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Chicago, IL – November 10, 2011 – The Retirement Board of the Municipal Employees' Annuity and Benefit Fund of Chicago has hired Michael Walsh as Chief Investment Officer. Currently, Mike is Deputy City Treasurer of the City of Chicago and has also worked closely with the Fund over the years on behalf of the Treasurer's Office. Mike brings ten years of government finance experience, holds an M.B.A. from the Kellogg Graduate School of Management and is a CFA Level III candidate. Retirement Board President, Tim Guest stated, "With Mike's experience, he will become an immediate asset to the Retirement Board and the Fund's members". Mike replaces Jim Mohler, who was recently promoted to Executive Director of the Fund.

Mike is scheduled to join the Fund at the beginning of 2012.

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