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EMPIRE VALUATION CONSULTANTS WELCOMES FEDERICO AZPIAZU, CFA, AS MANAGING DIRECTOR

Seasoned valuation professional strengthens Empire's Portfolio Valuation practice

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New York, NY – September 1, 2026 – Empire Valuation Consultants is pleased to announce that Federico Azpiazu, CFA, has joined the firm as a Managing Director in its Portfolio Valuation practice.

Federico brings two decades of experience specializing in illiquid securities and alternative investments. He has advised private equity firms, hedge funds, business development companies and other alternative asset managers on complex equity and debt positions across a broad range of industries.

His work spans private equity interests, illiquid loans, subordinated and mezzanine debt, derivative securities and other complex investments. He has supported clients in connection with financial reporting, strategic planning, mergers and acquisitions, corporate restructurings and tax planning.

Prior to joining Empire, Federico served as a Director in Kroll's Portfolio Valuation practice in New York. Earlier in his career, he held valuation roles at Deloitte and Navigant Capital Advisors, working with alternative asset managers and corporate clients on portfolio and other complex valuation engagements.

"We are excited to welcome Federico to Empire," said Mark Shayne, ASA, CPA, ABV, CGMA, Senior Managing Director. "His background and technical expertise will be a valuable addition to our Portfolio Valuation team as we continue to expand the depth of resources we provide to our clients."

Federico holds the Chartered Financial Analyst (CFA) designation. He earned a Master of Science in Finance from The George Washington University and a B.A. in Economics from Universidad Católica Argentina.

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Empire Valuation Consultants has grown into one of the nation's leading and most respected independent valuation consulting firms, preparing 45,000 valuations and assurance engagements over our 38-year history. Our wealth of valuation experience includes nearly every industry and type of investment (equity, debt, real estate-backed assets, intellectual property and intangible assets), offering clients well-balanced valuations that are specifically tailored to each situation. The success of our refined valuation process is reflected in the firm's reputation in the marketplace. Time and again, asset managers, accountants, attorneys and bankers turn to us for timely, defendable, and comprehensible valuation work.

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