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## TigerRisk Appoints James F. Dowd to Develop International Markets

Founder of Odyssey Re joins long list of industry luminaries at fast-growing broker

STAMFORD, Conn.--(BUSINESS WIRE)--June 10, 2013--

TigerRisk Partners, the reinsurance broking and risk/capital management firm, today announced that James F. Dowd, one of the founders of Odyssey Re, will lead TigerRisk's expansion into international markets.

"Jim will bring to TigerRisk his 40 plus years experience in all facets of the insurance/reinsurance industry," said Rod Fox, CEO. "He will lead the initiative to expand our international footprint, at first in Asia, and subsequently into other regions of the world. He will also assist our team in business development, as well as deliver advisory services to clients and prospects."

Until recently, Mr. Dowd served as Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer of Fairfax Asia, a role in which he and his team extensively expanded Fairfax' non-life insurance activities in Asia.

Mr. Dowd began his insurance industry career in 1971 as general counsel at Skandia America Group where he ultimately became CEO in 1984. From 1993 to 1995 he was Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of Willis Re. However, he is probably best known as one of the founders of Odyssey Re, a highly successful reinsurance company which today is an important element of the Fairfax organization.

"I've known and respected TigerRisk's founders Jim Stanard and Rod Fox for a long time," said Mr. Dowd. "The progress they've made in just five years has been extraordinary. TigerRisk offers a fresh perspective and clear voice within the industry. The quality of its people is extraordinary. The idea of joining such a dynamic company is very exciting."

TigerRisk Partners is a privately held reinsurance broker and risk/capital management advisor founded in 2008 by Jim Stanard, founder and former CEO of Renaissance Re, and Rod Fox, former CEO of the U.S. operations of Benfield. TigerRisk is based in Stamford, CT., with offices in Minneapolis, Chicago, Atlanta, Raleigh, Dallas and London. For more information visit [TigerRisk.com](http://TigerRisk.com).

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