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AKT PEERLESS ADDS ENERGY SERVICES DIVISION IN CHICAGO

AKT Peerless Environmental Services, Michigan's leading Brownfield redevelopment and environmental service provider is pleased to announce our expansion into the Chicago, IL market. AKT Peerless has acquired the commercial and industrial operations of the Chicago-based business, Informed Energy Decisions (Informed Energy). Informed Energy is a six year old energy auditing and consulting firm led by founder Mr. Earl "Cappy" L. Kidd. Cappy brings a depth of experience in consulting on energy efficiency for buildings. Most recently, in November 2008, Informed Energy Decisions was inducted into the National Environmental Hall of Fame, the Illinois Environmental Hall of Fame and the Chicago Environmental Hall of Fame as Cappy was recognized for 30 years of building energy performance. Cappy was recognized for his innovative and long-time efforts in improving building energy efficiency. Cappy has led the Chicago energy consulting business by completing many successful projects including the first Energy Star designation for a Chicago hotel; the historic Intercontinental Hotel.

AKT Peerless, a top provider of environmental services in Michigan for 20 years, now expands its footprint into the Chicago market while bringing the energy audit and consulting services expertise of IED to serve its energy conscience clients at its Farmington, Saginaw, Lansing and Detroit office locations.

"Joining AKT Peerless' seasoned environmental and business professionals will allow me to focus on delivering the outstanding service our clients have come to expect, while expanding our market and service abilities." said Cappy Kidd.

Tony R. Anthony, a founder of AKT Peerless and a Midland native said "Opportunities in our market began the push for a number of our staff to become LEED 'accredited professionals' as we grew to provide energy consulting services for our clients. Now we can serve them better with top notch recognized leaders in this growing industry market segment. Our clients will now not only receive the best in class in environmental engineering service, but energy management services as well."

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