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Innovative Government Affairs Firm Adds Corporate Veteran

WASHINGTON, D.C. – Innovative Washington government affairs firm HillStaffer, LLC, has named long-time top Dow Chemical veteran Peter Molinaro as senior advisor with the firm.

“We are delighted to have someone with Peter’s vast government and public affairs expertise and wide depth of experience join us as senior advisor,” said HillStaffer president Thomas R. Rosenfield. “Peter’s leadership will provide our clients with tools indispensable to their efficient and successful advocacy and public affairs efforts.” HillStaffer delivers government relations solutions using a unique, highly effective project management approach that eliminates retainers and long-term contracts, and provides clients access to an unmatched level of subject-matter expertise through its bi-partisan network.

Peter spent nearly 33 years at Dow and its wholly owned subsidiary Union Carbide. As Vice President of Federal and State Government Affairs, he had overall responsibility for Dow’s North American government and public affairs initiatives, including supervision of federal and state government affairs professionals, advocacy management and maintaining relationships with national political, governmental and non-governmental organizations. In addition, he led the company’s advocacy efforts on U.S. energy and climate change policy.

Peter is a 1997 recipient of the Union Carbide Chairman’s Award for Environmental Excellence for his advocacy work on the Land Disposal Program Flexibility Act of 1996. He joined Union Carbide in 1981 as Manager of Community Affairs later serving as Regional Manager of Public Affairs and overseeing state government relations. Peter is a member of the Board of Directors of the American Council for an Energy-Efficient Economy, and served in leadership positions with the Public Affairs Council American Chemistry Council. He holds a masters degree in public administration from the University of Hartford and a bachelors degree in political science from Central Connecticut State University.

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