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SUCCESSFUL LAUNCH OF KENYON/GATES AND PARTNERS EMERGENCY RESPONSE PROGRAM TO LONDON INSURANCE MARKET

London, UK, January 5, 2006 - A joint venture between Kenyon International and Gates and Partners combines 75 years of experience in emergency response and disaster management with the expertise of a leading niche aerospace law firm. Launched mid-September, the collaboration was met with immediate enthusiasm by several organisations within the London insurance market and an initial round of presentations were given to a number of leading aviation underwriters and brokers.

Sean Gates, Senior Partner at Gates and Partners commented, "Too often in the past it has been the case that the first time that all of the various team members involved in a major accident response met was shortly after the call was received to activate in response to a major catastrophe. The benefits of a joint approach and pre-accident preparedness planning were obvious to see."

Robert Jensen, President and CEO of Kenyon added, "While each of the elements of the response team were expert in their respective fields, the optimum level of organization and response to the ultimate benefit of victims and their families could never be achieved when that team had not had an opportunity to work as a unit in a training or pre-accident situation."

Presentations in London focused upon the exclusive Gates/Kenyon emergency preparedness audit program, bench marking airline emergency response planning and consequence management programs against world best practice with an audit team made up of experts from both Kenyon and Gates.

About Kenyon International

Kenyon is an international leader in worldwide disaster management, providing pre-incident crisis planning and post-emergency response services on behalf of the world's foremost companies. Privately owned, Kenyon remains the only firm in its business with a hundred year history, comprehensive resources, and experience in every type of mass fatality accident including aviation disasters, natural disaster, war and terror attacks. Headquartered in Houston, Texas, it has offices and facilities in Sydney, Australia, London, UK, and Hong Kong.

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