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(BW)(DC-SOLUTION-BEACON) Solution Beacon, LLC Chief Executive Officer Mary Lou Weiss Has Named Longtime Industry Veteran Jeffrey J. Linden as President and Chief Operating Officer

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WASHINGTON--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Jan. 8, 2003--"Jeff is stepping up to an even more crucial role in Solution Beacon's leadership team," said Weiss. "He has the proven ability to create and grow effective organizations, as well as to make the tough decisions that will keep Solution Beacon, LLC moving forward on our priorities."

Prior to joining Solution Beacon, LLC in May 2002, Linden was VP of Information Technology at Accor North America, which operates Red Roof Inns, Motel 6, Studio 6 and the upscale Sofitel and Novotel brands. The 12 years prior to his tenure at Accor were spent in senior technology consulting roles for clients such as EDS, Travelers Express and Sealand Corporation.

"Solution Beacon, LLC is well positioned for explosive growth," said Linden. "With the quality and depth of resources at our disposal, the sky is the limit with regards to our ability to continue to exceed expectations in delivery to a broader client base. Very few companies have the true enterprise experience that Solution Beacon, LLC brings to the table. Functional expertise in Oracle Applications is one thing, but Solution Beacon, LLC also has extensive experience providing systems utilizing high availability, load balancing and industry-leading security. I am looking forward to the new year and all of the opportunity it will bring."

About Solution Beacon, LLC

Solution Beacon, LLC, founded by Randy Giefer in January 2001, is a leading provider of expert-level resources for the most widely used Enterprise Management Systems and Technologies. They specialize in the Oracle Applications marketplace, providing leading expertise in Oracle's all-in-one enterprise software, Oracle E-Business Suite, Applications Release 11i. Their resources are highly qualified and skilled in their respective industries covering government, manufacturing, distribution, telecommunications, health care and e-Business.

For more information on Solution Beacon, visit their Web site at <http://www.solutionbeacon.com/>.

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