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Bill McBride joins Qorval's Advisory Board

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Naples, FL— Prominent attorney and civic leader Bill McBride has joined Qorval LLC's Advisory Board, according to Qorval's founder and managing partner, James R. Malone.

"Bill will be taking an active role in Qorval's practice," Malone said. "With his depth of experience in corporate counseling and strategic planning, as well as mergers and acquisitions, and corporate finance and banking, we will call upon his expertise on a regular basis."

McBride has been a partner in the Tampa-based law firm of Barnett, Bolt, Kirkwood, Long & McBride since 2003. Previously he was managing partner of the Tampa law firm Holland & Knight, which, under his leadership, grew to be the country's seventh largest law firm. A graduate of the University of Florida and the University of Florida Law School, McBride is a Marine Corps veteran and was the Democratic Party nominee for governor of Florida in 2002.

Qorval's advisory board is unique in the corporate renewal industry as it meets regularly to discuss industry and global economic environments and trends. The ten-member board includes Sam Brookfield, former president of the Business Council for the United Nations; Tom Davidson, experienced businessman and past international president of the Young Presidents Organization; Fred N. Davis III, Republican party political advertising guru and branding/marketing executive who was recently profiled in *Time* magazine; Nicholas J. Frangos, a leader in the development of multi-cultural, multi-racial businesses and economic development programs; Don Gunther, former vice chairman of the Bechtel Group; Scott E. Kingdom, a skilled international services executive; Peter C. Meinig, a veteran CEO with international business expertise; Carl Young, a versatile corporate renewal executive; and Admiral Robert J. Natter (USN Retired), who not only has a distinguished Navy career, but who has served as a consultant to McDonald's Corporation.

Qorval, which was formed in 2003 and is based in Naples, FL, specializes in providing hands-on expertise to underperforming companies, both domestic and international. Specific areas of experience include financial advisory services, turnarounds and workouts, crisis and interim management, creditor recovery services, business systems and process optimizations, mergers and acquisition integration, investment platform build-outs, operational due diligence and restructuring counsel.

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