LPL Financial Announces $100 Million Share Repurchase From TPG and Separate $104 Million Direct Offering by TPG and Other Selling Stockholders

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BOSTON, Feb. 13, 2014 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- LPL Financial Holdings Inc. (Nasdaq:LPLA) (the "Company"), parent company of LPL Financial LLC, today announced that an investment fund associated with TPG Global, LLC ("TPG") entered into a purchase agreement with a private investor to sell 1.9 million shares of the Company's common stock at a price of $52.00 per share pursuant to the Company's existing shelf registration statement filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission. Dan H. Arnold and Robert J. Moore, officers of the Company, will also sell an aggregate of 100,000 shares to the private investor in the offering. No shares are being sold by the Company.

In addition, the Company announced that it has entered into a share repurchase agreement with the investment fund associated with TPG, pursuant to which the Company will repurchase 1.9 million shares of its common stock concurrently with the closing of the registered sale, at a price of $52.00 per share, for total consideration of $100.0 million. The share repurchase will be effected in a private transaction and is contingent on the closing of the registered sale by TPG. The closing of the registered sale is not contingent on the closing of the share repurchase.

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