



THE WESTAIM CORPORATION ANNOUNCES INVESTOR DAY

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Toronto, Ontario – September 10, 2015 – The Westaim Corporation (“**Westaim**” or the “**Company**”) (TSXV: “WED”) announces that it will be holding an investor day to provide an update on its business. The investor day will be held on November 17, 2015 at 10:00 A.M. EST at St. Andrew’s Club and Conference Centre, 150 King Street West, S3/S4 Inverness Room, 27th Floor.

The agenda will include presentations and Q&A sessions with Westaim senior management, Stephen L. Way, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Houston International Insurance Group, Ltd. and Daniel B. Zwirn, Chief Executive Officer and Chief Investment Officer of the Arena Group of Companies.

If you are interested in attending the investor day, please R.S.V.P. to Laurie Morra at lmorra@westaim.com

About Westaim

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