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Webcast: SEC Enforcement Focus on COVID-19 Issues and Key Areas of Risk

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Please join us to discuss the SEC's enforcement priorities and key areas of risk in light of COVID-19. In this webcast, we will discuss:

- The SEC's latest accounting and pandemic-related enforcement trends and initiatives;
- Impact of the SEC Division of Enforcement's EPS Initiative;
- Key areas of accounting risk amplified by COVID-19, including revenue recognition, asset impairment, and going concern risks; and
- Disclosure issues pertaining to COVID-19's impact on business and forward-looking guidance.

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