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## **Ingenero Relocates North American Headquarters to Texas** *High-End Engineering Firm Calls Houston Home*

**HOUSTON (July 23, 2007)** – Ingenero, a high-end engineering and applied technology company providing technical resources and services for prominent engineering and processing clients, recently relocated its North American Headquarters from Boston to Houston with its technical offices remaining in Mumbai, India, announced Jim Brigman, Ingenero Executive Vice President.

Ingenero was founded in Boston in 2003, where the rich science and technology centers offered a base of engineers. Ingenero opted to relocate its headquarters from New England to the Gulf Coast because of Houston's industry base, which is rich in petrochemical and engineering firms. Ingenero's clients include some of the largest energy and engineering firms in the world, which are primarily based in the Gulf Coast region.

According to the Greater Houston Partnership, 47 percent of the region's economic base employment — those sectors of the local economy that export goods and services outside the region — is related to energy. This concentration of oil expertise and experience has meant a large number of relocations to Houston nearly every year since Shell Oil left New York for Houston in 1971. Energy firms relocating to Houston in recent years include CITGO, Halliburton, Chevron and Phillips, GlobalSantaFe, and Noble Affiliates Inc. More than 3,600 energy-related establishments are located within the Houston Metropolitan Statistical Area, including more than 550 exploration and production firms, more than 200 pipeline transportation establishments and hundreds of manufacturers and wholesalers of energy-sector products.

"Houston is the U.S. energy headquarters and a world center for virtually every segment of the petroleum industry, which makes it an ideal location for Ingenero's headquarters," Brigman said.

"In addition, Houston's international business community provides an excellent environment for Ingenero's growth plans while allowing us to reside close to where our customers are."

Ingenero enables clients to quickly and cost-effectively expand their technical human resource base by globally leveraging the best available engineering and scientific graduates from top universities in its offering of both remote and onsite technical teams who offer complete operating solutions, which routinely results in maximizing client profits.

"Ingenero combines leading edge technology with a best practices approach and highly-qualified engineers," Brigman said.

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