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**Clinton Rubin expands capabilities into government sector
through acquisition of McConnell International, a consulting firm specializing in
US federal government procurement**

Trevoese, PA -- Clinton Rubin LLC, a consulting firm specializing in executive level management services, today announced the acquisition of McConnell International, LLC of Washington, DC.

McConnell International - a Clinton Rubin LLC company, is a consulting firm specializing in bringing the best of private sector resources, including technology-centered services, to government executives to solve their mission critical problems. The firm provides executive consultants with in-depth governmental experience and expertise to advise senior management in industry and government. McConnell International has an established Federal agency practice that provides expertise across a broad range of civilian agencies including the Department of Homeland Security, the Department of Treasury, and other financial services agencies.

McConnell International, while becoming a Clinton Rubin LLC company, will maintain its focus on the government sector and will bring significant additional value to client engagements through Clinton Rubin's strategic consulting and project management capabilities. Bruce McConnell, McConnell International's founder and former information technology chief at the U.S. Office of Management and Budget, will remain actively involved in the new venture.

This acquisition expands Clinton Rubin's reach into the government sector and brings in capabilities that blend well with their current executive level consulting and support services. Clinton Rubin's areas of expertise include: corporate strategy development, turnaround management, public/private partnering, finance and human resource transformation, merger integration management, outsourcing advisory, ERP and complex systems implementation services.

Clinton Rubin was founded by Managing Partners Chuck Burns and Scott Smith in 2006 and brought together senior consultants from several of the top consulting firms in the country who share the belief that clients deserve solutions that combine experience and expertise with personal attention, values that are echoed by the McConnell International team.

New McConnell International President and Clinton Rubin Partner Brad King said: "This acquisition brings together two seasoned teams of experienced professionals who share a common belief that both government and industry operate more effectively when knowledge, analysis, effort and trust are bolstered by technology to promote improved program effectiveness."

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McConnell International Founder, Bruce McConnell said: “By focusing on mission-critical problems we help our clients win government contracts with innovative solutions that benefit taxpayers and improve public services. By bringing Clinton Rubin and McConnell International together we now offer our expertise to a much broader portfolio of clients including our combined base of Fortune 100 companies and government agencies.”

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Clinton Rubin specializes in providing clients with today’s most critical management consulting solutions. Clinton Rubin has a team of highly skilled, highly experienced, and highly successful consultants, many who have at least twenty years’ experience serving a variety of industries and Fortune 50 clients.

Founded on the bedrock principle of serving as a trusted advisor dedicated to long term relationships, Clinton Rubin helps clients streamline their business, look for ways to increase the bottom-line, develop new avenues to drive revenue, or use technology to compete successfully in today’s competitive marketplace, and build the pathways, strategies and plans to reach the pinnacle of success. Clinton Rubin’s focus is in the following service areas:

- Operations Improvement
- Profit Optimization
- Public / Private Partnerships
- Business Restructuring
- Strategic Program Management
- Technology Implementation
- Executive Services
- CRM/CEM
- ERP/SAP/Oracle
- Outsourcing Advisory

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McConnell International promotes successful partnerships between industry and government. McConnell International helps industry clients win new business, shorten sales cycles, and expand existing contracts. With such strong partners, government works better.

McConnell International services create win-win relationships with federal government agencies and industry players. Competing for new business is costly, and McConnell International help clients maximize their return on business development investment, secure new business, shorten sales cycles and expand existing contracts by providing:

- Intimate working knowledge of federal agencies
- Targeted go-to-market strategies
- Government-industry relationships at all levels
- Winning-edge proposal coaching
- Collaborative multi-client market research
- Executive recruitment
- Business teaming arrangements
- Optimized portfolio investments in government sector firms

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