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## **Fidelity Mechanical Services Acquires Martin J. Braun Co.**

**BALTIMORE, MD** (February 14, 2017) – Fidelity Mechanical Services (FMS), a Fidelity Engineering Company and premier provider of Mechanical HVAC design, installation and service in the Mid-Atlantic region, has acquired Martin J. Braun Co. (MJB). The acquisition was completed on February 13, 2017.

Started in 1974, MJB is a leading mechanical contractor that manufactures and installs plumbing, HVAC, and sheet metal products in industrial and commercial buildings. The company provides numerous types of piping installations, including piping for chilled water and heating water, steam, sanitation, domestic water, storm and natural gas. Its HVAC business primarily fabricates and installs duct work and specialized exhaust systems. MJB is headquartered in Baltimore, Maryland.

The acquisition will allow Fidelity to expand its concentration on Federal government contract work and further diversify its offerings.

“Through this acquisition, Fidelity Mechanical Services will be able to put more focus and strategy on increasing a very important sector of our business and that’s government contracting,” says Dave Lanphar, CEO/Partner of Fidelity Engineering Corporation. “We’re very excited about the new opportunities that this will bring to our organization.”

The MJB team will report directly to Carmine Mistichelli, President/Partner of Fidelity Mechanical Services.

“Fidelity Mechanical Services welcomes the talented team of Martin J. Braun, as well as their clients, to our organization,” says Carmine Mistichelli, President/Partner of Fidelity Mechanical Services. “Our combined expertise in the Mechanical HVAC field will give customers an exceptional experience and finished product, while enhancing Fidelity’s commitment to proactive, world-class service.”

**About Fidelity Mechanical Services:**

Fidelity Mechanical Services, a Fidelity Engineering Company, is the premier provider of Mechanical HVAC design, installation and service in the Mid-Atlantic region. Its business is to create and maintain high-performance buildings by applying the latest in energy efficiency technologies. Fidelity’s experience

spans more than 70 years and includes working with some of the nation's leading developers, property managers, data center managers and Fortune 500 companies. Fidelity's expertise is in developing LEED-Platinum office buildings, upgrading data centers to incorporate state of the art cooling systems, replacing central plant chillers and setting up custom maintenance plans for HVAC systems.

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