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Suffolk Life sponsors Institute of Financial Planning (IFP)

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Suffolk Life, one of the UK's leading providers and administrators of specialist pension products, particularly SIPPs, is pleased to announce that it will be sponsoring the Institute of Financial Planning (IFP). IFP is the UK's leading professional body for those committed to the development of the multi-disciplined profession of financial planning.

John Moret, director of sales and marketing for Suffolk Life said: "Suffolk Life is a strong advocate of the profession and practice of financial planning. In the current climate, with individuals not saving enough for retirement it is crucial to support any initiative that promotes education, awareness and the need for financial planning.

He continued: "We are delighted to be associated with The IFP, they organise excellent events such as the IFP Forum for Success, to be held 19 - 20 October 2005, where leading practitioners join to discuss and shape the future of the financial planning profession in the UK."

Nick Cann, chief executive for the IFP said: "We are delighted to welcome Suffolk Life as new sponsors of the Institute. With the advent of A Day it is important that IFP members get access to as much professional support and service as possible to prepare their clients for the opportunities that are arising. The Institute has a long association with John Moret, a recognised authority in the SIPP and retirement planning market and we look forward to a long and fruitful relationship with him and his team"

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Notes to Editors

About Suffolk Life

Suffolk Life is one of the UK's leading providers and administrators of specialist pension products, primarily Self Invested Personal Pensions (SIPPs). It currently administers over 5000 SIPPs with aggregated assets worth over £1 billion. Suffolk Life has acquired properties for over 900 policyholders.

Established in 1971 and based in Ipswich, Suffolk Life employs over 90 people and has built an enviable reputation based on providing excellent service and good value to intermediaries and customers.

Its expertise and reputation for service quality has been recognised through a number of awards including the Pensions Management Administration and Service Award in 2002, 2003 and 2004, the Pensions Management Commendation in 2005, the Professional Pensions Service and Administration Award 2005, the Money Facts Best SIPP product 2005 and the Investor's Chronicle Best Buy recommendation in 2005. Its success has led to rapid growth, which is expected to continue with the expansion of the SIPP market.

Further details are available by visiting the Suffolk Life website:
www.suffolklife.co.uk