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LPL FINANCIAL REPORTS MONTHLY ACTIVITY FOR JANUARY 2019

SAN DIEGO – **Feb. 21, 2019** – Leading retail investment advisory firm and independent broker-dealer <u>LPL</u> <u>Financial</u> LLC, a wholly owned subsidiary of LPL Financial Holdings Inc. (<u>Nasdaq: LPLA</u>), today released its monthly activity report for January 2019.

Total brokerage and advisory assets served at the end of January were approximately \$661 billion, a \$32.7 billion increase, or 5.2 percent, compared to the end of December 2018.

Total net new assets (NNA) for January were an inflow of \$0.7 billion. This included \$0.2 billion of outflows related to a large hybrid firm that is setting up its own broker/dealer and departing as discussed during the Company's Q4 2018 earnings call. Prior to these outflows, total net new assets for January were an inflow of \$0.9 billion.

Total client cash sweep balances at the end of January were \$32.2 billion, a \$2.7 billion decrease compared to December 2018. Net buying in January was \$5.0 billion which was the primary driver of the decline in cash sweep balances.

(End of Period \$ in billions, unless noted)	January 2019	December 2018	Change M/M	January 2018	Change Y/Y
Assets Served					
Advisory Assets	298.5	282.0	5.9%	284.1	5.1%
Brokerage Assets	362.3	346.0	4.7%	352.3	2.8%
Total Brokerage and Advisory Assets	660.8	628.1	5.2%	636.5	3.8%
Net New Assets					
Net New Advisory Assets	0.9	0.9	n/m	3.0	n/m
Net New Brokerage Assets	(0.2)	(0.1)	n/m	0.7	n/m
Total Net New Assets	0.7	0.8	n/m	3.7	n/m
Net Brokerage to Advisory Conversions	0.3	0.3	n/m	1.0	n/m
Cash Sweep Balances					
Insured Cash Account Balances	22.9	24.8	(7.7%)	22.2	3.2%
Deposit Cash Account Balances	4.5	5.1	(11.8%)	4.0	12.5%
Money Market Account Cash Balances	4.8	4.9	(2.0%)	2.5	92.0%
Total Cash Sweep Balances	32.2	34.9	(7.7%)	28.7	12.2%
Net Buy (Sell) Activity	5.0	(1.7)	n/m	3.9	n/m
Market Indices					
S&P 500 (end of period)	2,704	2,507	7.9%	2,824	(4.2%)
Fed Funds Effective Rate (average bps)	240	227	5.7%	142	69.0%

For additional information regarding these and other LPL Financial business metrics, please refer to the Company's most recent earnings announcement, which is available in the <u>quarterly results</u> section of <u>investor.lpl.com</u>.

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