



News Release

Winston-Salem, NC—January 13, 2005—J. Gilmour Lake, Founder, Owner and President of Computer Credit, Inc., (CCI) has announced that Elisabeth “Beth” Barksdale has been named president of the healthcare-focused collection agency, based in Winston-Salem, NC. Ms. Barksdale has served as CCI’s Vice President of Sales and Client Services since 2001. Ms. Barksdale began her career at CCI in 1989 as a Client Services trainee.

Mr. Lake will continue to serve as Chief Executive Officer at CCI. The management change has been made in preparation of the establishment of an Employee Stock Ownership Plan (ESOP). Additionally, Ty Carson has been promoted to Vice President of Sales and Client Services.

“Obviously, I have a lot of confidence in Beth and believe she will lead CCI to heights I never imagined. Beth and I both believe strongly in providing our customers great value, being very responsive to customers’ needs, and in the importance of providing a positive and challenging work environment for qualified, committed employees,” explains Mr. Lake.



Ms. Barksdale is a 1989 graduate of Salem College. She is an active member of the Healthcare Financial Management Association (HFMA); Salem College Alumni Association, Humane Society of United States (HSUS); Piedmont Craftsmen; and the Sawtooth Center. Additionally, Ms. Barksdale is a member of the American Saddlebred Association of the Carolinas and the United States Trotting Association and competes nationally as an amateur rider.

CCI, a privately owned company, was founded in Winston-Salem in 1972 and entered the collection agency industry by serving local physicians with a low cost, effective solution for collecting patient accounts. In the 1980’s, CCI’s business dramatically changed after forming partnerships with three leading providers of healthcare information systems for hospitals, MEDITECH, McKesson Information Solutions and Siemens Medical Solutions, and developed interfaces with each company’s patient accounting system products. Today, CCI is a premier provider of integrated collection services to hospitals nationwide.

This year CCI will launch MD-COLLECT™ as an internet based solution to again serve the physician community.

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