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### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

#### **LINC FACILITY SERVICES ACQUIRES MET ELECTRICAL**

*Transaction Provides Complementary Mission-Critical Electrical Testing Services for LFS Mid-Atlantic Customers*

**Houston, TX — June 5, 2006** — Linc Facility Services, LLC (LFS) announced it has purchased Lanham, MD-based MET Electrical Testing, LLC (MET), the first independent electrical testing and maintenance service company established in the United States. The acquisition, which also includes its Substation Test Company division and Carolina Electrical Testing (CET) subsidiary, will allow LFS to provide a new level of electrical and power capabilities to its mission-critical facilities clients in Pittsburgh, Baltimore, metropolitan Washington DC, Raleigh/Durham, and Virginia's Richmond/Tidewater region, where MET has offices. All three newly-acquired companies were owned by Pepco Energy Services, a wholly owned and separately operated subsidiary of Potomac Electric Power Company.

“A pioneer and well-established leader in its industry, MET provides the engineering expertise, experience, and credentials LFS needs to better meet the needs of our Mid-Atlantic customers who manage facilities with critical operations such as airports, hospitals, data centers, government agencies, and others,” said Phil Rogers, president and CEO of LFS. “Having just opened an executive office in

Alexandria, Virginia, the MET acquisition further strengthens LFS's presence in the Mid-Atlantic region, and aligns perfectly with our goals to enhance our array of customer service offerings and to expand into new markets."

Founded in 1959, MET is the first and oldest independent electrical testing company in the U.S. The company, together with CET and Substation, provide a single source for professional electrical testing and engineering services that assure reliability, safety, and compliance of industrial and commercial electrical power systems and equipment. MET has an established client base in the mission-critical and healthcare markets, including Sweetheart Cup, PNC Financial, HJ Heinz, Legg Mason, Lehigh Cement, Johns Hopkins, AOL Time Warner, Orion Power Midwest, Human Genome Sciences, and other major organizations and military and government agencies.

"Companies today face increased challenges when it comes to keeping their mission-critical operations up and running 24/7," said Frank Ceci, MET's vice president of operations. "We're very excited about teaming with LFS, a facilities management giant with a superior technology platform and winning business methodology. Together, I'm confident we can deliver the advanced tools and resources needed to create leading-edge solutions that minimize our mutual customers' challenges and help them better manage the life cycle of their electric power distribution systems."

In a related transaction, LFS's sister company, Linc Services, has acquired Pepco-owned Seaboard Mechanical Services, a leading provider of mobile HVAC, refrigeration, and electrical services to commercial and industrial facilities throughout the Mid-Atlantic. Both LFS and Linc Services are divisions of The Linc Group, LLC.

### **About Pepco Energy Services**

Pepco Energy Services, Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of Pepco Holdings, Inc. (NYSE: POM), provides commercial, institutional, government and industrial customers with comprehensive energy management solutions, including the supply of electricity and natural gas, energy efficiency studies, fuel management services, heating, ventilation and air conditioning systems, lighting, onsite generation, project financing, and energy operations and maintenance services. In 2005, Pepco Energy Services

generated revenues of more than \$1 billion from energy and energy-related services and has completed energy efficiency projects from North Carolina to Connecticut. Visit [www.pepcoenergy.com](http://www.pepcoenergy.com) for more information.

### **About Linc Facility Services**

Headquartered in Houston, Texas, LFS is a business-to-business productivity partner and a leader in technology and high-value facility services. Since 1979, LFS has been delivering services to a diverse range of corporate, institutional, and government clients throughout the United States and around the world. Through a network of regional offices, LFS and its subsidiaries provide differentiated and innovative facility management solutions that drive quality, efficiency, and a reliable means to superior results. As a “partner in productivity” LFS’ goal is to deliver solutions that enable its clients, from airports and military installations to financial institutions and manufacturing plants, to save valuable time and money and operate at their highest levels of performance. For more information about LFS and the services it offers visit [www.lincfs.com](http://www.lincfs.com).

### **About The Linc Group**

With its headquarters divided between Houston, TX, and Irvine, CA, TLG is the most innovative provider of comprehensive facility performance services nationwide. Structured from three established industry leaders — Linc Facility Services (LFS), Linc Network, and Linc Mechanical Services — TLG unites the companies through a unique business methodology and technology framework. The result is an efficient, best-practices enterprise operation offering the most advanced, profitable service solutions in the industry. Collectively, TLG companies service more than 15,000 facilities in 42 states and in select international markets through a professional workforce totaling more than 2,400 employees. For more information about TLG and its companies, visit [www.thelincgroup.com](http://www.thelincgroup.com).