

**USable Life appoints David Pickett as Vice President
& Chief Actuary for Life & Disability**

LITTLE ROCK (October 28, 2010) – In this role David will provide leadership and actuarial support in the areas of pricing, profitability and product development for Life and Disability. "As we move rapidly to take advantage of the opportunities healthcare reform offers USable Life, we are very excited to have someone of David's caliber join the USable Life team," said Stu Rubinstein, executive vice president of Life and Disability.

Prior to joining USable Life, David served as second vice president for Transamerica Reinsurance in Charlotte, NC. He also served as the vice president and senior actuary at Wachovia Corporation, and actuarial-related responsibilities at other prestigious companies such as Metropolitan Life Insurance Company and Equitable Life Assurance Society.

David is a Fellow of the Society of Actuaries (FSA) and a member of the American Academy of Actuaries (MAAA) and holds a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Mathematics from Gettysburg College.

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