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## PRESS RELEASE

### **Amalgamated Life Insurance Company Announces James R. Bryant as Worksite Sales Executive, West Coast Region**

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Amalgamated Life Insurance Company (White Plains, NY), a leading provider of insurance solutions including group life, disability, a full suite of worksite products and medical stop loss, reported today that James R. Bryant has joined the Company as a Worksite Sales Executive serving the West Coast Region. Bryant brings 20 years of experience and a proven track record in effective insurance and employee benefits sales and broker relations.

According to Amalgamated Life Executive Vice President John Thornton, “Jim is an excellent addition to our growing Worksite Group, leveraging an extensive background providing vital coverage to a wide range of individuals and organizations. His in-depth knowledge of diverse worksite products, along with his strong broker relationships will be extremely valuable to our customer base and our organization.”

Directly prior to joining Amalgamated Life, Bryant was the Regional Director of Allstate Benefits, where he effectively managed the Arizona and Nevada territories, creating new broker partnerships in key cities including Phoenix and Las Vegas.

Bryant’s career also included his role as Senior Regional Manager with American United Life, where he earned the distinction of writing more lines of coverage in a two-year period than the combined previous five years. He began his career as a Claims Analyst at Fortis Benefits.

Bryant holds a Masters in Business Administration (MBA) from Baker University and a Bachelor of Science (BS) in Business Management from Central Missouri State University.

He resides in Gilbert, Arizona.

#### **More about Amalgamated Life Insurance Company**

Amalgamated Life is a leading provider of comprehensive insurance solutions. Founded in 1943, Amalgamated Life has a long history of serving diverse businesses, unions, and health and welfare funds. In 2014, the Company earned its 39<sup>th</sup> consecutive “A” (Excellent) Rating from A.M. Best Company. Amalgamated Life is a member of the Amalgamated Family of Companies which include: Amalgamated Agency, a property and casualty brokerage; AliCare, a third-party administrator; AliCare Medical Management, a medical care management firm; AliComp, a mainframe outsourcing and Information Technology solutions provider; and AliGraphics, a full-service printing and mailing company. For more information, visit:

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