

Fidessa's Sentinel voted Best Asset Management Solution at Compliance Register Awards

London, 5th December 2012 – Fidessa group plc (LSE: FDSA) today announced that Sentinel, its buy-side compliance product, has been named Best Asset Management Solution at the Compliance Register Platinum Awards. The awards, which recognise exemplary service to compliance and regulation, are decided via a rigorous process of independent nominations, a vote conducted among the members of the Academy of Compliance Excellence and finally agreed by a panel of expert judges.

Fidessa's powerful compliance solution, Sentinel, includes a real-time engine that keeps pace with regulations through built-in rules for all major jurisdictions. Fully integrated with Fidessa's portfolio and order management systems, and covering the key regulations that are affecting buy-side trading and compliance workflows, Sentinel allows users to seamlessly add compliance into their decision making process.

Commenting on the award win, Robin Strong, Director of Buy-side Strategy at Fidessa, said: "With investment managers increasingly juggling the demands of regulators with the needs of their clients, we're committed to providing the best possible solutions to meet their requirements, particularly in these cost-conscious times. It is rewarding to know that this commitment, and our sustained investment in the product, has been acknowledged with this award, cementing Sentinel's position as the industry's choice for buy-side compliance."

Fidessa's Sentinel is available as a fully hosted and managed service, as well as an enterprise model. In addition to hosting and day-to-day operation of the system, the service delivery model offers new scope to reduce operational costs by taking responsibility for rule coding, regulatory updates, data management, list maintenance and platform upgrades.

The award was presented at The Compliance Register Platinum Awards ceremony held in London on 29th November.

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About Fidessa group

Exceptional trading, investment and information solutions for the world's financial community.

New technology, new regulation, new challenges: making money in today's financial markets is all about staying ahead of the curve. Having the capability to spot new trends and act fast turns change into opportunity. That's why 85% of the world's premier financial institutions trust Fidessa to provide them with their multi-asset trading and investment infrastructure, their market data and analysis, and their decision making and workflow technology. It's also why \$10 trillion worth of transactions flow across our global network each year. Because we're the market leader, we can also offer unique access to the world's largest and most valuable trading community of buy-side and sell-side professionals, from global institutions and investment banks to boutique brokers and niche hedge funds.

Fidessa is a global business with scale, resilience, ambition and expertise. We've delivered around 30% compound growth since our stock market listing in 1997 and we're recognised as the thought leader in our space. We set the benchmark with our unrivalled set of mission-critical products and services and, uniquely, serve both the buy-side and sell-side communities. Ongoing investment in our leading-edge, integrated solutions ensures Fidessa remains the industry's number one choice.

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