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GFI re-opens Tokyo office with the launch of G10 Forward FX

LONDON, 07 November, 2019 – GFI Group Japan, a division of BGC Capital Markets (Japan), LLC, a subsidiary of BGC Partners, Inc. (NASDAQ: BGCP) ("BGC Partners," or "BGC"), today announced the opening of a new office in Tokyo's Akasaka Biz Tower with the launch of its G10 Forward FX ("FWD FX") desk focusing on Yen as well as EUR, GBP, CHF, AUD, NZD, CAD and other Forwards to service its Japanese and international clients.

The re-establishment of a Japan office further strengthens GFI's existing FWD FX businesses in Hong Kong, Sydney and Singapore providing clients with unrivaled coverage across all markets in the Asia Pacific region, further supported by GFI's offices in London and New York.

Brad Howell, Chief Executive Officer of GFI Asia Pacific, commented "With re-establishing the GFI brand in Japan and the re-opening of our Tokyo office, GFI is making a long term commitment to Japanese financial markets. We believe Japan is a key strategic growth area for GFI in the Asia Pacific regions. We are very excited about the opportunity, especially launching a core product like FWD FX which is a staple of financial markets and the real economy alike."

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