

Alliance Benefit Group Carolinas Continues to Grow and Expand

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Alliance Benefit Group Carolinas, LLC has assumed the administration of over 400 retirement plans from First Sun Employee Benefits in Columbia, SC. ABG Carolinas now has almost 1,500 clients with \$1.5 billion in assets and offices in Charlotte, NC, and Greenville and Columbia, SC.

Jim Comer, President of ABG Carolinas, stated: "We are extremely pleased to be working with Gene Rudisill, President of First Sun Employee Benefits. Gene and I have both been in the retirement plan business for a long time, and we look forward to offering additional services to his customers and their financial advisors."

Comer intends to aggressively pursue other assumptions and mergers and is now looking to expand to Florida where he previously ran Dun & Bradstreet's Tampa-based pension operation.

About Alliance Benefit Group Carolinas

For more than 20 years, Alliance Benefit Group Carolinas has been a leader in the employer-sponsored retirement plan industry. ABG Carolinas provides comprehensive solutions for all types of retirement plans, including plan design and document consulting, plan administration and recordkeeping for defined contribution and defined benefit plans, compliance services, correction program assistance, and 403(b) plan consulting. ABG Carolinas is an independent firm and does not sell investments or investment products. More information can be found on the company's Web site at www.abgcarolinas.com.