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**NATIONAL RESPONSE CORPORATION AND RESOLVE MARINE
GROUP SIGN TEAMING AGREEMENT TO PROVIDE "1CALL"TM*
OSRO AND SALVAGE COMPLIANCE SERVICES**

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: National Response Corporation (NRC) and Resolve Marine Group (Resolve) announce that they have signed a teaming agreement to provide "1Call" Oil Spill Removal Organization (OSRO) and Salvage, Firefighting, and Emergency Towing & Lightering (Salvage) compliance services.

The agreement provides for the coordination of resources from each company to offer the highest level of response services while simplifying both the operational aspects of a response and the administrative burden related to regulatory compliance. Through the agreement, NRC and Resolve will offer their clients a single fee for comprehensive Oil Pollution Act of 1990 (OPA 90) and California State compliance services. This program specifically provides NRC's OSRO and Resolve's Salvage services. Each service will be provided via a separate contract (both of which have previously been found to be in conformance with the International Group of P&I Club's guidelines). The services may also be acquired individually, although the combined service will be priced very competitively. Additionally, NRC is examining other specialized

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environmental response services to augment the “1Call” service and anticipates offering an enhanced dispersant compliance service.

The new “1Call” approach will offer the following benefits:

- Single point billing for OSRO, Salvage and Dispersant services.
- Simplified central point of contact.
- Cost savings due to greater efficiencies.
- Unified approach to spill mitigation and salvage response.

Steve Candito, President of NRC commented: “We are very pleased to be working with Resolve, one of the leading salvage and firefighting companies in the country. We have been refining the “1Call” concept for a long time from the early days of OPA 90 when “one stop shop” meant responding to spills of all sizes and in all operating areas. It is very exciting to see this concept develop into a true “1Call” system with the inclusion of Salvage services now and enhanced Dispersant compliance services in the very near future.”

Joe Farrell, President of Resolve noted: “We look forward to the opportunity to work more closely with NRC to provide streamlined regulatory compliance and response services. With this type of coordination and the combined experience from hundreds of spill responses and salvage related efforts between our companies, we believe the benefits of this new relationship



will result in greater emergency response expediency. Our existing clients have been asking us to expand our services and this agreement allows us to do just that in a coordinated and efficient way.

For more information on “1Call” service contact Michael Reese, NRC Vice President Vessel Services at 631 224-9141, extension 309 or Todd Schauer (Resolve), Vice President of Operations and Engineering at 954 764-8700 extension 104.

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