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D.C., Virginia Contractors to Join

CPI, a defense-oriented government contractor based in Fairfax County, has announced a merger with D.C.-based Columbia Research, which also does government contracting with defense-related agencies. The new company will be named the Columbia Group.

CPI President Martin Arase will head the new company. Columbia Research President Norman Witbeck will be an adviser to the company.