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IT Defense Company The Engle Group Acquired by TWD & Associates, Inc.

McLean, VA – November XX, 2012 – The McLean Group today announced that it acted as the exclusive mergers and acquisitions (M&A) advisor to The Engle Group in its sale to TWD & Associates, Inc. (TWD), a communication and collaboration solutions provider for the public sector.

The Engle Group is a woman-owned small business providing IT services, solutions and support to the federal government including the Department of the Agriculture, Department of Justice, Department of Labor, Department of Defense and the US Air Force.

Headquartered in Arlington, VA, TWD has built and maintained communication and collaboration solutions for executive-level, national security-focused organizations for 20 years.

The acquisition directly expands TWD's capabilities in IT service management, application development and security, cloud computing, and data and organizational change management.

"The Engle Group is a well-respected government contractor that complements TWD's presence in the defense and homeland security markets, and expands our reach into the civilian sector," said Larry Besterman, President and Chief Executive Officer, TWD. "Like TWD, The Engle Group prides itself in providing exceptional service to its government customers. The synergies between the two companies, combined with The Engle Group's stellar reputation and 25-year record of service, made this a valuable partnership. We look forward to integrating the company's talents into the TWD team."

Marty Engle, President and CEO of The Engle Group QUOTE

The McLean Group's Aerospace, Defense & Government (ADG) practice advised on the transaction. This transaction adds to The McLean Group's record of successful federal contracting advisory assignments (www.mcleanllc.com/industries/aerospace-government.html).

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