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**THE LINC GROUP CEO TRACY K. PRICE NAMED
ERNST & YOUNG ENTREPRENEUR OF THE YEAR[®] 2008 AWARD
RECIPIENT IN ORANGE COUNTY/DESERT CITIES**
Award Recognizes Entrepreneurial Excellence in Business Services Category

IRVINE, CA — JUNE 17, 2008 — The Linc[®] Group, LLC, a global provider of technical business services, is pleased to announce its president and chief executive officer, Tracy K. Price, received the Ernst & Young Entrepreneur of the Year[®] 2008 Award in the business services category in the Orange County/Desert Cities program. According to Ernst & Young LLP, the award recognizes outstanding entrepreneurs who are building and leading dynamic, growing businesses. Price was selected by an independent panel of judges, and the award was presented at a gala event on June 11, 2008 at the Hyatt Regency Irvine.

Since its inception, Price's vision for The Linc Group has been to transform the services industry through the implementation of productivity tools, technological innovation, education, and continuous improvement. Under his leadership, the company has grown to be a global technical and business services provider with 4,200 employees and more than \$500M in revenue. Customers include large airports, hospitals, sports arenas, government and military facilities, and other commercial buildings in

the U.S. and abroad. This is remarkable in that the company was owned by Enron before its implosion in 2001. Price and his executive team spent the next two years working 14 hours a day, six days a week to avoid being bankrupted by Enron's demise and protecting the company and its employees from financial ruin. Through extreme commitment and perseverance, Price was able to wrest the company back from the Enron black hole in 2003 and successfully execute his vision.

“Collectively we waged an epic battle against Enron and overcame long odds to become the successful enterprise we are today,” said Price. “What we have done together since to diversify and build our business over the past four years illustrates the talent, spirit, and dedication of our people. I’m honored to accept this prestigious award on behalf of the entire Linc team and in recognition of our remarkable story.”

The Ernst & Young Entrepreneur Of The Year awards celebrate their 22nd anniversary this year. The program honors entrepreneurs who have demonstrated exceptionality in such areas as innovation, financial performance, and personal commitment to their businesses and communities.

“Ernst & Young is pleased to honor outstanding business leaders such as Tracy Price,” said Kurt Binder, Ernst & Young Entrepreneur Of The Year Program Director for the Orange County/Desert Cities program. “Award recipients of the Entrepreneur Of The Year Award build leading businesses and contribute a great deal to the communities around them. Their success helps our area grow stronger.”

As an Orange County/Desert Cities award recipient, Price is now eligible for consideration for the Ernst & Young Entrepreneur Of The Year 2008 national program. Award recipients in several national categories, as well as the overall national Ernst & Young Entrepreneur Of The Year award recipient, will be announced at the annual awards gala in Palm Springs, California on November 15, 2008. The awards are the culminating event of the Ernst & Young Strategic Growth Forum, the nation's prestigious gathering of high-growth, market-leading companies.

About The Linc Group

Irvine, CA-based TLG is one of the premier providers of business services — including on-site integrated facility operations management and training services; commercial mobile heating, ventilation, and air condition (HVAC) services; commercial and residential lighting and electrical preventative maintenance and repair; and bundled energy solutions — in the world. Structured from four established industry leaders — Linc Facility Services, Linc Network, Linc Mechanical/Linc Services, and Linc Lighting & Electrical Services — TLG unites the companies through its unique business methodology and Microsoft Pinnacle award-winning technology framework. Collectively, TLG companies service more than 20,000 facilities in 45 states and in select international markets through a professional workforce totaling approximately 4,200 employees. For more information, visit www.thelincgroup.com.

About the Ernst & Young Entrepreneur Of The Year Awards

Ernst & Young's Entrepreneur Of The Year is the world's most prestigious business award for entrepreneurs. The award makes a difference through the unique way it encourages entrepreneurial activity among those with potential and recognizes the contribution of people who inspire others with their vision, leadership and achievement. As the first and only truly global award of its kind, Ernst & Young Entrepreneur Of The Year celebrates those who are building and leading successful, growing and dynamic businesses, recognizing them through regional, national and global awards programs in more than 135 cities in 50 countries.

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