

## **McGill and Partners appoints David Cousar to build out the APAC facultative reinsurance offering**

*Industry heavyweight joins McGill and Partners as it expands into Asia and Australia*

London, 1 August 2022: McGill and Partners, the boutique specialist insurance and reinsurance broker, today announces the appointment of David Cousar as Partner in its Facultative Reinsurance team. David's appointment is part of McGill and Partner's entrance into the APAC market as the firm continues to grow its global reach.

David has over 20 years' experience in the Facultative Reinsurance sector and joins McGill and Partners from Aon Benfield in Singapore, where he was Head of Asia Facultative and oversaw all lines of business in the region. Prior to this, he held a number of senior roles at RKH Reinsurance Brokers, Gallagher, and played an instrumental role in the inception of Lockton's international property facultative team and the establishment of Willis Re Fac.

In his new role at McGill and Partners, David will be based in Sydney, Australia and oversee the growth of the firm's Facultative Reinsurance business across the Asia Pacific region. He will be working closely with Paul Summers, Head of Facultative Reinsurance at McGill and Partners, as the firm looks to recruit additional talent to build in the region and globally.

### **Paul Summers, Head of Global Facultative Reinsurance at McGill and Partners**

**comments:** *"David's appointment is part of our continued global expansion, and his industry knowledge will be a major asset to the firm. He has created a lot of success in his time at Aon, and I'm excited to see what we can achieve at McGill and Partners. Our business is quickly evolving and David joining is a major asset as we continue to make waves in the industry."*

### **David Cousar, Head of Facultative Reinsurance APAC at McGill and Partners said:**

*"McGill and Partners is on an exciting journey and includes some of the best in our industry. I feel privileged to join this new venture as it changes the insurance landscape and there are considerable opportunities in the APAC region. The whole firm works as a collective and as it expands, we will continue to trade as a boutique specialist and only offer the best in the market for its clients. I'm looking forward to joining Paul and what is already a strong and highly respected team as we take McGill and Partners to the next step and expand the Asia Pacific offering."*

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### **Notes to editors:**

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