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Robert "Bob" Pragada is the President of Global Buildings, Infrastructure and Industrial business at Jacobs Engineering Group (NYSE: JEC), one of the world's largest and most diverse providers of technical professional and construction services. With annual revenues exceeding \$12.1 billion and 64,000 employees on six continents, Jacobs is a global leader in project, process, scientific and systems consulting, construction, and operations and maintenance services.

As President of the Group, Bob is a member of the executive leadership team and his business accounts for more than 26,000 personnel and \$5.0 billion in Jacobs' annual business, providing critical support to clients in every major geography. Most recently, Bob led the process to successfully acquire CH2M, a \$5 billion diversified technical services leader in the infrastructure, water, environmental and nuclear space. Expected to close after regulatory approval at the end of the year, the transaction is one of the largest of its kind in the engineering and construction sector.

From 2014-2016, he served as President and CEO of The Brock Group as well as serving on its board. At Brock, he worked to improve execution platforms, overall customer experience and increase professional opportunities for the company's 17,000 employees. During his tenure at the helm of the privately held specialty craft services company, The Brock Group was named one of *Engineering News-Record's* (ENR) five top specialty contractors, placed second in ENR's top 20 firms in industrial services, and earned numerous honors for excellence in safety.

In taking the reins as Jacobs' President, Global Buildings, Infrastructure and Industrial Group, he returned to the company where he built his reputation for servicing process and industrial markets customers at the highest level. As Group Vice President at Jacobs from 2006 to 2014, he led the 3,000 employee global business to revenue of more than \$1 billion annually, providing engineering, construction, fabrication and technical services to the industrial and manufacturing sectors.

The leadership approach Bob has become known for was honed during his nine years of service as a U.S. Navy Civil Engineer Corps and Seabees Officer, during which time he provided base construction and maintenance services at the White House, Camp David, Naval facilities, internationally and in the U.S., along with global contingency operations. Serving in multiple operations and project management positions, he rose to the rank of Lieutenant Commander before joining the private sector in 1999 as Chief Operating Officer at Kinetics. In six years guiding Kinetics' global business, his international expertise helped the global contracting firm grow to more than 2,000 employees around the world with annual revenues of \$700 million.

From his naval service, Bob brings a strong commitment to philanthropy and improving lives. He is a supporter of Youth Services and sits on the Board of Trustees of the U.S. Naval Academy Foundation. He is an active member of the USNA and Stanford Alumni associations and a contributor to local and national charities, including The Sally Watson Foundation, serving at-risk youth in Philadelphia, the Wounded Warriors Project and AMVETS. He holds a B.S. in Systems Engineering from the United States Naval Academy, M.S. in Engineering and Management from Stanford University, and attended the Executive Leadership Program at the University of Michigan.