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LPL FINANCIAL REPORTS MONTHLY ACTIVITY FOR OCTOBER 2018

SAN DIEGO – **Nov. 19, 2018** – Leading retail investment advisory firm and independent broker/dealer <u>LPL Financial</u> LLC, a wholly owned subsidiary of LPL Financial Holdings Inc. (<u>NASDAQ: LPLA</u>), today released its monthly activity report for October 2018.

Total brokerage and advisory assets served at the end of October were approximately \$649 billion, a 4.7 percent decrease compared to the end of September 2018.

Total net new assets (NNA) for October were an inflow of \$2.2 billion. This included \$0.3 billion of outflows from a small number of hybrid firms, consistent with the Company's expectations as discussed during its Q2 2018 and Q3 2018 earnings calls. Prior to these outflows, total net new assets for October were an inflow of \$2.5 billion.

Total client cash sweep balances at the end of October were \$29.1 billion, a 3.2 percent increase compared to September 2018.

(End of Period \$ in billions, unless noted)	October 2018	September 2018	Change M/M	October 2017	Change Y/Y
Assets Served					
Advisory Assets	291.7	306.1	(4.7)%	254.8	14.5%
Brokerage Assets	357.5	374.9	(4.6)%	311.6	14.7%
Total Brokerage and Advisory Assets	649.3	681.0	(4.7)%	566.4	14.6%
Net New Assets					
Net New Advisory Assets	2.1	2.2	n/m	1.7	n/m
Net New Brokerage Assets	0.1	0.5	n/m	(1.1)	n/m
Total Net New Assets	2.2	2.7	n/m	0.6	n/m
Net Brokerage to Advisory Conversions	0.6	0.5	n/m	0.7	n/m
Cash Sweep Balances					
Insured Cash Account Balances	21.4	21.0	1.9%	21.5	(0.5)%
Deposit Cash Account Balances	4.2	3.9	7.7%	3.9	7.7%
Money Market Account Cash Balances	3.5	3.3	6.1%	2.3	52.2%
Total Cash Sweep Balances	29.1	28.2	3.2%	27.7	5.1%
Market Indices					
S&P 500 (end of period)	2,712	2,914	(6.9)%	2,575	5.3%
Fed Funds Effective Rate (average bps)	219	195	12.3%	116	88.8%

For additional information regarding these and other LPL Financial business metrics, please refer to the company's most recent earnings release, which is available in the Press Releases section of investor.lpl.com.

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