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NCBWA President's Message By Rob Carolla

Hello from a snowed-in Northeastern United States. It's a blanket of white out my window (we had 18-20 inches of snow at my house!), but the baseball season is already in full swing. In fact, Arizona State has already fashioned an 21-1 record, so here we are again with the latest edition of the NCBWA Newsletter.

Your officers are nearly ready to send the new-and-improved NCBWA Directory to the press. With a total of 80 pages, we hope you find it very helpful during the course of the year and a valuable benefit of your membership. Look for it in your mailbox in early March!

In the last newsletter I passed thanks out to some D-II members for their help in promoting baseball, and now I would like to thank those in Division III. As it has done since the 2000 season, the NCBWA will continue to promote several Division III awards at the end of the upcoming year. A special thanks goes to John Arenberg of Emory University and everyone else involved in coordinating that project. Great job!

Our thoughts and prayers go out to Yale University, whose preparations for 2003 were interrupted by the news of an auto accident taking the lives of two student-athletes. Sincere condolences as their families deal with this terrible tragedy.

As the season continues, please let any NCBWA officer know if you have any questions, suggestions or concerns. Please free to send an e-mail or give me a call personally if there are issues regarding college baseball that you feel should be addressed. Thank you for your support of college baseball and best of luck as your play during the 2003 season.

Rob Carolla

NCBWA President
The BIG EAST Conference

NCBWA National Hitters, Pitchers of the Week

Feb. 3—Hitter: Ryan Baty, OF, Kansas; Pitcher: Jered Lieback, Arizona State

Feb. 10—Hitter: Jonny Kaplan, OF, Tulane; Pitcher: Wes Littleton, Cal State Northridge

Feb. 17—Hitter: Travis Metcalf, 3B, Kansas; Pitcher: Aaron Rierison, Arizona

Yale Community Still Reeling But Recovering From Tragic Accident

USA TODAY chronicled the continued shock and grief days after a Jan. 17, 2003, auto accident which took the lives of Yale sophomore baseball pitchers Kyle Burnat and Nick Grass. They were returning from a fraternity pledge event in New York for Delta Kappa Epsilon with five other members of the fraternity, including injured infielder Zac Bradley, when the mishap occurred. Icy road conditions on Interstate 95 near Fairfield, Conn., 20 miles south of the New Haven, Conn., campus are believed to be the primary cause of the fatal accident.

A Reminder About Calling in Final Scores

As we are all aware, it can be difficult at times obtaining scores from around the country. Unlike basketball and football, college baseball scores are not posted as often or in as many places as other sports. Please remember to call, fax or email your final scores to your local Associated Press bureau. Hopefully, AP will follow on their end as post as many finals as possible.

One website that does a good job of posting final scores is www.collegebaseballinsider.com. Phil Stanton and the gang are developing a nice site that does post daily scores, if you get them to them. Please make sure that you have their email address (scores@collegebaseballinsider.com) on your post-game score list.

Division III Weekly Awards to Begin Thuis Season

This season, the National Collegiate Baseball Writers Association has expanded its Player of the Week program to include NCAA Division III honorees.

There will be a Hitter of the Week and Pitcher of the Week honored each week in NCAA Division III. The honorees will be selected from conference Players of the Week. All conference SIDs (and independent SIDs) should e-mail relevant information on their Players of the Week to John Arenberg, Emory University (jarenbe@emory.edu) by the end of the business day each Monday.

A committee of Division III SIDs will select the winners. The winners will be announced by the NACBWA on Tuesdays. This season, the first Division III winners will be selected the week of February 24. The last winners will be selected the week of May 12.

At the end of the season, NACBWA also will honor a Division III Hitter of the Year and a Pitcher of the Year for each region.

Coryell Captures 400th win at Eastern Michigan

The Eastern Michigan baseball team improved its record to 2-4 on the season and its Feb. 16 win over Florida Atlantic was the 400th of EMU Head Coach Roger Coryell's tenure at the helm. Coryell, the 2002 Mid-American Conference Coach of the Year, has been with the Eastern Michigan baseball program since he played for the then-Hurons from 1968-1971. As a pitcher, he started the 1970 NAIA National Championship game for Eastern Michigan, their lone national title, with a 2-1 victory over Northeast Louisiana. He also served as an assistant coach to EMU Hall of Famer Ron Oestrike from 1971-1987 before taking the reins in 1988. In addition to Coryell's milestone, junior RF Ryan Goleski (Lake Orion, Mich.) became Eastern Michigan's career home run leader with his two-run shot in the sixth inning on Feb. 15. His first home run of the year gave him the record which he has shared with former Baltimore Orioles catcher Chris Hoiles since the end of last season.

Thirteen Former Major Leaguers Now Division I Coaches

Thirteen former major leaguers are now head coaches in Division I. First-year San Diego State skipper Tony Gwynn is the most famous, but the list also includes Dave Anderson (Memphis), Keith Kessinger (Arkansas State), Vance Law (BYU), John Pawlowski (College of Charleston), Randy Bush (New Orleans), Scott Bradley (Princeton), Wayne Graham (Rice), Sherman Corbett (Texas-San Antonio), Jim Farr (William & Mary), Jerry Augustine (Wisconsin-Milwaukee), Ron Nischwitz (Wright State) and John Stuper (Yale).

A Time to Vote, a Time to Celebrate the Dick Howser Trophy and NCBWA All-America Team

Thanks for marking your calendars and watching these deadlines as the Dick Howser Trophy and NCBWA All-America teams continue their annual selection process. Please contact any officer or NCBWA board member with questions or comments about the timeline. We appreciate your participation.

2003 DICK HOWSER TROPHY/NCBWA ALL-AMERICA AWARDS TIMELINE

Sun., April 13	Deadline for Initial Set of Nominations
Thu., Apr. 17	First Ballot e-Mailed to Membership
Sat., Apr. 26	Deadline for First Round of Voting
Thu., May 8	Second Ballot e-Mailed to Membership
Fri., May 16	Deadline for Second Round of Voting
Thu., May 29	Final Ballot e-Mailed to Membership
Thu., June 5	Deadline for Final Round of Voting
Fri., June 6	Regional Players of the Year Announced
Tue., June 10	NCBWA All-America Teams Announced
Fri., June 13	Dick Howser Trophy Winner Announced in Omaha

AP's Dennis Waszak Gives His Take on 2003 National Scene

Note from New York AP Baseball Guru: "Baseball is at full swing, and I put together the annual preview, teams to watch and players to watch features for The AP. I thought I'd pass it along for you to take a look at on the NCAA's website: http://www.ncaasports.com/0,5920,1_703_0_29027,00.html." Please contact the NCBWA with any suggestions or comments, and enjoy!

Conference USA Goes for "Old Reliables" for 2003 Team Finishes, Individual Honors

After winning its third regular season championship in four years and advancing to the NCAA Super Regionals last June, Houston has been selected as the preseason favorite in the 2003 Conference USA poll, chosen by the league's 12 head coaches. Tulane junior outfielder/pitcher Michael Aubrey, the 2002 Baseball America Summer Player of the Year, is the Preseason C-USA Player of the Year. Brad Sullivan of Houston, who was 13-1 with a 1.82 ERA and a nation-leading strikeout total of 157 was selected as the league's preseason Pitcher of the Year.

2003 PRESEASON BASEBALL COACHES POLL

(As selected by C-USA's head coaches)

PREDICTED ORDER OF FINISH

1. Houston (11)
2. Tulane
3. Southern Miss (1)
4. South Florida
5. East Carolina
6. Louisville
7. TCU
8. Cincinnati
9. Charlotte
10. Memphis
11. Saint Louis
12. UAB

(first place votes in parentheses)

PLAYER OF THE YEAR

Michael Aubrey, Tulane (Junior, Outfielder/Pitcher)

PITCHER OF THE YEAR

Brad Sullivan, Houston (Junior, Righthander)

ALL-CONFERENCE TEAM

P	Zach Jackson	So.	Louisville
P	Corey Lawson	Sr.	Saint Louis
P	Bob McCrory	Jr.	Southern Miss
P	Brad Sullivan	Jr.	Houston
RP	Joey Charron	Jr.	Tulane
C	Devin Ivany	So.	South Florida
IF	Hyung Cho	Jr.	Houston
IF	Tony Giarratano	Jr.	Tulane
IF	Darryl Lawhorn	So.	East Carolina
IF	Myron Leslie	Jr.	South Florida
OF	Jeff Cook	Sr.	Southern Miss
OF	Mark Jurich	Jr.	Louisville
OF	Terry Trofholz	Sr.	TCU
UT	Michael Aubrey	Jr.	Tulane

ACC Appoints Nationally-Ranked Georgia Tech as Pre-2003 Favorite

The Atlantic Coast Conference's nine head coaches selected Georgia Tech as the top pick to win the conference championship in 2003 with six first place votes and a total of 77 points. The Yellow Jackets return 22 of the 28 letterwinner from their 2002 squad that finished the season with a 52-16 record, including a 14-9 league mark and a trip to the NCAA College World Series. On the toes of the Yellow Jackets is Florida State who finished a close second with 73 points and two first place votes after finishing the 2002 season as the regular season and ACC Tournament Champions. Wake Forest finishes in third place tallying 65 points and one first place vote. The Demon Deacons finished last season with a 47-13-1 overall record and were the second seed at the ACC Tournament with a 17-6 conference record. The Clemson Tigers fill the fourth place slot with 54 points, while North Carolina placed fifth in the balloting with 41 points. The Tar Heels were followed by NC State who finished with 30 points and then Virginia with 29 points. Duke was selected to finish eighth with 19 points and Maryland ninth with 17 points.

2003 ACC Coaches Preseason Predicted Order of Finish

School	Points	2002 Record/Finish
1. Georgia Tech (6).....	77.....	52-16, 14-9 ACC
2. Florida State (2).....	73.....	60-14, 18-6 ACC
3. Wake Forest (1).....	65.....	47-13-1, 17-6 ACC
4. Clemson.....	54.....	54-17, 16-8 ACC
5. North Carolina.....	41.....	43-21, 17-7 ACC
6. NC State.....	30.....	33-26, 7-17 ACC
7. Virginia.....	29.....	25-32, 8-16 ACC
8. Duke.....	19.....	24-34, 4-20 ACC
9. Maryland.....	17.....	34-23, 6-18 ACC

(#) denotes first place votes

Southern Conference Unanimously Goes for Georgia Southern

Defending Southern Conference Tournament champion Georgia Southern has been picked to win the 2003 SoCon baseball regular season title in voting by the league's coaches and sports information directors. Georgia Southern received six first place votes and 93 total points from the coaches and four first place votes and 91 points from the SIDs. The Citadel was picked second in both polls followed by the College of Charleston in third. The coaches and SIDs disagreed on the fourth place team with the coaches picking UNC Greensboro and Western Carolina to finish fifth. The SIDs reversed the order.

SoCon Coaches Baseball Poll

Pl	Team (1st place votes)	Pts
1	Georgia Southern (6)	93
2	The Citadel (2)	84
3	College of Charleston (1)	81
4	UNC Greensboro (2)	79
5	Western Carolina	78
6	Furman	49
7	East Tennessee State	46
8	Davidson	32
9	Wofford	29
10	Appalachian State	18
11	VMI	16

SoCon SID Baseball Poll

Pl	Team (1st place votes)	Pts
1	Georgia Southern (4)	91
2	The Citadel (2)	85
3	College of Charleston (2)	81
4	Western Carolina (2)	78
5	UNC Greensboro (1)	74
6	Furman	49

7	East Tennessee State	43
8	Wofford	37
9	Davidson	34
10	Appalachian State	22
11	VMI	11

Preseason All-SoCon First Team

SP Scooter Michael, UNC Greensboro
 SP Dennis Dove, Georgia Southern
 RP Matt Hamer, The Citadel
 C Matt Lauderdale, College of Charleston
 1B Todd Buchanan, Western Carolina
 2B Lee Curtis, College of Charleston
 SS D.J. Dailey, Davidson
 3B Matt Lein, Wofford
 OF Brett Anderson, College of Charleston
 OF Brett Spivey, College of Charleston
 OF Alan Beck, Western Carolina
 DH Ryan Gordon, UNC Greensboro
 Player of the Year: Lee Curtis, 2B, CofC
 Pitcher of the Year: Scooter Michael, UNCG

Preseason All-SoCon Second Team

SP Brian Rogers, Georgia Southern
 SP Jay Metzger, UNC Greensboro
 RP Jason Cadenhead, Georgia Southern
 C Derek Norman, Furman
 1B Alan Beck, Western Carolina
 2B Jason Sarvis, UNC Greensboro
 SS Tony Carbone, Wofford
 3B Rocky Baker, Georgia Southern
 OF Matt Traylor, East Tennessee State
 OF Justin Saltalamacchia, UNC Greensboro
 OF Sam Navarro, Davidson
 DH Jason Randall, The Citadel
 DH Chris Davis, Western Carolina

Rice's Splendid 7th: Owls Chosen to win WAC for 7th Consecutive Season

For the seventh year in a row, Rice has been selected to win the 2003 Western Athletic Conference regular-season baseball crown in a vote by the league's six head coaches. The coaches also voted on a preseason all-WAC team, and Rice led the way with nine players making the team including the preseason player of the year, sophomore first baseman Vincent Sinisi and pitcher of the year, senior Steven Herce. Rice received 25 points and five first place votes after a 52-14 season in 2002, the regular season WAC title and a trip to its third College World Series in six years. Rice was 28-2 in WAC play last year. Fresno State and San Jose State tied for second with 19 points. The Spartans advanced to the NCAA postseason last year and was 45-17. Hawai'i and Nevada tied for fourth with 11 points followed by Louisiana Tech with five.

2003 WAC Baseball Coaches' Poll

(Points awarded on a 5-4-3-2-1 basis as coaches not allowed to vote for their own team)

<u>Rk. Team</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>Total</u>
1. Rice	5	—	—	—	—	25
2. Fresno State	1	2	2	—	—	19
San Jose State	—	4	1	—	—	19
4. Hawai'i	—	—	1	4	—	11
Nevada	—	—	2	2	1	11
6. La. Tech	—	—	—	—	5	5

Preseason All-WAC Team

OF Austin Davis, Jr., Rice
 OF Chris Dickerson, Jr., Nevada
 OF Dane Bubela, Sr., Rice
 OF Joey Myers, Sr. Fresno State
 1B Vincent Sinisi, So., Rice
 2B Enrique Cruz, Jr., Rice
 2B Ryan Haag, Jr., Fresno State
 2B Brandon Haygood, So., Louisiana Tech
 SS Paul Janish, So., Rice
 3B Casey McGehee, Jr., Fresno State

C Justin Ruchti, Sr., Rice
 UT Scott Beshears, Sr., Fresno State
 DH Tony Cappuccilli, Sr., Nevada
 SP Steven Herce, Sr., Rice
 SP Philip Humber, So., Rice
 SP Matt Durkin, So., San Jose State
 RP David Aardsma, Jr., Rice

Player of the Year: Vincent Sinisi, So., Rice
 Pitcher of the Year: Steven Herce, Sr., Rice

Big West Mentors Choose Cal State Fullerton

Five of the eight Big West baseball head coaches selected the Titans as the likely champion. The Titans edged Long Beach State, which received the other three first-place votes and fell two points short of first place in the preseason poll. UC Irvine placed third. Cal State Fullerton has been ranked in all four major polls this preseason with a ranking as high as No. 7 (Collegiate Baseball). The Titans return three All-Big West players in junior outfielder Shane Costa and junior right-handed pitchers Wes Littleton and Chad Cordero. All three players have garnered preseason All-America honors by Collegiate Baseball and Baseball America.

MWC Coaches Look to San Diego State as Favorite for 4th Year in Row

For the fourth straight year, San Diego State has been picked to win the Mountain West Conference regular season baseball championship. In a vote of the six MWC head coaches, the Aztecs received five-of-six first-place votes, while New Mexico received one. The Aztecs collected 25 points to capture the top spot in the poll. BYU earned 19 points to place second in the poll, followed by UNLV (17 points), Utah (12 points), New Mexico (11 points) and Air Force (six points).

MWC Preseason Baseball Coaches Poll

Pl.	Team (1st votes)	Points
1.	San Diego State (5)	25
2.	BYU	19
3.	UNLV	17
4.	Utah	12
5.	New Mexico (1)	11
6.	Air Force	6

Coaches Pick Richmond and St. Bonaventure to Lead Atlantic 10

Richmond and St. Bonaventure have been selected by the Atlantic 10 Conference head baseball coaches to defend their division titles, it was announced recently.

UR established Conference records for both league (22) and overall (53) wins as it claimed the West Division title last year and advanced to the Super Regionals of the NCAA Tournament. The Bonnies' set school records for A-10 (16) and overall (30) victories en route to capturing the East Division title.

Atlantic 10 play commences on March 22 with all 12 Conference teams in action (UD vs. SBU; DUQ vs. UM; FOR at XU; GW at URI; LAS at SJU; UR vs. TU).

2003 Atlantic 10 Predicted Order of Finish (as voted on by the A-10 head coaches)

- East (2002 Overall/A-10)
1. St. Bonaventure (30-13/16-7)
 2. Massachusetts (20-26/9-15)
 3. Temple (22-28/11-13)
 4. Rhode Island (24-28/10-14)

5. Fordham (13-3-1/6-18)
6. Saint Joseph's (16-36-1/10-14)

West

1. Richmond (53-13/22-2)
2. Xavier (27-27/15-8)
3. George Washington (42-23/17-7)
4. Dayton (32-21/14-10)
5. Duquesne (26-23/12-12)
6. La Salle (10-40/1-23)

South Carolina's Tanner Named USA Summer 2003

Pending final approval from the United States Olympic Committee, USA Baseball announced today that **Ray Tanner** of the University of South Carolina will serve as head coach of the 2003 USA Baseball National Team. In addition, **Dick Cooke** of Davidson University, **Mark Scalf** of UNC Wilmington, and **Dave Weathers** of Long Beach State University will serve as Assistant Coaches for the team that will represent the United States at the 2003 Pan Am Games in Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic August 1-15. "Coach Tanner is a veteran of the USA Baseball program and is very highly respected in the collegiate baseball community," said Steve Cohen, USA Baseball Director of National Teams. "We are very fortunate to have Ray make this commitment again to USA Baseball, and with the outstanding staff we have assembled, it gives us a great opportunity for success this summer." Tanner - a native of North Carolina - will guide Team USA through their first summer of play at their new headquarters in the Triangle. The 2003 USA Baseball National Team will play their first game at the Durham Bulls Athletic Park on Wednesday evening, July 2, at 7:00 p.m. vs. Japan. This will be Tanner's fifth overall tour of duty with USA Baseball, but his first as a head coach. Tanner served as an Assistant on the 1993 and 1995 USA Baseball National Teams, and was also an Assistant Coach under Skip Bertman on the 1996 USA Baseball Olympic Team that won a bronze medal at the Olympic Games in Atlanta. In addition, Tanner served as an Auxiliary Coach for the gold-medal winning 2000 USA Baseball Olympic Team under Manager Tommy Lasorda, at the Olympic Games in Sydney, Australia. "I'm extremely honored to be selected as the head coach of the USA Baseball National Team. I've always had a wonderful affiliation with USA Baseball, and I'm looking forward to coaching the top collegiate players in the country," said Tanner. "It's a special privilege to wear the Red, White and Blue uniform and represent our great nation."

Would you like to Meet the USA's Best Collegiate Baseball Players and Future Olympians this Summer?

The "Meet the U.S. Olympic Team Sweepstakes" features NGBs ranging from summer to winter. For fans to enter the sweepstakes, they must enter through their favorite NGB web site. [Baseball fans can enter at www.usabaseball.com](http://www.usabaseball.com) to be eligible for the first prize of a VIP experience at the How about the USA's best gymnasts, figure skaters, wrestlers, cyclists or speedskaters? Want to be treated like a VIP at a 2003 USA Baseball National Team Game vs Japan, or one of 28 of the best U.S. Olympic sport events of the year? www.usolympicteam.com, the official web site of the U.S. Olympic Team, is sponsoring the first online sweepstakes in collaboration between the USOC and 28 National **2003 USA vs Japan Collegiate Baseball Championship Series, July 2-7, 2003, in Durham, North Carolina.** At usolympicteam.com, fans can find a list of the NGBs participating, link to their site and a complete list of the events available. Fans can enter from as many NGB sites as they like. The grand prize is an expense-paid trip to the winner's choice of one of 28 different NGB events over the next year. Plus, a first prize winner will be selected from every sport participating in the promotion consisting of a VIP experience at that sport's event. Each VIP experience includes tickets to the event, VIP access and a personal escort, who will introduce the winner to that sport's top athletes. Some sports offer airfare and hotel accommodation as well. Visit usolympicteam.com for official rules and description of prizes.

"The goal is to create excitement for fans around some incredible NGB events this year, plus help all of us build better communication with fans in the future about events and news," said Matt Farrell,

USOC Associate Director of Internet Marketing. "What better way to get fans excited about baseball than to allow them to meet their heroes?" The 28 national governing bodies include: USA Archery, USA Baseball, USA Basketball, U.S. Biathlon, U.S. Bobsled and Skeleton Federation, USA Boxing, U.S. Curling, USA Cycling, USA Equestrian, USA Gymnastics, USA Field Hockey Association, U.S. Figure Skating Association, USA Hockey, USA Judo, USA National Karate-do Federation, USA Luge, USA Roller Sports, USRowing, U.S. Ski and Snowboard, USA Shooting, U.S. Speedskating, U.S. Taekwondo Union, USA Team Handball, USA Triathlon, USA Volleyball, USA Water Polo, USA Weightlifting and USA Wrestling. The promotion is sponsored by the U.S. Olympic Committee and is being run in conjunction with Relevant Marketing Technologies of Dallas, Texas.

Cary, N.C., Joins With USA BASEBALL

USA Baseball and the Town of Cary announced on Jan. 23 that Heery International, Inc. has been contracted by the Town of Cary, North Carolina to develop a brand new multi-field baseball complex that will become the official training facility of USA Baseball. The complex - to be built inside Thomas Brooks Park in Cary - is due to be completed by 2005. Last week, the Cary Town Council unanimously approved funding for the project. "We are thrilled to be partnering with the Town of Cary and a first-class architectural firm like Heery International on this very exciting project," said USA Baseball Executive Director/CEO Paul Seiler. "With Heery's expertise in baseball stadium construction and development, there's no doubt that the Town of Cary will eventually have a facility that the entire Triangle region can enjoy. It will be the perfect place for USA Baseball to grow the game at the amateur level for many years to come."

Heery International, a design, engineering and construction management firm with 30 offices worldwide, has provided integrated services for such projects as the Georgia Dome, the 1996 Olympic Stadium (later converted to Turner Field) and several minor league baseball parks, including Pringles Park in Jackson, Tenn. and McCoy Stadium in Pawtucket, R.I. - winner of a 2000 national design-build award. The firm has also been responsible for designing the University of Texas Stadium, which received an AIA design award of excellence, the University of Arkansas Razorback Stadium, the University of Virginia Scott Stadium, and the University of North Carolina's Dean Dome. Heery first began working in North Carolina in 1986 as a consultant to the Wake County Public School System. Since that time, Heery has grown to employ more than 50 professionals on projects throughout the Carolinas in the pharmaceutical, higher education, public school system, health care and justice markets.

"This project is a first. A major baseball facility that meets all of the needs of USA Baseball - a very exciting project in and of itself - but is built within a master plan of a park setting, which is extremely important to the community and the Town of Cary," explains David Waggoner, Heery Vice President and Carolinas Area Manager. "This unique aspect makes it even more exciting to be part of the project team." In recent years the Town of Cary has increased its investment in the public park system providing many additional first class facilities including a state of the art Amphitheatre, skate park, two softball complexes, and an enhanced system of greenway trails. The award-winning Department of Parks, Recreation, and Cultural Resources opened Thomas Brooks Park a year ago. The 124-acre park in western Cary currently includes a four-field softball complex with tower, two soccer fields, playground, picnic facility, and outdoor, lighted basketball courts.

NATIONAL COLLEGIATE BASEBALL WRITERS ASSOCIATION

Founded in 1962, the NCBWA is dedicated to the advancement of college baseball. Membership is open to writers, broadcasters and publicists of the sport. Members receive a membership card, directory, newsletter updates and official votes in the Howser Award Player of the Year, Regional Player of the Year and NCBWA All-America voting. The NCBWA also sponsors preseason All-American awards, publication and writing contests. Additionally, the organization has launched a website at www.ncbwa.com. For membership, send annual dues (\$15.00), along with mailing address, phone, fax and e-mail address information to Russell Anderson, NCBWA Treasurer, c/o Conference USA, 35 East Wacker Drive, Suite 650, Chicago, IL 60601.

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