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On Call International Announces New, Fully-Insured Political Evacuation Product

SALEM, NH – May 27, 2009 – Emergency medical, travel, and security assistance company, On Call International launched today, at the 2009 NAFSA Annual Conference, a comprehensive, fully-insured, political evacuation product that will assist students and faculty at risk from threatening security or political emergency situations while abroad. Underwritten by a U.S.-based, A.M. Best 'A'-rated insurance partner, the new product will cover expenses related to student or faculty evacuation from an unstable host country, including transportation by air, sea, or land.

As part of the political evacuation product, On Call's 24/7/365 Global Response Center with experienced, multi-lingual Assistance Coordinators will continue to monitor worldwide political and security activity. Should country officials recommend students and faculty depart their host country for safety reasons, such as military events that could risk imminent bodily harm, On Call will work with its international security partner to evacuate and transport them to the nearest safe haven, and ultimately, to their home country.

"Global travel through study abroad programs is steadily growing, especially to destinations that can sometimes have unstable political conditions," said Michael Kelly, President and CEO of On Call International. "By offering our political evacuation services through a U.S. based, fully-insured program, students and teachers can rest assured they will not only receive quality care should an unexpected security incident occur, but that their covered services will be underwritten by a trusted, nationally-known insurer as well."

A respected provider of security assistance, On Call's Global Response Center worked nonstop for 72 hours in November, 2008 to provide emergency services to more than 25 U.S. and Australian citizens from Mumbai, India when terrorists barricaded the Taj Mahal Palace & Tower hotel.

On Call International is a leading provider of customized medical, security and travel assistance for international business and leisure travelers, as well as expatriates, students and others away from home. Operating 24/7/365, On Call International specializes in emergency evacuations from any point on the globe, assisting more than seven million travelers. The U.S.-owned and trained assistance company serves the travel, insurance and maritime industries. On Call is a member and the U.S. representative of the 26-partner International Assistance Group, a global network of independent assistance companies. For more information, visit www.oncallinternational.com.

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