



**BGC PARTNERS' FIRST QUARTER 2018 FINANCIAL RESULTS ANNOUNCEMENT
TO BE ISSUED PRIOR TO MARKET OPEN ON THURSDAY, MAY 3, 2018**

Conference call scheduled for the same day at 10:00 a.m. ET

NEW YORK, NY – April 5, 2018 – BGC Partners, Inc. (NASDAQ: BGCP) (“BGC”), a leading global brokerage company servicing the financial and real estate markets, today announced the details regarding its first quarter 2018 financial results conference call. This call will take place on Thursday, May 3, 2018 at 10:00 a.m. ET

BGC’s publicly traded subsidiary, Newmark Group, Inc. (NASDAQ: NMRK) (“Newmark”), separately announced the details regarding its first quarter 2018 financial results press release and conference call. Newmark’s call will take place at 11:00 a.m. ET on May 3, 2018. Further details regarding Newmark’s first quarter results call and release can be found at <http://ir.ngkf.com>.

BGC plans to issue an advisory press release regarding the availability of its consolidated quarterly financial results by 8:00 a.m. ET on Thursday, May 3, 2018. BGC’s advisory release will notify the public that a full-text financial results press release will be accessible at any of the following pages:

<http://ir.bgcpartners.com> (an HTML version with Excel financial tables or PDF)

<http://ir.bgcpartners.com/news-releases> (an HTML version with Excel financial tables or PDF)

<http://bgcpartners.com/category/bgc-releases/> (PDF only)

BGC will host a conference call on Thursday, May 3, 2018 at 10:00 a.m. ET to discuss its results.

WHO: BGC Partners, Inc. (NASDAQ: BGCP)

WHAT: First Quarter 2018 financial results conference call

WHEN: Thursday, May 3, 2018 at 10:00 a.m. ET

WHERE: <http://ir.bgcpartners.com>

HOW: A list of minimum system requirements can be found here:

http://event.on24.com/view/help/index.html?text_language_id=en&fh=true&ngwebcast=true

A webcast replay of the conference call is expected to be accessible at <http://ir.bgcpartners.com> within 24 hours of the live call and will be available for 365 days following the call. Additionally, call participants may dial in with the following information:

LIVE CALL:

Date - Start Time: 5/3/2018 at 10.00 a.m. ET
U.S. Dial In: 1-844-309-0609
International Dial In: 1-574-990-9937
Passcode: 739-9434

REPLAY:

Available From – To: 5/3/2018 1:00 p.m. ET – 5/10/2018 1:00 p.m. ET
U.S. Dial In: 1-855-859-2056
International Dial In: 1-404-537-3406
Passcode: 739-9434

(Note: If clicking on the above links does not open up a new web page, you may need to cut and paste the above urls into your browser's address bar.)

About BGC Partners, Inc.

BGC Partners is a leading global brokerage company servicing the financial and real estate markets. BGC owns GFI Group Inc., a leading intermediary and provider of trading technologies and support services to the global OTC and listed markets. BGC's Financial Services offerings include fixed income securities, interest rate swaps, foreign exchange, equities, equity derivatives, credit derivatives, commodities, futures, and structured products. BGC provides a wide range of services, including trade execution, broker-dealer services, clearing, trade compression, post trade, information, and other services to a broad range of financial and non-financial institutions. Through brands including FENICS, BGC Trader, Capitalab, Lucera, and FENICS Market Data, BGC offers financial technology solutions, market data, and analytics related to numerous financial instruments and markets. BGC, BGC Trader, GFI, FENICS, FENICS Market Data, Capitalab, and Lucera are trademarks/service marks and/or registered trademarks/service marks of BGC Partners, Inc. and/or its affiliates.

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BGC's customers include many of the world's largest banks, broker-dealers, investment banks, trading firms, hedge funds, governments, corporations, property owners, real estate developers, and investment firms. BGC's common stock trades on the NASDAQ Global Select Market under

the ticker symbol (NASDAQ: BGCP). BGC also has an outstanding bond issuance of Senior Notes due June 15, 2042, which trade on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol (NYSE: BGCA). BGC Partners is led by Chairman and Chief Executive Officer Howard W. Lutnick. For more information, please visit <http://www.bgcpartners.com>. You can also follow BGC at <https://twitter.com/bgcpartners> and/or <https://www.linkedin.com/company/bgc-partners>.

Discussion of Forward-Looking Statements about BGC Partners and Newmark

Statements in this document regarding BGC and Newmark that are not historical facts are “forward-looking statements” that involve risks and uncertainties, which could cause actual results to differ from those contained in the forward-looking statements. Except as required by law, BGC and Newmark undertake no obligation to update any forward-looking statements. For a discussion of additional risks and uncertainties, which could cause actual results to differ from those contained in the forward-looking statements, see BGC's and Newmark's Securities and Exchange Commission filings, including, but not limited to, the risk factors set forth in these filings and any updates to such risk factors contained in subsequent Forms 10-K, Forms 10-Q or Forms 8-K.

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