SPECIAL MEETING

VENTURA COUNTY EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION

BOARD OF RETIREMENT

BOARD RETREAT

OCTOBER 9, 2008

PLACE: Embassy Suites Hotel

Mandalay Beach Resort 2101 Mandalay Beach Road

Oxnard, CA 93035

AGENDA

TIME:	TOPIC:
9:00 AM	Introductions, Administrative Matters and Review of Agenda
	Tracy Towner, Chairman
9:10 AM	Asset Allocation and Peer Practices
	Kevin Vandolder, Maritza Martinez – EnnisKnupp Tim Thonis – VCERA Staff
9:45 AM	Break
9:55 AM	Structuring Investments in Opportunistic Strategies
	Sam Gallo – EnnisKnupp
11:00 AM	Break
11:30 AM	More Effective Management of Currency Exposure
	Kevin Vandolder, Maritza Martinez – EnnisKnupp Lee Wanie, Thomas Dobler, Prentice Ng – BGI
12:30 PM	Lunch

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1:30 PM <u>Is It Time for Private Equity?</u>

Brett Nelson, Robert Parkinson – EnnisKnupp

2:15 PM Break

2:20 PM <u>Update on Real Estate and Considering Opportunities Beyond the U.S.</u>

Kevin Vandolder – EnnisKnupp

Kevin Smith – Prudential Deborah Ulian – UBS Laura Gaylord – RREEF

3:15 PM Break

3:45 PM Bringing the Pieces Together: Is It Time to Build an Opportunistic Policy

Allocation?

Tim Thonis – VCERA Staff Kevin Vandolder – EnnisKnupp

4:15 PM Board Member and Non-Board Member Comment and Reaction

Tracy Towner, Chairman

<u>Adjournment</u>

5:30 PM Reception and Dinner