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Willis Risk Solutions Strengthens Presence in the Philadelphia Market

New York, NY, May 3, 2007 – Willis Group Holdings Limited (NYSE:WSH), the global insurance broker, today announced that Mark A. Lynch has joined its Greater Philadelphia office as Executive Vice President, Willis Risk Solutions (WRS), the company's specialty practice focusing on large and complex risks.

Lynch joins Willis with over 25 years of experience in the insurance industry, primarily with Marsh, where he was most recently a Managing Director. Lynch was a Client Executive in Marsh's Risk Management practice for 17 years as well as the Mid-Atlantic Zone Life Science Practice Leader for the last five years.

Peter Austen, Regional Partner and CEO of Willis' operations in Pennsylvania stated, "The valuable client experience and relationships that Mark brings to Willis will serve him well in fostering a culture of growth and client partnerships and further strengthens our worldwide Client Advocacy model. The clients in this marketplace are sophisticated and recognize the value, service and efficiencies Willis can provide through Mark and his team."

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