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## ***GSR Consulting Group and Montague to expand presence in North America***

***Montreal, Quebec and Locust Valley, New York, May 21, 2007*** - GSR Consulting Group of Montreal, Quebec and Montague of Locust Valley, New York jointly announced today a new partnership to expand the range of consulting services on both sides of the US-Canada border.

Offering customized solutions to meet the specific risk management needs of their customers is what drives the GSR Consulting Group and Montague Risk Management.

Both organizations have developed innovative approaches by unifying various risk management and business continuity disciplines into a single integrated program for their clients. From emergency to crisis management, business continuity and information security to IT recovery and high availability, Montague and GSR offer experience, integrity and objectivity to their clients and have built a reputation for innovation, on-time and on-budget delivery of effective results.

“With this partnership, we can strengthen our commitment to our clients to serve their needs wherever they operate in North America” said Daniel Baigné, President, GSR Consulting Group. “GSR has built up long standing relationships with its client base in Canada. This partnership will allow us to continue our growth in the US. Montague brings extensive expertise in emergency management through its work with FEMA after hurricane Katrina.”

“We are very pleased to partner with GSR as they share our philosophy in approaching clients’ specific risk management and business continuity needs” said Kathleen Lucey, President, Montague Risk Management. “GSR’s team will expand our capability to serve major clients keeping our high standard for quality and expertise. We will both benefit from our mutual experience with major financial institutions in areas of information security and business continuity.”

### ***GSR Consulting Group***

Since 1993, the GSR Consulting Group has provided consulting services, specializing in business continuity, information security and crisis management. Our team has a multidisciplinary expertise that is unparalleled in Canada. We strive to help and support our customers in improving their risk management by developing an integrated and comprehensive business continuity program that takes into account the reality of their organization.

We’ve earned the trust of our customers. We’ve done so thanks to unwavering business principles and a dynamic and experienced team that has made us one of the most respected consulting firms in the field — and a very valuable partner to Montague and its clients.

### ***Montague Risk Management***

Kathleen Lucey and Herve Riou founded Montague Risk Management in 1996 in New York, in order to unify the various risk management and continuity disciplines into single integrated program for



clients. Evolving largely from the regulated corporate and large government agency world, traditional Disaster Recovery and Business Continuity were becoming further and further isolated from the real world of private sector business. We designed Montague Risk Management from the beginning to be innovative and responsive to real business requirements.

Montague Risk Management puts together project teams based on the specific skills needed to overcome the challenges of each specific project: from power engineers to emergency managers, from press mavens to InfoSec techs to IT experts to continuity movers and shakers. Under the professional supervision of experienced project managers, they bring it all together for our clients. With such highly qualified team members, Montague Risk Management has built a reputation for on-time, on-budget delivery of effective results.

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