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Financial Crisis Inquiry Commission Identifies Publisher for Final Report

(Washington, DC) – The Financial Crisis Inquiry Commission has selected Little, Brown and Company as the authorized publisher of its final report. Little, Brown and Company will produce the authorized edition of the report, distributing it to bookstores nationwide, and will also distribute the digital version of the report to online retailers.

The Commission's findings and conclusions are to be presented to Congress and the President by December 15, 2010.

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About the Financial Crisis Inquiry Commission (FCIC)

The bi-partisan 10-member Financial Crisis Inquiry Commission was created by Congress and is charged with examining the causes of the financial meltdown. It is also examining causes of the collapse of major financial institutions that failed or would likely have failed had they not received exceptional government assistance. As part of its inquiry, the Commission will hold a series of public hearings throughout the year including, but not limited to, the following topics: complex financial derivatives, credit rating agencies, government-sponsored enterprises, the shadow banking system, subprime lending practices and securitization, and too big to fail. The Commission is comprised of Chairman Phil Angelides, Vice Chairman Bill Thomas, and Commissioners Brooksley Born, Byron Georgiou, Robert Graham, Keith Hennessey, Doug Holtz-Eakin, Heather Murren, John W. Thompson, and Peter Wallison. Findings and conclusions are to be presented in a formal report to Congress and the President by December 15, 2010. For more, visit <u>FCIC.gov</u>.