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**MERIDIAN REAL ESTATE, LLC HAS BEEN HIRED TO REPRESENT
OLD NATIONAL BANK, INDIANAPOLIS**

(INDIANAPOLIS) – Meridian Real Estate, LLC's Jeffrey S. Harris, SIOR has been selected to represent Old National Bank in its lease negotiations for its Indianapolis office requirements.

Founded in 1834 in Evansville, Ind., Old National is the largest financial institution headquartered in the Hoosier state. With total assets of \$8.0 billion, more than 170 banking centers and 3,000-plus associates in Indiana, Kentucky and Illinois, Old National approaches each client relationship with the passion and individual attention that has made the company a community banking leader for 175 years.

Old National Bank meets the regulatory definition of "well-capitalized" and was rated the 28th top performing bank in the nation for 2008 by Bank Director magazine. A top-50 agribusiness lender, Old National has no sub-prime mortgage business and is committed to sound, conservative community banking and lending. In addition to retail and commercial banking, Old National provides investment, wealth management and cash management services, and owns one of the largest independent insurance agencies headquartered in Indiana.

An active participant and leader in the communities it serves, Old National awarded nearly \$1 million in grants through its Foundation in 2008, while also leading the way, through sponsorship funding and partnership efforts, on hundreds of community initiatives. In addition, employees donated more than 45,000 volunteer hours in 2008 in support of 1,500-plus community organizations.

Meridian Real Estate, LLC is consistently one of the leading commercial real estate firms in Indiana. The company specializes in office, industrial and land brokerage and consulting. Meridian Real Estate is home to many of Indianapolis' top real estate professionals. Meridian is also recognized by many as the leading Indianapolis provider of tenant representation, landlord advisory services, investment property sales, and project management services.

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