Compact Media Group is based in London with offices in Los Angeles, Amsterdam, Sydney & Paris. In November 2010 Compact completed a management buy-out and announced new partners in the form of Lyceum Capital.

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