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PRESS RELEASE

Celestar Corporation Awarded Army National Guard Contract

Arlington, Virginia, Jun 24, 2009: Tampa-based small business defense contractor Celestar Corporation was awarded a follow-on Army National Guard (ARNG) Low Density Recruiting contract on 24 June 2009. The Low Density Recruiting (LDR) program was created in 2004 to improve personnel readiness across the ARNG by identifying and re-assigning Soldiers in various occupational fields, taking Soldier's geographical preferences and Army needs into consideration. The average monthly Return on Investment (ROI) is estimated at \$2M, with a total ROI of over \$83M since inception; the LDR program has saved over a millennium in training years in addition to the monetary savings.

"We are excited to be able to support the Army National Guard and their critical mission. We intend to continue to provide the same high quality service that we have provided to other Department of Defense entities over the past five years," said Greg Celestan, Celestar Corporation's CEO.

Celestar Corporation is working with a defense industry partner, Management and Training Consultants, Inc., to deliver the highest quality and most cost-effective services to the ARNG for this program.

The LDR program has personnel strategically placed across the U.S. and Hawaii to provide support to Reserve Component Career Counselors (RCCC) and other key stakeholders. The LDR program acts as a force multiplier by working in conjunction with the Active and Reserve Component Career Counselors, ARNG Recruiting & Retention Force, ARNG commanders, and key stakeholders to facilitate the accession, assignment, and retention of Soldiers possessing a critical occupational skill, with a focus towards the Military Intelligence community. It also provides a vehicle that allows Soldiers to be assigned to vacancies for their occupation within the ARNG who would otherwise not be able to. In addition to manning the force, the LDR program provides critical training, personnel, and analytical services and acts as a bridge between various key stakeholders within National Guard Bureau.

The Global War on Terrorism has continued to place increasing demands on ARNG personnel resources, particularly those in Low Density High Demand Military Occupational Specialties. In response to these increasing demands, Celestar Corporation and its partner are excited to continue the LDR program and provide a centralized management approach that will strategically focus on increasing readiness throughout Low Density occupational fields within the ARNG.

About Celestar Corporation

Celestar Corporation is a small disadvantaged, Service Disabled Veteran Owned Small Business, incorporated in 2001 and based in Tampa, Florida. Celestar Corporation provides smart, cost-effective consulting solutions to the United States Government and has personnel currently serving in multiple geographic locations. Celestar Corporation has set itself apart from its peers by consistently providing responsive, tailored, and high quality support to its customers. Our ability to attract and retain former and recently retired military and civilian professionals is central to our success.