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CareCap Adds Kubota and Weisfield to Board of Advisors

BELLEVUE, Wash. – CareCap, the company behind a new cloud-based platform that enables any business to offer flexible merchant provided payment plans to its customers, today announced the addition of Dr. Ryo Kubota and Mr. Bill Weisfield to its board of advisors.

“As chairman, CEO and president of Acucela, an international Ophthalmic company that he founded and took public on the Tokyo Stock Exchange, Dr Kubota has enormous experience that is invaluable to CareCap as we grow,” said CareCap President and CEO Nevil Hermer. “In Mr. Weisfield, it would be difficult to find a more successful, experienced and creative executive – someone who has turned around the family jewelry company as well as run a successful asset advisory company along with operating at the C-level in multiple companies.”

Ryo is currently chairman, president and CEO of Seattle-based Acucela, a Seattle-based ophthalmic company focused on developing therapies for sight-threatening eye diseases. Since founding the company in 2002, he’s taken the company public on the Tokyo Stock Exchange and has raised more than \$400 million and forged key strategic partnerships worldwide. A world-renowned ophthalmologist and scientist, he’s performed more than 1,000 ocular surgeries and is a recipient of the Suda Award for his contributions to the field of neurodegenerative retinal diseases. Earlier in his career, he performed ocular research at Keio University, where he earned his M.D. and Ph. D.

Bill is currently principal at Elliott Bay Asset Solutions in Seattle, a consultancy that provides integrated solutions to complex real estate and business challenges. During his 40 years in business, he’s served as president and CEO of multiple companies, managed shopping centers, raw land, a corporate industrial park, restaurants and a publicly-traded company with over 100 retail stores. A former chair of the Federal Home

Loan Bank of Seattle, he is currently chairman of the advisory board for The Bank of Montréal. He also currently serves as advisory director of Lindal Cedar Homes and Bayley Construction Company and is on the Downtown Seattle Association's board of directors. Bill earned his undergraduate and law degrees at the University of Washington.

About CareCap

Founded in 2013, CareCap is the company behind a new cloud-based payment platform that makes it easy for businesses to offer flexible Merchant Provided Financing to their customers. The privately-held company is based in Bellevue, Wash. and currently serves more than 500 merchants and their customers. More information on the company and its cloud-based payment platform can be viewed online at www.carecap.com

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