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Crawford & Company® Global Technical Services™ expands aviation team with engineering appointment

LONDON (August 22, 2017) – Crawford & Company® (NYSE: CRD-A and CRD-B), the world's largest publicly listed independent provider of claims management solutions to insurance companies and self-insured entities, adds Simon Beetham to the engineering ranks of its aviation team within its Global Technical Services™ (GTS™) division.

Crawford's GTS™ division specializes in managing major, complex losses around the globe and the appointment of Simon, from British Airways' aircraft maintenance division, further strengthens its engineering capability for aviation claims.

Joining in August, Simon will take up the role of aviation surveyor. His appointment provides additional industry insight for the Crawford GTS™ aviation team, particularly given his 27 years' service with an airline and experience covering a wide range of fleet aircraft, in particular long haul machinery.

Trevor Light, CEO of Crawford Aviation, says "To have an engineer of Simon's calibre join our team is a real coup. As Aircraft Maintenance Supervisor he has been closely involved with the certification of a new fleet of planes including the Boeing's 787 Dreamliner, Airbus A380s and 747 400s. He has been based out of Terminal 5 at London Heathrow and knows the industry inside out. For the insurance sector responding to claims, it's vital that we are able to put expertise like Simon's on the ground."

Crawford Aviation has a global team of 46 highly skilled practitioners in London, Frankfurt, Fort Lauderdale, Rio de Janeiro and a comprehensive presence throughout the USA with Aviation Light Services Corp. (ALSC), a Crawford company.

“Crawford GTS is committed to the aviation sector and has plans for future investment,” adds Trevor. “It is one of our key strategic goals to invest in specialist skills and to leverage the power of our global network. Simon’s appointment certainly represents this strategy in practice.”

About Crawford

Based in Atlanta, Ga., Crawford & Company® (www.crawfordandcompany.com) Crawford & Company (NYSE: CRD-A and CRD-B), the world's largest publicly listed independent provider of claims management solutions to companies and self-insured entities, with an expansive global network serving clients in more than 70 countries. The Crawford Solution® offers comprehensive, integrated claims services, business process outsourcing and consulting services for major product lines including property and casualty claims management, workers compensation claims and medical management, and legal settlement administration. The Company’s shares are traded on the NYSE under the symbols CRD-A and CRD-B.

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