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**IPS APPOINTS NEW BOARD MEMBER, PETER T. BIGELOW**

**-Peter Bigelow joins Cliff Lavin as External Members of IPS Board of Directors-**

**Lafayette Hill, PA; November 7, 2012-**IPS-Integrated Project Services, a leading, full-service engineering, construction, commissioning and qualification firm dedicated to helping clients succeed with capital projects and improve operations, welcomes a new member to its Board of Directors, Mr. Peter T. Bigelow.

“Peter and Cliff bring proven management expertise, outstanding business acumen and a wide-range of experience to IPS”, said Dave Goswami, PE, Chief Executive Officer and Managing Director, IPS. “The last 3 years of success has put IPS in an extremely steep growth mode. Our aspiration is to grow even further. Peter’s knowledge of the biopharmaceutical industry and Cliff’s business acumen will be of tremendous value as we continue to develop our short- and long-term plans.”

Goswami continued, “Peter Bigelow is an industry recognized, experienced Fortune 500 executive with extensive global experience and has a true understanding of the issues facing global biopharmaceutical manufacturing companies in the United States and emerging countries. Cliff, on the other hand, has executive experience in global industries not related to biopharmaceuticals. We believe that the diverse experiences of Peter and Cliff will be an invaluable asset as our growth takes us to uncharted territory.”

**About Peter T. Bigelow**

Mr. Bigelow is Chief Executive Officer of xCell Strategic Consulting, a global strategic development and operations improvement solutions firm. He has held executive leadership roles with Fortune 500 companies and provided management consultation with leading biopharmaceutical, healthcare and consumer goods industries. Mr. Bigelow served as President for North America Commercial Operations at Patheon Pharmaceuticals and also held the position of Interim Chief Executive Officer. Prior to joining Patheon, Mr. Bigelow held leadership roles with increasing responsibilities for global operations with Wyeth Pharmaceuticals. His work with SmithKline Beecham (now GlaxoSmithKline) included significant international project work and operations experience in Europe and the Far East. Throughout his career, Mr. Bigelow has focused on global pharmaceutical manufacturing and supply chain operations, outsourcing strategies, quality systems, compliance excellence, building high performance teams, organizational restructuring, and driving operational efficiencies with lean processes. Mr. Bigelow earned a M.B.A. from Philadelphia University and a B.S. in Mechanical Engineering from Villanova University.

**About Clifford M. Lavin**

Mr. Lavin is President of C Squared, Inc., a consulting firm specializing in senior level strategic management and marketing and sales strategies. Mr. Lavin is a proven management specialist with a broad range of experience building companies from concepts to profitable operations. A serial entrepreneur, he has served as Chief Executive Officer for three organizations and the senior marketing executive of many others. Prior to his company building endeavors, he served in various executive capacities at several Fortune 50 organizations. In addition to his consulting practice, Mr. Lavin teaches Global Management at the graduate school level for one of the largest Universities in the United States. Mr. Lavin has a M.S. and a B.A. in International Management from the American Graduate School of International Management as well as a B.S. in Marketing from the University of Arizona.

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**About IPS**

IPS-Integrated Project Services is a global leader in developing innovative and cost effective solutions for the engineering, 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 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 Lafayette Hill, PA, IPS is a multi-national company with over 700 professionals and offices in Indiana, Massachusetts, New Jersey, North Carolina and four locations in India. Visit our website at [www.ipsdb.com](http://www.ipsdb.com).

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