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ARCHSTONE CONSULTING EXPANDS GLOBAL PRESENCE

Strategy and Operations Consulting Firm Opens London Office

STAMFORD, CT – January 30, 2006 Responding to its clients' needs for global strategic consulting services, Archstone Consulting today announced that it has expanded its international operations and established Archstone Consulting UK Limited in London.

Archstone Consulting, headquartered in Stamford, CT, delivers strategic and operational consulting services to its clients. The firm has expanded rapidly and currently has more than 200 people, with additional U.S. offices in Chicago, New York and San Francisco. The firm opened its first international office in the Netherlands in 2005.

As part of the announcement, Archstone Consulting has named Alasdair Mackintosh, Principal in the Life Sciences practice, as head of the UK Operations and leader of Life Sciences in Europe. Before joining Archstone Consulting, Mr. Mackintosh was a Vice President with Gemini Consulting/Capgemini, and most recently he was the European leader of their marketing and sales practice within the Life Sciences sector. He is a Sloan Fellow of the London Business School. Mr. Mackintosh will continue to focus on Life Sciences further expanding Archstone Consulting's strong footprint in the industry. The firm will also continue supporting its other key industry areas including Consumer Products and Retail, High Tech and Industrial Manufacturing, and Service Industries.

"Our expansion in the UK is indicative of a strong demand by our clients to embrace globalization strategies as a means to identifying new growth opportunities and operational efficiencies," stated Todd Lavieri, CEO and President of Archstone Consulting. "We are excited to have Alasdair join our team of principals, and look forward to his contributions as we continue to focus on servicing our clients' multi-national consulting needs."

About Archstone Consulting

Archstone Consulting is a rapidly growing, independent strategy and operations management consultancy. Archstone Consulting specializes in corporate transformations, CFO advisory services, and operations improvement services to fund growth in the consumer products and retail, life sciences, manufacturing, and services sectors. Archstone Consulting offers experienced support, efficient execution and measurable results. Headquartered in Stamford, Connecticut, the company has offices in Amsterdam, Chicago, London, New York, and San Francisco. For additional information, please visit the company's web site at www.archstoneconsulting.com

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