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# MEDIA RELEASE

## Harbourside Engineering Group acquires W S Langley Concrete & Materials Technology Inc.

**DARTMOUTH, NS, 12-August-2024** - Harbourside Engineering Group is expanding its materials testing and forensic concrete consulting capabilities with the recent acquisition of W S Langley Concrete & Materials Technology Inc.

Dr. Wilbert (Wib) S. Langley, M.Eng., P.Eng., FACI, FCSCE, president of W S Langley Concrete & Materials Technology Inc., brings more than five decades of specialized experience in concrete materials engineering. His expertise includes specializing in the advancement of concrete technology and testing, service life modeling/prediction, thermal control plans for mass concrete placement and providing materials engineering consulting services to engineering firms, architects, contractors and the construction industry as a whole. Notable projects include consulting for the Halifax Harbour Bridges, Confederation Bridge, the Gordie Howe International Bridge, William R Bennett Bridge, and Hoover Dam Bridge.

Also joining the team is Dr. Ted Moffatt, Ph.D., P.Eng, a professional engineer with more than a decade of combined academic and industry experience related to concrete materials, specifications, performance, mix design development, durability and sustainability, non-destructive testing, concrete condition assessments, and low carbon concrete.

“This is an exciting growth milestone for Harbourside,” said Harbourside Engineering president Robbie Fraser. “Dr. Langley and his team have significant expertise and experience in the concrete industry that will enable Harbourside to offer expanded services to our clients and reach new markets. Harbourside has a long, highly successful and valued relationship with Wib and his team. Bringing them into the Harbourside family allows us to continue our commitment of building a center of engineering excellence that our ever-growing local, national, and international clients can leverage to achieve the highest level of success on their projects.”

Harbourside’s geotechnical and materials group will now be able to offer clients additional concrete testing services. Additionally, with specialized knowledge in forensic concrete analysis, the W S Langley team’s ability to assess the causes and extent of deterioration in concrete structures will be an asset to Harbourside’s structural rehabilitation design work on concrete bridge, marine and industrial structures.

“This acquisition marks an exciting new chapter for our team. By joining forces with Harbourside, we are expanding our capacity and enhancing our ability to deliver solutions in concrete technology and forensic analysis. I look forward to working together to continue pushing the boundaries of innovation and excellence in the industry,” said Dr. Langley.

Harbourside Engineering Group is one of Atlantic Canada's largest independently owned heavy civil infrastructure engineering design firms. The Engineering Group, comprised of four companies - Harbourside Engineering Consultants, Harbourside Geotechnical Consultants, Harbourside Transportation Consultants, and Harbourside Project Management - offers public and private sector clients a robust array of talent in civil, structural, geotechnical and transportation engineering, as well as project management. Harbourside is also affiliated with the Harbourside Industrial Group which is made up of mill wrights, Red Seal pipe fitters, and iron workers that supplies experienced and value-added mechanical services to Atlantic Canadian industrial and mining companies with engineering support from the Harbourside Engineering Group on a when and where needed basis.

With Harbourside offices currently located in Dartmouth, NS, Charlottetown, PE, St. John's, NL, and Hamilton, ON, the W S Langley team plan to further their market reach across Canada and in Harbourside's ever-expanding international market.

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