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Community Bank System Announces Fourth Quarter and Year End 2014 Earnings Conference Call

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SYRACUSE, N.Y., Jan. 9, 2015 /PRNewswire/ -- Community Bank System, Inc. (NYSE: CBU) invites you to participate in a conference call to discuss the Company's financial and operating performance during its fourth quarter and year ended December 31, 2014.

Event:	Earnings Conference Call – Fourth Quarter and Year End 2014	
When:	Thursday, January 22, 2015 at 11:00 a.m. Eastern Time	
How:	By conference call or from a simultaneous web cast	
Access:	Conference Call Dial-In:	888-430-8691 719-325-2177 – Outside the U.S. & Canada
	Conference ID Code:	9818037
	Webcast: **http://www.videonewswire.com/event.asp?id=101346**	

Mark E. Tryniski, President and Chief Executive Officer, and Scott A. Kingsley, Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer, will provide an overview of the fourth quarter and year end 2014 results. The management presentation typically lasts approximately 15 minutes, followed by investor questions and discussion.

The company's results for the quarter and year end will be released after the market closes on January 21, 2015,

and will also be available in the "Investor Relations" section of the company's website, **www.communitybankna.com**.

The call will also be archived on the company's website for one year, and can be accessed at any time and at no cost during this period.

Community Bank System, Inc. operates more than 190 customer facilities across Upstate New York and Northeastern Pennsylvania through its banking subsidiary, Community Bank, N.A. With assets of approximately $7.5 billion, the DeWitt, N.Y. headquartered company is among the country's 150 largest financial institutions. In addition to a full range of retail and business banking services, the Company offers comprehensive financial planning and wealth management services and operates a full service insurance agency providing personal and business insurance products. The Company's Benefit Plans Administrative Services, Inc. subsidiary is a leading provider of employee benefits administration and trust services, actuarial and consulting services to customers on a national scale. Community Bank System, Inc. is listed on the New York Stock Exchange and the Company's stock trades under the symbol CBU. For more information about Community Bank visit **www.communitybankna.com** or **http://ir.communitybanksystem.com**.

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