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IPS APPOINTS INDUSTRY VETERAN SENIOR DIRECTOR FOR THE NEW ENGLAND REGION

- Michael Avant brings over 30 years of Life Science Customer Satisfaction in Design and Construction Projects -

Blue Bell, PA; February 2, 2015 – IPS-Integrated Project Services, Inc. (IPS), a leading global engineering, construction, commissioning and qualification firm dedicated to helping clients succeed with capital projects and improving operations, announces the appointment of Mr. Michael Avant as Senior Director for the New England Region.

Mr. Avant has significant experience in engineering and construction in the Life Science Industry. His career has encompassed a wide range of advanced technology and life sciences projects, not only in the United States, but also in Europe, China, Singapore and Latin America. Throughout his career, he has maintained a commitment to delivering quality projects on time and within budget. Prior to joining IPS, Mr. Avant held executive leadership positions at Parsons and CH2MHill. He is a graduate of the University of Houston, holding a degree in Construction Management, and has served in both the Associated Builders & Contractors (ABC) and the International Society of Pharmaceutical Engineers (ISPE).

In this new role at IPS, Michael will be responsible for leading and growing IPS' Integrated Project Delivery Services in the New England region. He will serve IPS' current and future Life Sciences customers.

"We are pleased to have Michael join IPS," said Dave Goswami, PE, Chief Executive Officer and Chairman, of IPS. "His leadership and experience in the Life Sciences industries will be of great value to our customers as IPS establishes its office in New England. The region represents a key area of growth for IPS and Michael is entrusted with bringing IPS values along with our Knowledge, Skill and Passion to our customers".

About IPS

IPS-Integrated Project Services is a global leader in developing innovative and cost effective solutions for the design, construction, commissioning and qualification of complex pharmaceutical and biotech research and manufacturing facilities. With technical expertise spanning R&D to pilot-scale to large-scale production, our team specializes in the technology, trends and regulatory environment to successfully deliver capital projects and improve operations. For over twenty-five years, we have applied unique LEAN methodologies throughout the project life cycle, continually finding ways to do things better and more efficiently, delivering higher quality and controlling costs. Headquartered in Blue Bell, PA, IPS is a multi-national company with over 750 professionals and offices in California, Indiana, Massachusetts, New Jersey, North Carolina, Brazil, Singapore, China, and four locations in India. IPS is one of the fastest growing global companies servicing the biopharmaceutical industry. Visit our website at www.ipsdb.com.

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