

Press Release

Akerman Senterfitt Represents HEICO Corp. in Pending Acquisition of Reinhold Industries, Inc.

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Akerman Senterfitt today announced that it is serving as lead counsel to HEICO Corp., an aerospace, industrial, defense and electronics company, in its pending acquisition of Reinhold Industries, Inc., one of the world's leading manufacturers of advanced niche components and complex composite assemblies for commercial aviation, defense and space applications. The transaction is expected to close later this month.

The Akerman team includes Jonathan Awner, Kenneth Wiggins, Bill Sullivan, Peter Salomon, and Larry Silverman.

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