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NEI INVESTMENTS LAUNCHES SEVEN NEW CORPORATE CLASS FUNDS TO STRENGTHEN ITS PRODUCT LINE-UP

November 16, 2011 TORONTO - NEI Investments ("NEI") today announced the expansion of its corporate class investment line-up with the addition of three stand alone funds and four Northwest Select Portfolios. NEI also announced the addition of Series F to all 18 corporate class investments and Series T to seven investments within the corporate class suite. The new fund additions are as follows:

NEI Income Corporate Class (Series A, Series F, Series T)
Northwest Specialty Global High Yield Bond Corporate Class (Series A, Series F, Series T)
Northwest Tactical Yield Corporate Class (Series A, Series F, Series T)
Northwest Select Conservative Corporate Class Portfolio (Series A, Series F, Series T)
Northwest Select Canadian Balanced Corporate Class Portfolio (Series A, Series F, Series T)
Northwest Select Canadian Growth Corporate Class Portfolio (Series A, Series F)
Northwest Select Global Balanced Corporate Class Portfolio (Series A, Series F, Series T)

A Series T option will also be added to the existing Northwest Growth and Income Corporate Class.

Series T options have been introduced to meet growing market demand for tax efficient cash flow solutions. The addition further strengthens NEI's already wide-ranging lineup of cash flow generating investments.

ABOUT NEI INVESTMENTS

NEI Investments is a national investment firm with approximately \$5 billion in assets under management. It offers Canadian retail investors unique access to top independent money managers through high quality investment solutions in two fund families, Northwest Funds and Ethical Funds. Its products provide investors with a full range of investment management styles as well as conventional and socially responsible investment choices.

NEI Investments is owned 50% by the Provincial Credit Union Centrals and 50% by Desjardins Group, united in their focus to strengthen and serve the cooperative financial movement across Canada. This backing of experience and resources allows NEI Investments to actively support business growth in these networks as well as independent advisor channels.

NEI Investments has offices in Toronto, Vancouver and Montreal.

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