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## ASX Release

### APPOINTMENT OF CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

8 September 2009 – The Board of Hamilton James & Bruce Group Limited (HJB) is pleased to announce the appointment of Mr. Robin Jerome to the role of Chief Executive Officer, effective 8<sup>th</sup> September 2009.

In addition to his role as Chief Executive Officer of HJB, Mr. Jerome will continue as Managing Director of Charterhouse Pte Ltd (Charterhouse).

Mr. Jerome's appointment to the role of Chief Executive Officer of HJB follows Charterhouse's announcement, dated 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2009, that their takeover bid for HJB had been declared unconditional. Charterhouse owns a 59.19% stake in the Company.

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Hamilton James & Bruce is an acknowledged leader in the Australian recruitment industry. Having placed thousands of people in the financial, government and no for profit sectors since our inception in 1979, we have forged an enviable reputation as the recruitment company that gets it right.

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