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CHRISTIAN CARE COMMUNITIES NAMES
ISRAEL S. RAY AS EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
OF ITS HOPKINSVILLE CAMPUS

HOPKINSVILLE, KENTUCKY (October 31, 2008) – Christian Care

Communities has named **Israel S. Ray, LNHA, M.H.A.**, as Executive Director of its Hopkinsville campus. Ray will begin his duties on November 3. He succeeds Nancy Steele, who is retiring after 23 years as executive director of the Hopkinsville campus, which provides independent living, garden homes, skilled nursing care and rehabilitation services to older adults.

Prior to joining Christian Care Communities, Ray was executive director and administrator of Masonic Home of Louisville, where he oversaw the skilled healthcare and personal care centers. He completed his undergraduate degree at Berea College and holds a master's degree in Health Administration from the University of Kentucky.

A licensed nursing home administrator, Ray is a member of the American Association of Homes and Services for the Aging, and is currently Vice President of American College of Health Care Administrators (Kentucky Chapter).

Headquartered in Louisville, Christian Care Communities is Kentucky's largest provider of affordable housing and long-term care for older adults, with an extensive network of retirement communities and services in Louisville, Lexington, Bowling Green, Corbin, Hopkinsville, Owensboro, Taylorsville and Grayson.

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