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## BRAZOS ANNOUNCES APPOINTMENT OF EFSI ACCOUNT EXECUTIVE FOR NORTH TEXAS

Waco, Texas (October 11, 2005)—Brazos Higher Education Service Corporation, Inc. (Brazos) is pleased to announce the appointment of Dean Carpenter to the position of Vice President/Regional Account Executive for EFSI. In her new position, Dean will assume responsibility for coordinating sales and outreach activities for EFSI in North Texas.

Dean brings to EFSI over 14 years of student financial aid experience. Most recently, she was Director of Financial Aid at Texas Wesleyan University of Fort Worth, Texas, where she also served first as a Financial Aid Counselor and then as the Assistant Director of Financial Aid.

A Fort Worth resident for over 18 years, Dean received a bachelor of science degree in interdisciplinary studies from Texas Wesleyan University. Dean is an active member of NASFAA and TASFAA.

"We are fortunate to have Dean join the Brazos team. Her knowledge of the student loan industry in North Texas coupled with her expertise in customer service makes her a valuable asset to our organization," said Herb Brubaker, Senior Vice President Sales Director Central Region.

## About EFSI and Brazos

EFSI is a Brazos Group not-for-profit student lending organization. Brazos Higher Education Service Corporation, Inc. is the administrative arm for the Brazos Group of companies (the Brazos Group). The Brazos Group is dedicated to the acquisition, origination, and servicing of student loans. For 30 years, the Brazos Group has worked to meet the education financing needs of students, their families, schools, and lenders nationwide. The Brazos Group has the distinction of being the top not-for-profit holder of federally guaranteed education loans in the United States, with assets in excess of ten billion dollars.