## Lee Hecht Harrison Acquires Career Resources Group

Purchase of Long-Time Global Partner
Enhances LHH Market Position in Iowa and Midwest Region

**Maitland, FL, September 5, 2017** – Lee Hecht Harrison, the world's leading talent development and transition company, announced today that it has acquired Des Moines, Iowa-based Career Resources Group (CRG).

"We are very excited to integrate CRG into Lee Hecht Harrison as a wholly owned operation," said John Morgan, Lee Hecht Harrison (LHH) Executive Vice President, US. "CRG is a longstanding LHH Global partner and provides exceptional service to our customers with operations in Iowa. This acquisition will enable LHH to further expand our market share leadership and capture profitable growth in a vibrant, growing market that is experiencing some of the strongest momentum in the Midwest."

Founded in 1994, Career Resources Group became an LHH Global Partner in 2003. The group serves all of lowa with offices in West Des Moines and Cedar Rapids. CRG Partner Dick Reasons noted, "As an LHH Global Partner for the past 14 years, it's a natural evolution for CRG to become a wholly-owned LHH office. The transition will be seamless for both our customers, clients and the job search candidates we serve. Our long-standing commitment to outstanding client service is a core value and will remain fundamental to our future growth and success. Local management and coaches will all remain in place with the same commitment to the customers, clients, and communities we have always had."

Both CRG partners, Dick Reasons and Bob Wigger will join LHH and become part of the company's Midwest Region. Wigger commented, "From an operations standpoint, it will be business as usual. Our excellent delivery team remains the same. The long-standing partnership with Lee Hecht Harrison has already integrated much of our front and back-office operations. As we take this next step, we are excited for the continuing opportunities to help organizations across lowa simplify the transformation of their talent and workforce in a way that accelerates results and reduces risk; and to help individuals build their careers within their companies or to transition to new opportunities."

## **About Lee Hecht Harrison**

Lee Hecht Harrison (LHH) helps companies transform their leaders and workforce so they can accelerate performance. In an era of continuous change, successfully transforming your workforce depends on how well companies and their people embrace, navigate, and lead change. Change within the organization, and their career. At Lee Hecht Harrison we use our expertise in talent development and transition to deliver tailored solutions that help our clients transform their leaders and workforce so they have the people and culture they need to evolve and grow. We are passionate about making a difference in peoples' careers and building better leaders so our clients can build a strong employer brand.

A division of The Adecco Group – the world's leading provider of workforce solutions – Lee Hecht Harrison's 4000 colleagues work with more than 7000 clients in over 60 countries around the world. We have the local expertise, global infrastructure, and industry leading technology and analytics required to manage the complexity associated with executing critical talent and workforce initiatives, reducing brand and operational risk. It's why 60% of Fortune 500 companies choose to work with us.

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