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Healthcare Consulting Company Added to The PCT® Companies Growing Roster of Professional Services Firms

Washington, DC — January 4, 2009 — The PCT Companies, LLC (“PCT”) - the nation’s only integrated provider of Intellectual Property-based public policy, strategic management and monetization advisory services for the knowledge economy - today announced the acquisition of Innovative Health Solutions, Inc. (“IHS”), a leading provider of healthcare consulting services. IHS provides consulting services for public and private sector health care organizations and its expertise ranges from disease control and management to development of health education and prevention campaigns, organizational development, social marketing, technical assistance and training, and policy implementation using traditional and non-traditional marketing vehicles. IHS provides its clients with strategic, innovative and culturally appropriate services and products to ensure maximum impact. IHS offers a broad spectrum of creative consulting services that enable health care providers to develop effective delivery systems. Mori Taheripour, Founder and Managing Director of Innovative Health Solutions will continue to manage IHS from its Washington D.C. headquarters, operating as a subsidiary of the PCT.

“The acquisition of IHS reflects our corporate strategy of adding businesses that complement our intellectual property core capabilities and offer opportunities for significant market expansion in the area of healthcare.” said Michael D. Walker, PCT Co-founder and Vice-Chairman. “We believe IHS’ functional expertise in healthcare will position the PCT Companies as the preeminent provider of healthcare consulting services.”

Commenting on the transaction, Walker, stated, “This is another step in our strategy to serve our clients by providing best-in-class solutions for professional services from a single source. Healthcare consulting is a rapidly growing field and one where PCT did not have a presence. With this transaction, we significantly strengthen our capabilities and offerings in this key vertical.”

As the global knowledge-based economy grows, client value will be generated not just from the application of knowledge-based innovation and technologies, but also from intangible ideas. To meet client demand, PCT is investing significantly to offer differentiated business solutions that combine innovation, technology, intellectual property, and industry expertise to improve our



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customers' business results. We are focused on developing high-value, technology-enabled business solutions, consulting services and business process outsourcing offerings for our key vertical markets.

“Combining the respective strengths of PCT and IHS accelerates our healthcare business plan and is a significant step toward our goal of transforming healthcare through the use of our combined core strengths,” said Ms. Taheripour. “IHS brings new industry-specific solutions and capabilities that, when combined with PCT’s intellectual property and technology expertise, will enable us to bring more comprehensive and innovative solutions to the healthcare market.”

About the PCT® Companies:

The PCT Companies (www.PCTCompanies.com), headquartered in Washington, DC with satellite offices in Northern Virginia, Northern California and Beijing, PRC, is comprised of a family of professional services firms. PCT’s professionals are internationally recognized for providing unmatched diversity and depth of experience to a broad range of clientele such as corporations, law firms, investors, individuals, government agencies and research institutions. PCT is a certified MBE firm.

About Innovative Health Solutions:

Innovative Health Solutions (www.innovativehealth.com) provides consulting services for public and private sector health care organizations. Our experience ranges from disease control and management to development of health education and prevention campaigns, organizational development, and policy implementation.

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