

Press Release

Akerman Represents Yingling Aviation in Acquisition of Global Engineering & Technology, Inc.

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Akerman represented Yingling Aviation, a leading, full-service provider of maintenance, repair, and overhaul and fixed-base operation services to business and general aviation aircraft, in its acquisition of Global Engineering & Technology, Inc. (GETI), an aircraft interiors service provider.

Founded in 1991 and based in Wichita, Kansas, GETI specializes in aircraft interior design and restoration and has fabricated interiors for over 4,500 business aircraft to date. With this acquisition, Yingling will gain access to GETI's proven capabilities and track record of excellence across the full spectrum of aircraft interior repair and design services, including cabinet restoration, upholstered panel recovering, new furniture production, and seat recovering and refurbishment. Additionally, Yingling will continue to expand its Wichita footprint, with GETI's more than 60,000 square feet of facility space further strengthening capacity for growth.

The Akerman team representing Yingling was led by M&A and Private Equity Co-Chair E. Paul Quinn. The other lawyers involved included:

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