

Rahm Emanuel Re-Joins Centerview Partners as Senior Advisor

NEW YORK – April 1, 2025 – Centerview Partners, a leading independent investment-banking advisory firm, announced today that Rahm Emanuel has re-joined the firm as a Senior Advisor.

Ambassador Emanuel, formerly Mayor of Chicago, White House Chief of Staff and a U.S. Congressman, most recently served as U.S. Ambassador to Japan from 2022 to 2025.

"We are excited to welcome Rahm back to the firm," said Blair Effron, co-founder of Centerview. "His invaluable experience advising three U.S. presidents and leading the nation's third-largest city make him uniquely suited to provide our clients with strategic advice on the biggest and most complex issues they face."

"Rahm couldn't be returning at a better time, with corporate decision-makers navigating a world of unprecedented transformation and policy challenges," added Robert Pruzan, co-founder of Centerview. "His insights and expertise, developed over an illustrious career spanning local and national government, will further enhance the efforts of our world-class team."

Amb. Emanuel joins a Centerview team of economic, policy and geopolitical experts that includes Robert Rubin, former U.S. Secretary of the Treasury; Richard Haass, President Emeritus of the Council on Foreign Relations; Amber Rudd, former U.K. Home Secretary; Mark Tercek, former CEO of The Nature Conservancy; Yossi Cohen, former Director of Mossad, Israel's national-intelligence agency; and Reince Priebus, who was White House Chief of Staff and Chairman of the Republican National Committee.

"I'm delighted to be back at Centerview," said Amb. Emanuel. "I look forward to working again with its exceptional team, drawing on my public- and private-sector experience to provide the thoughtful, independent counsel that's Centerview's hallmark."

Amb. Emanuel was previously at Centerview between 2019 and 2021. He earlier served as Mayor of Chicago for two terms beginning in 2011 and as Chief of Staff to President Obama. From 2003 to 2009, Amb. Emanuel served in the <u>U.S. House of Representatives</u>, where he held a number of leadership positions including Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee Chairman and Democratic Caucus Chairman. He was director of the finance committee of <u>Bill Clinton</u>'s 1992 presidential campaign and later served as Assistant to the President for Political Affairs and Senior Advisor for Policy and Strategy.

About Centerview Partners

Centerview, based in New York and with offices in London, Paris, San Francisco and Menlo Park, is a leading provider of independent investment-banking advisory services. Since its founding in



2006, the firm, with roughly 80 partners and more than 500 employees, has advised clients on approximately \$4 trillion in transactions. Forging long-term relationships with marquee companies around the world, it is a private, entrepreneurial firm with industry-leading expertise in M&A, independent board advice, shareholder activism, debt and equity financing and restructuring and recapitalization. For more, please visit www.centerviewpartners.com.

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