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HEATHER LAMONT JOINS CCLA

Heather Lamont, formerly head of business development at HSBC's charity investment team, joined CCLA on July 1, 2008.

Her role at CCLA will involve building services for existing CCLA clients and developing new business among the larger scale charity and foundation client base.

Heather Lamont has been a prominent commentator on charity finance since qualifying as a chartered accountant in 1992. She has worked as a charity finance director, auditor, and journalist, and held a number of trusteeships. She is currently treasurer or trustee of three different charities.

Heather Lamont said: "It's great to be joining an organisation which shares my enthusiasm for using financial expertise to help voluntary organisations work as effectively as possible."

Her appointment is part of CCLA's strategy to build the best charity investment management team in the UK.

CCLA's CEO Michael Quicke said, "We are delighted to appoint Heather Lamont. Our business and our clients will benefit from her combination of specialist sector knowledge and strong investment skills."

In 2006, Michael Quicke was appointed by CCLA's board of governors with a mandate to change CCLA's position within the market place. Senior management appointments, such as James Bevan as Chief Investment Officer and Andrew Robinson MBE as Director of Market Development have helped to successfully develop and direct CCLA's business.

CCLA is an independent company owned by its charity, faith group and local authority clients. It provides the widest range of common funds designed specifically for the charity market and looks after more charity clients than any other UK investment manager.

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