Peter Tumminello was named executive vice president of business development and support for Sequent Energy Management in February 2007. Previously, Tumminello had served as vice president of corporate development for AGL Resources since November 2005. He joined the executive management team of Sequent Energy Management in August 2003 as vice president of asset management and origination.

Tumminello is responsible for leading, developing and executing a coordinated business development strategy for Sequent, including oversight of several business support functions, marketing and deal origination activities. Central to his new role at Sequent are evaluation and implementation of new commercial business ventures, and new products and services aligned with the critical support functions.

Tumminello brings to Sequent Energy Management more than 15 years experience in natural gas marketing and trading and more than 22 years in the energy industry. Prior to joining AGL Resources and Sequent, Tumminello’s previous position was vice president of energy supply for Green Mountain Energy Company. He has also worked for TPC Corp. in various capacities in energy marketing and storage and transportation asset management.

Tumminello earned his MBA from the University of Southwestern Louisiana and his B.S. in petroleum engineering from Louisiana Tech University. He frequently speaks on natural gas storage, transportation and asset management at energy industry conferences.

A native of New Orleans, Tumminello lives with his wife and two daughters in Katy, Texas.

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