# **Jefferies**

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# JEFFERIES REPORTS FOURTH QUARTER AND 2012 FISCAL YEAR FINANCIAL RESULTS

NEW YORK and LONDON, December 18, 2012 – Jefferies Group, Inc. (NYSE: JEF) announced today financial results for its fiscal fourth quarter and year ended November 30, 2012.

Highlights for the three months ended November 30, 2012, versus the three months ended November 30, 2011:

- Net revenues of \$769 million, versus \$554 million
- Net earnings to common shareholders of \$72 million (\$81 million on a non-GAAP basis after excluding Hurricane Sandy relief donation, Leucadia merger costs and certain historical-related items [1]), versus \$48 million (\$39 million on a non-GAAP basis after excluding certain items [2])
- Net earnings per common share of \$0.31 (\$0.35 on a non-GAAP basis after excluding Hurricane Sandy relief donation, Leucadia merger costs and certain historical-related items [1]), versus \$0.21 (\$0.17 on a non-GAAP basis after excluding certain items [2])
- Investment Banking net revenues of \$283 million, up 8%, versus \$261 million
- Fixed Income net revenues more than doubled to \$293 million, versus \$141 million

Highlights for the year ended November 30, 2012, versus the year ended November 30, 2011:

- Record fiscal year net revenues of \$2,999 million, up 18%, versus \$2,549 million
- Net earnings to common shareholders of \$282 million (\$302 million on a non-GAAP basis after excluding certain items [1][3]), versus \$285 million (\$232 million on a non-GAAP basis after excluding certain items [2][4])
- Net earnings per common share of \$1.22 (\$1.31 on a non-GAAP basis after excluding certain items [1][3]), versus \$1.28 (\$1.04 on a non-GAAP basis after excluding certain items [2][4])
- Fixed Income net revenues of \$1,190 million, up 66%, versus \$715 million
- Investment Banking net revenues of \$1,126 million versus \$1,123 million

"2013 will mark the beginning of a new era for Jefferies. We believe our imminent merger with Leucadia will result in an even stronger Jefferies, as well as making us even more distinguished from our bank holding company competitors. The traditional, entrepreneurial Wall Street model has served us well historically and we believe this will continue to be an advantage into the future. Combining our company with an extremely well-capitalized parent will allow us to continue to aggressively add value to our clients. Our 3,804 employee partners look forward to working our hardest on behalf of Leucadia shareholders while protecting both of our collective bondholders."

A conference call with management discussion of these financial results will be held today, Tuesday, December 18, 2012, at 9:00 AM Eastern (date and time subject to change). Investors and securities industry professionals may access the management discussion by calling 877-710-9938 or 702-928-7183. A one-week replay of the call will also be available at 855-859-2056 or 404-537-3406 (conference ID # 73941351). A live audio webcast and delayed replay can also be accessed at Jefferies.com.

Jefferies Group, Inc. (NYSE: JEF), the global investment banking firm focused on serving clients for 50 years, is a leader in providing insight, expertise and execution to investors, companies and governments. Jefferies provides a full range of investment banking, sales, trading, research and strategy across the spectrum of equities, fixed income, foreign exchange, futures and commodities, and also select asset and wealth management strategies, in the Americas, Europe and Asia.

- Adjustments to net earnings to common shareholders and net earnings per common share on a non-GAAP basis include donations to Hurricane Sandy relief and transaction costs associated with the announced merger with Leucadia, amortization of intangibles and compensation awards related to our Bache and Hoare Govett acquisitions and interest expense incurred as a result of debt extinguishment accounting, from prior quarters, all on an after-tax basis.
- 2. Adjustments to net earnings to common shareholders and net earnings per common share on a non-GAAP basis include gain on debt extinguishment related to trading activities in our own debt, and amortization of intangible assets and compensation awards and other severance and bonus costs related to our Bache acquisition, all on an after-tax basis.
- 3. Adjustments to net earnings to common shareholders and net earnings per common share on a non-GAAP basis include a bargain purchase gain and compensation awards on our Hoare Govett acquisition, a gain on debt extinguishment relating to trading activities in our own debt and impairment charges on intangibles related to our Bache acquisition, all on an after-tax basis.
- 4. Adjustments to net earnings to common shareholders and net earnings per common share on a non-GAAP basis include a bargain purchase gain on our Bache acquisition, which is not a taxable item and transaction and integration expenses related to the Bache acquisition on an after-tax basis.

-- see financial tables in attached --

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### JEFFERIES GROUP, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF EARNINGS (Amounts in Thousands, Except Per Share Amounts)

(Unaudited)

		Three Mon	ths End	ed	Year Ended						
	Nov	vember 30, 2012	Nov	/ember 30, 2011	No	vember 30, 2012	No	vember 30, 2011			
Revenues:											
Commissions	\$	127,074	\$	130,619	\$	485,569	\$	534,726			
Principal transactions		242,140		36,571		1,035,974		428,035			
Investment banking		282,962		261,298		1,125,883		1,122,528			
Asset management fees and											
investment income from managed funds		16,318		6,623		26,966		44,125			
Interest income		242,904		317,485		1,031,839		1,248,132			
Other revenues		61,872		46,144		164,974		152,092			
Total revenues		973,270		798,740		3,871,205		3,529,638			
Interest expense		204,421		244,757		872,421		980,825			
Net revenues		768,849		553,983		2,998,784		2,548,813			
Interest on mandatorily redeemable preferred interests of											
consolidated subsidiaries		8,279		(2,561)		42,883		3,622			
Net revenues, less mandatorily redeemable preferred											
interests		760,570		556,544		2,955,901		2,545,191			
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Non-interest expenses:											
Compensation and benefits		460,404		308,137		1,770,798		1,482,604			
Non-compensation expenses:											
Floor brokerage and clearing fees		29,106		33,837		120,145		126,313			
Technology and communications		64,051		62,377		244,511		215,940			
Occupancy and equipment rental		25,815		23,954		97,397		84,951			
Business development		22,968		29,397		95,330		93,645			
Professional services		27,771		17,868		73,427		66,305			
Other		16,480		10,294		62,498		56,099			
Total non-compensation expenses		186,191		177,727		693,308		643,253			
Total non-interest expenses		646,595		485,864		2,464,106		2,125,857			
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Earnings before income taxes		113,975		70,680		491,795		419,334			
Income tax expense		34,243		25,066		168,646		132,966			
Net earnings		79,732		45,614		323,149		286,368			
Net earnings (loss) to noncontrolling interests		8,128		(2,772)		40,740		1,750			
Net earnings to common shareholders	\$	71,604	\$	48,386	\$	282,409	\$	284,618			
Earnings per common share:											
Basic	\$	0.31	\$	0.21	\$	1.23	\$	1.28			
Diluted	\$	0.31	\$	0.21	\$	1.22	\$	1.28			
Weighted average common shares:											
Basic		214,415		215,628		215,989		211,056			
Diluted		218,527		215,629		220,101		215,171			
Compensation and benefits / Net revenues		59.9%		55.6%		59.1%		58.2%			
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Effective tax rate		30.0%		35.5%		34.3%		31.7%			

## JEFFERIES GROUP, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES SELECTED STATISTICAL INFORMATION (Amounts in Thousands, Except Other Data) (Unaudited)

	Quarter Ended								
	Νον	vember 30, 2012	Αι	ugust 31, 2012	Nov	vember 30, 2011			
Revenues by Source									
Equities	\$	176,595	\$	209,980	\$	124,305			
Fixed Income		292,974		265,679		140,651			
Other		-		-		21,106			
Total		469,569		475,659		286,062			
Equity		52,919		39,068		26,936			
Debt		145,772		87,894		62,090			
Capital markets		198,691		126,962		89,026			
Advisory		84,271		133,201		172,272			
Investment banking		282,962		260,163		261,298			
Asset management fees and investment income / (loss) from managed funds:									
Asset management fees		9,680		8,583		9,162			
Investment income / (loss) from managed funds		6,638		(5,467)		(2,539)			
Total		16,318	_	3,116		6,623			
Net revenues		768,849		738,938		553,983			
Interest on mandatorily redeemable preferred interests of consolidated subsidiaries		8,279		8,304		(2,561)			
Net revenues, less mandatorily redeemable preferred interests	\$	760,570	\$	730,634	\$	556,544			
Other Data Number of trading days		63		65		63			
Average firmwide VaR (in millions) (1) Average firmwide VaR excluding Knight Capital (in millions) (1)	\$ \$	13.38 7.95	\$ \$	10.53 8.35	\$	9.43 N/a			

(1) VaR is the potential loss in value of our trading positions due to adverse market movements over a one-day time horizon with a 95% confidence level. For a further discussion of the calculation of VaR, see "Value at Risk" in Part II, Item 7 "Management's Discussion and Analysis" in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended November 30, 2011.

#### JEFFERIES GROUP, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS (Amounts in Thousands, Except Per Share Amounts) (Unaudited)

	Quarter Ended					l			
	Nov	ember 30, 2012		ugust 31, 2012	Νον	vember 30, 2011			
<u>Results:</u> Net earnings to common shareholders Basic EPS (1) Diluted EPS (1) Pretax operating margin	\$ \$ \$	71,604 0.31 0.31 15.0%	\$ \$ \$	70,171 0.31 0.31 16.7%	\$ \$ \$	48,386 0.21 0.21 12.7%			
Effective tax rate		30.0%		36.0%		35.5%			
Basic and Diluted EPS impact from share ownership in Knight Capital (13)	\$	0.04	\$	0.08		N/a			
<u>Common share data:</u> Common shares outstanding Adjusted shares outstanding (2)		203,312 214,616		203,070 214,177		197,160 218,406			
Share issued during quarter Shares purchased during the quarter		945 603		926 1,702		2,072 5,135			
Weighted average common shares- Basic Weighted average common shares- Diluted		214,415 218,527		214,756 218,867		215,628 215,629			
<u>Financial position:</u> Total assets (in millions) (3) Average total assets for quarter (in millions) (3) Cash and cash equivalents (in millions) Financial instruments owned (in millions) (3)	\$ \$ \$	36,294 44,242 2,693 16,670		34,407 42,594 2,845 13,917	\$ \$ \$ \$	34,971 50,087 2,394 16,679			
Total common stockholders' equity (in millions) Tangible common stockholders' equity (in millions) (4) Common book value per share (5) Adjusted book value per share (6) Tangible common book value per share (4) Adjusted tangible book value per share (6)	\$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$	3,436 3,055 16.90 16.01 15.03 14.24	\$ \$ \$ \$ \$	3,369 2,988 16.59 15.73 14.71 13.95	\$ \$ \$ \$ \$	3,224 2,839 16.35 14.76 14.40 13.00			
Level 3 financial instruments: Level 3 financial instruments owned (in millions) (3) (7) Level 3 financial instruments owned with economic exposure (in millions) (3)(8) Level 3 financial instruments owned - % total assets (3) Level 3 financial instruments owned - % total financial instruments owned (3) Level 3 financial instruments owned with economic exposure - % total financial instruments owned (3) Level 3 financial instruments owned with economic exposure - % total financial instruments owned (3) Level 3 financial instruments owned with economic exposure - % total financial instruments owned (3)	\$ \$	504 450 1.4% 3.0% 2.7% 13.1%	\$ \$	487 436 1.4% 3.5% 3.1% 12.9%	\$ \$	498 452 1.4% 3.0% 2.7% 14.0%			
<u>Other data and financial ratios:</u> Total capital (in millions) (9) Leverage ratio (3) (10) Adjusted leverage ratio (3) (11)	\$	8,710 9.6 9.0	\$	8,622 9.3 8.8	\$	8,227 9.9 9.4			
Number of trading days		63		65		63			
Average firmwide VaR (in millions) (12) Average firmwide VaR excluding Knight Capital (in millions) (12)	\$ \$	13.38 7.95	\$ \$	10.53 8.35	\$	9.43 N/a			
Number of employees, at quarter end		3,804		3,814		3,898			
Compensation and benefits / Net revenues		59.9%		59.6%		55.6%			

#### Footnotes

(1) The following details the calculation of basic and diluted earnings per share as included in our quarterly and annual reports.

	Quarter Ended							
	November 30, 2012			ugust 31, 2012	Nov	ember 30, 2011		
Earnings for basic earnings per common share:								
Net earnings	\$	79,732	\$	78,321	\$	45,614		
Net earnings (loss) to noncontrolling interests		8,128		8,150		(2,772)		
Net earnings to common shareholders		71,604		70,171		48,386		
Less: Allocation of earnings to participating securities (A)		5,143		3,913		2,560		
Net earnings available to common shareholders	\$	66,461	\$	66,258	\$	45,826		
Earnings for diluted earnings per common share:								
Net earnings	\$	79,732	\$	78,321	\$	45,614		
Net earnings (loss) to noncontrolling interests		8,128		8,150		(2,772)		
Net earnings to common shareholders		71,604		70,171		48,386		
Add: Convertible preferred stock dividends (B)		1,016		1,016		-		
Less: Allocation of earnings to participating securities (A)		5,146		3,916		2,560		
Net earnings available to common shareholders	\$	67,474	\$	67,271	\$	45,826		
Weighted Average Common Shares:								
Basic		214,415		214,756		215,628		
Diluted		218,527		218,867		215,629		
Earnings per common share:								
Basic	\$	0.31	\$	0.31	\$	0.21		
Diluted	\$	0.31	\$	0.31	\$	0.21		

(A) Represents dividends declared during the period on participating securities plus an allocation of undistributed earnings to participating securities. Losses are not allocated to participating securities. Participating securities represent restricted stock and restricted stock units for which requisite service has not yet been rendered and amounted to weighted average shares of 16,406,000, 12,732,000 and 11,755,000 for the three months ended November 30, 2012, August 31, 2012 and November 30, 2011, respectively. Dividends declared on participating securities during the three months ended November 30, 2012, and November 30, 2011 amounted to approximately \$1,270,000, \$924,000 and \$959,000, respectively. Undistributed earnings are allocated to participating securities based upon their right to share in earnings for the period had been distributed.

(B) The conversion of our mandatorily redeemable convertible preferred stock was considered anti-dilutive for our three-months ended November 30, 2011.

(2) The following details the calculation of adjusted shares outstanding:

	November 30, 2012	August 31, 2012	November 30, 2011
Common shares outstanding	203,312	203,070	197,160
Unearned restricted stock	(8,058)	(8,166)	(9,032)
Earned restricted stock units	16,656	17,331	18,994
Other issuable shares	2,706	1,942	11,284
Adjusted shares outstanding	214,616	214,177	218,406

(3) This amount represents a preliminary estimate as of the date of this earnings release and may be revised in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended November 30, 2012.

- (4) Tangible common stockholders' equity represents total common stockholders' equity less goodwill and identifiable intangible assets. As of November 30, 2012, tangible common stockholders' equity equals total common stockholders' equity of \$3,436.0 million less goodwill and identifiable intangible assets of \$380.9 million. Tangible common book value per share equals tangible common stockholders' equity divided by common shares outstanding. We believe that tangible common book value per share and tangible common stockholders' equity is meaningful as a valuation of financial companies are often measured as a multiple of tangible common stockholders' equity, making these ratios meaningful for investors.
- (5) Common book value per share equals total common stockholders' equity divided by common shares outstanding.
- (6) Adjusted book value per share (non-GAAP financial measure) equals total common stockholders' equity divided by adjusted shares outstanding. Adjusted tangible book value per share (non-GAAP financial measure) equals tangible common stockholders' equity divided by adjusted shares outstanding. We believe these are meaningful measures as investors often incorporate the dilutive effects of outstanding capital in their valuations.
- (7) Level 3 financial instruments represent those financial instruments classified as such under ASC 820, accounted for at fair value and included within Financial instruments owned.
- (8) Level 3 financial instruments owned with economic exposure represents Level 3 financial instruments owned adjusted for Level 3 financial instruments that are financed by nonrecourse secured financing or attributable to third party or employee noncontrolling interests in certain consolidated entities.
- (9) Total capital includes our long-term debt, mandatorily redeemable convertible preferred stock, mandatorily redeemable preferred interest of consolidated subsidiaries and total stockholders' equity. Long-term debt included in total capitalization at November 30 and August 31, 2012 and November 30, 2011 is reduced by amounts outstanding under the revolving credit facility.
- (10) Leverage ratio equals total assets divided by total stockholders' equity.
- (11) Adjusted leverage ratio (non-GAAP financial measure) equals adjusted assets divided by tangible stockholders' equity. Adjusted assets (non-GAAP financial measure) equals total assets less securities borrowed, securities purchased under agreements to resell, cash and securities segregated, goodwill and identifiable intangibles plus financial instruments sold, not yet purchased (net of derivative liabilities). As of November 30, 2012, August 31, 2012 and November 30, 2011 adjusted assets were \$30,604 million, \$29,232 million and \$29,534 million, respectively. We believe that adjusted assets is a meaningful measure as it excludes certain assets that are considered of lower risk as they are generally self-financed by customer liabilities through our securities lending activities.
- (12) VaR is the potential loss in value of our trading positions due to adverse market movements over a one-day time horizon with a 95% confidence level. For a further discussion of the calculation of VaR, see "Value at Risk" in Part II, Item 7 "Management's Discussion and Analysis" in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended November 30, 2011.
- (13) Principal transaction revenues of \$48.7 million and \$103.3 million from our share ownership of Knight Capital had a positive impact on our basic and diluted EPS of \$0.04 and \$0.08 for the three months ended November 30, 2012 and August 31, 2012, respectively, on a non-GAAP basis after considering compensation costs at a ratio of 59.5% and 59.6%, allocations to mandatorily redeemable preferred interests of \$2.6 million and \$5.5 million, net earnings to noncontrolling interests of \$2.5 million and \$5.4 million, and income tax expense at an effective rate of 36.8% and 41.5%, for the three months ended November 30 and August 31, 2012, respectively.

#### JEFFERIES GROUP, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES COMMON SHARES OUTSTANDING AND COMMON SHARES FOR BASIC AND DILUTED EPS CALCULATIONS (Amounts in Thousands) (Unaudited)

	November 30, 2012
Common shares outstanding	203,312
Unearned restricted stock	(8,058)
Earned restricted stock units	16,656
Other issuable shares	2,706
Adjusted shares outstanding	214.616

Note - All share information below for EPS purposes is based upon weighted-average balances for the applicable period.

	_	Quarter Ended November 30, 2012	Year Ended November 30, 2012
Shares outstanding (weighted average)	(1)	203,145	203,369
Unearned restricted stock	(2)	(7,998)	(8,549)
Earned restricted stock units	(3)	17,154	17,942
Other issuable shares	(4)	2,114	3,227
Common Shares for Basic EPS		214,415	215,989
Stock options	(5)	2	2
Mandatorily redeemable convertible preferred stock	(6)	4,110	4,110
Convertible debt	(7)	-	-
Common Shares for Diluted EPS		218,527	220,101

- (1) Shares outstanding represents shares issued less shares repurchased in treasury stock. Shares issued includes public and private offerings, earned and unearned restricted stock, distributions related to restricted stock units, deferred compensation plans, and employee stock purchase plan and stock option exercises. Shares issued does not include undistributed earned and unearned restricted stock units.
- (2) As certain restricted stock is contingent upon a future service condition, unearned shares are removed from shares outstanding in the calculation of basic EPS as Jefferies' obligation to issue these shares remains contingent.
- (3) As earned restricted stock units are no longer contingent upon a future service condition and are issuable upon a certain date in the future, earned restricted stock units are added to shares outstanding in the calculation of basic EPS.
- (4) Other shares issuable include shares issuable to settle previously granted restricted stock awards and shares issuable under certain deferred compensation plans.
- (5) Calculated under the treasury stock method. The treasury stock method assumes the issuance of only a net incremental number of shares as proceeds from issuance are assumed to be used to repurchase shares at the average stock price for the period.
- (6) Calculated under the if-converted method. The if-converted method assumes the conversion of convertible securities at the beginning of the period.
- (7) Represents the potential common shares issuable under the conversion spread (the excess conversion value over the accreted debt value) based on the average stock price for the period.

#### JEFFERIES GROUP, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES RECONCILIATION OF GAAP TO NON GAAP FINANCIAL MEASURES (Amounts in Thousands, Except Per Share Amounts) (Unaudited)

	ee Months Ended vember 30, 2012	Amortization of Debt Discount, Certain Acquisition Items and Hurricane Sandy Relief		Novembe (Excluding / of Debt I Certain A Items and		Months Ended ing Amortization ebt Discount, in Acquisition and Hurricane indy Relief)	Year Ended November 30, 2012		Debt Accounting Gain and Amortization of Deb Discount, Impairment Charge Certain Acquisition Items and Hurrican Sandy Relief			Year Ended November 2012 (Excluding Det Accounting Gain an Amortization of Deb Discount, Impairmer Charge, Certain Acquisition Items an Hurricane Sandy Reli	
Net revenues	\$ 768,849	\$	(1,245)	(A)	\$	770,094	\$	2,998,784	\$	8,416	(E)	\$	2,990,368
Compensation and benefits	460,404		2,496	(B)	\$	457,908		1,770,798		24,675	(F)		1,746,123
Noncompensation expenses	 186,191		9,014	(C)	\$	177,177		693,308		14,510	(G)		678,798
Total non-interest expenses	 646,595		11,510			635,085		2,464,106		39,185			2,424,921
Earnings before income taxes	113,975		(12,755)			126,730		491,795		(30,769)			522,564
Income tax expense (benefit)	 34,243		(3,499)	(D)		37,742		168,646		(11,404)	(D)		180,050
Net earnings	79,732		(9,256)			88,988		323,149		(19,365)			342,514
Net earnings to common shareholders Earnings per common share:	\$ 71,604	\$	(9,256)		\$	80,860	\$	282,409	\$	(19,365)		\$	301,774
Basic	\$ 0.31				\$	0.35	\$	1.23			_	\$	1.31
Diluted	\$ 0.31				\$	0.35	\$	1.22			_	\$	1.31
Weighted average common shares:													
Basic	214,415					214,415		215,989					215,989
Diluted	218,527					218,527		220,101					220,101
Compensation and benefits/Net revenues	59.9%					59.5%		59.1%					58.4%
Effective tax rate	30.0%					29.8%		34.3%					34.5%
Effective tax rate	30.0%					29.8%		34.3%					34.5%

	Ended Ga		Debt Accounting Gain and Certain Bache Acquisition Items		(Exc Accou Cer	November 30, 2011 (Excluding Debt Accounting Gain and Certain Bache Acquisition Items)		Year Ended November 30, 2011		Debt Accounting Gain and Certain Bache Acquisition Items		ed November 30, Excluding Debt nting Gain and Eache Acquisition Items)
Net revenues	\$	553,983	\$	20,175 (H)	\$	533,808	\$	2,548,813	\$	72,684 (H)	\$	2,476,129
Compensation and benefits		308,137		2,721 <sup>(I)</sup>	\$	305,416		1,482,604		11,785 <sup>(l)</sup>		1,470,819
Noncompensation expenses		177,727		704 <sup>(J)</sup>	\$	177,023		643,253		7,826 (K)		635,427
Total non-interest expenses		485,864		3,425		482,439		2,125,857		19,611		2,106,246
Earnings before income taxes		70,680		16,750		53,930		419,334		53,073		366,261
Income tax expense (benefit)		25,066		6,985 (L)		18,081		132,966		235 (L)		132,731
Net earnings		45,614		9,765		35,849		286,368		52,838		233,530
Net earnings to common shareholders	\$	48,386	\$	9,765	\$	38,621	\$	284,618	\$	52,838	\$	231,780
Earnings per common share:												
Basic	\$	0.21			\$	0.17	\$	1.28			\$	1.04
Diluted	\$	0.21			\$	0.17	\$	1.28			\$	1.04
Weighted average common shares:												
Basic		215,628				215,628		211,056				211,056
Diluted		215,629				215,629		215,171				215,171
Compensation and benefits/Net revenues		55.6%				57.2%		58.2%				59.4%
Effective tax rate		35.5%				33.5%		31.7%				36.2%

Three Months Ended

The selected financial information for the three months and year ended November 30, 2012 and 2011 excluding the effects of purchases and sales of our debt in November and December 2011, certain items identified and recognized in connection with the acquisition of Hoare Govett from The Royal Bank of Scotland Group pic on February 1, 2012 and the acquisition of the Global Commodities Group (the 'Bache entities') from Prudential Financial, Inc. ('Prudential') on July 1, 2011, the impairment of certain intangible assets in the three months ended May 31, 2012, donations to Hurricane Sandy relief in November 2012 and transaction costs associated with the announced merger with Leucadia National Corporation incurred in the third and fourth fiscal quarter of 2012, are non-GAAP financial measures. We believe this presentation provides meaningful information to shareholders as it provides comparability for our results of operations for the three months and year ended November 30, 2012 with the results for periods ended November 30, 2011.

#### JEFFERIES GROUP, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES RECONCILIATION OF GAAP TO NON GAAP FINANCIAL MEASURES (Amounts in Thousands, Except Per Share Amounts) (Unaudited)

#### FOOTNOTES TO SELECTED FINANCIAL INFORMATION

- (A) Net revenues in the fourth quarter of 2012 includes additional interest expense from the amortization of discounts on long-term debt re-issued in November and December 2011 in connection with trading activities in our own debt.
- (B) Compensation expense for the three months ended November 30, 2012 includes expense related to the amortization of retention and stock replacement awards granted in connection with the acquisition of the Bache entities and Hoare Govett.
- (C) Reflects amortization of intangible assets recognized in connection with the acquisitions of Hoare Govett and the Bache entities, donations to Hurricane Sandy relief of \$4.1 million and transaction costs (primarily professional fees) associated with the announced merger with Leucadia National Corporation of \$4.2 million.
- (D) For the three months and year ended November 30, 2012, reflects the tax benefit on the additional interest expense, Hoare Govett and Bache related expense items, Hurricane Sandy relief donations and transaction costs associated with the announced merger with Leucadia at a domestic and foreign marginal tax rate of 42.3% and 24.7%, respectively.
- (E) Includes a gain on debt extinguishment of \$9.9 million in accordance with debt extinguishment accounting under ASC 405 and 470 relating to trading activities in our own long term debt and a bargain purchase gain of \$3.4 million resulting from the acquisition of Hoare Govett recorded in Other revenues, partially offset by additional interest expense of \$4.8 million from subsequent amortization of debt discounts upon reissuance of our long-term debt.
- (F) Includes compensation expense related to the amortization of retention and stock replacement awards granted in connection with the acquisition of the Bache entities and Hoare Govett and bonus costs for employees as a result of the completion of the Hoare Govett acquisition.
- (G) Reflects an impairment charge of \$2.9 million on indefinite-lived intangible assets and amortization of intangible assets recognized in connection with the acquisitions of Hoare Govett and the Bache entities, donations to Hurricane Sandy relief of \$4.1 million and transaction costs (primarily professional fees) associated with the announced merger with Leucadia National Corporation of \$4.7 million.
- (H) In accordance with debt extinguishment accounting under ASC 405 and 470, we recorded a gain on debt extinguishment of \$20.2 million in Other revenues for the three and twelve months ended November 30, 2011, relating to trading activities in our own long term debt. The twelve months ended November 30, 2011 includes a bargain purchase gain of \$52.5 million resulting from the acquisition of the Bache entities from Prudential recorded in Other revenues in the third quarter of 2011.
- (I) In connection with the acquisition of the Bache entities, compensation expense was recognized for the three months and year ended. November 30, 2011 related to 1) severance costs for certain employees of the acquired Bache entities that were terminated subsequent to the acquisition, 2) the amortization of slock awards granted to former Bache employees as replacement awards for previous Prudential slock awards that were forfeiled in the acquisition and 3) bonus costs for employees as a result of the completion of the acquisition.
- (J) Reflects the amortization of intangible assets recognized in connection with the acquisition of the Bache entities.
- (K) Includes the amortization of intangible assets of \$0.7 million recognized during the three months ended November 30, 2011 in connection with the acquisition of the Bache entities as well as expenses (primarily professional fees) totaling \$7.1 million related to the acquisition and/or integration of the Bache entities within the Jefferies Group, Inc.
- (L) For the three and twelve months ended November 30, 2011, the total domestic marginal tax rate of 41.7% was applied. The bargain purchase gain of \$52.5 million on the acquisition of the Bache entities is not a taxable item.