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News Release

Kids First Fund Elects Douglas Mullen, of Airlines for America, to Board of Directors

Shorewood, Wisconsin (November 13, 2014) – Douglas Mullen has been named a vice president of the board of directors and will provide legal counsel to The Kids First Fund. Doug is the Assistant General Counsel for Airlines for America, which is one of the world's premier airline trade associations.

Based in Washington DC, he provides legal counsel to member airlines (which includes Alaska, American, Atlas Air, Delta, Federal Express, Hawaiian, JetBlue, Southwest, UPS, and United) on compliance issues for international and domestic regulatory matters. Doug manages industry litigation in foreign, US Federal, and state venues. He represents the airline industry at conferences and meetings. Prior to this he worked for the US Federal Aviation Administration and the US Department of Commerce. Doug is a doctoral graduate of the Columbus School of Law at the Catholic University of America. He received his master's degree from American University and bachelor's from Bridgewater State College.

"I'm pleased to welcome Doug to the Board. He will provide essential legal services to the Fund and is eager to work to advance our goals," said Kids First Fund Board President Jay Sorensen. "Doug strongly believes that there is nothing more important than protecting and nurturing children and is thrilled to have the opportunity to help kids in countries with limited resources."

"I am honored to have the opportunity to have a role in preventing child abuse and helping children who have been abused or abandoned. I have always felt a connection with Eastern Europe and in particular, the Republic of Moldova. I am looking forward seeing the work we accomplish there."

About the Kids First Fund. The Kids First Fund helps abused and abandoned children. We protect children from abuse. We empower young adults with a positive future. We strengthen families. We build awareness of child abuse. We operate in countries where resources are very limited. Current projects provide support for children in the democratic republic of Latvia located on the Baltic Sea. The Kids First Fund supports programs to educate child welfare professionals such as police officers, judges, social workers and prosecutors on child abuse issues. Direct assistance is also provided to centers providing care for abused children. The Kids First Fund is a very efficient non-profit organization and does not incur any expenses since all staffing and services are donated. Learn more at www.KidsFirstFund.org.

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