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## SENIOR APPOINTMENT FOR THE PRAXIS GROUP



David Hearse Director, Praxis Fiduciaries Limited

**David Hearse has been** appointed to the board of Praxis Fiduciaries Limited.

Locally born and educated in Guernsey Mr Hearse is a graduate of the University of Plymouth and brings more than 20 years' worth of financial services experience to Praxis.

He started his career in finance at Peat Marwick Mitchell & Co (which evolved into KPMG) where he worked in the banking and trust and company audit departments.

He transferred to the fiduciary services department, later becoming a director of the Orbis Group. When Kleinwort Benson took over the group in 2000 Mr Hearse was appointed deputy head of corporate fiduciary services and was responsible for the Channel Island employment services, alternative corporate products and the custodian trusteeship teams.

Following internal restructuring he moved into a role that involved responsibility for developing complex trust structures for high net worth clients.

As client engagement director at Praxis Fiduciaries Limited Mr Hearse will help to increase the family office client base, as well as develop other areas of the business where growth is expected.

A familiar face within the Guernsey cricket community, Mr Hearse has been the senior island cricket manager for the past five years.

Rob Fearis, managing director of Praxis Fiduciaries Limited, said: 'We are always looking for ways to enhance the service we provide our clients. Dave's experience in client management and service development will be an invaluable addition to the company and ultimately our future growth.'