

**South River Consulting Names
BGE Commercial Account Director Executive as Energy Consultant**

BALTIMORE, MD (April 4, 2003)---South River Consulting, LLC, specializing in a comprehensive range of energy procurement services, has named Harry T. Murphy, previously Director of Major Commercial Accounts at BGE, as an Energy Consultant.

In addition to supervising senior key account representatives, Murphy was also a member of the Energy Information Management Task Force and was active in the American Gas Association and the Electric Power Research Institute.

He and his wife reside in Ellicott City.

South River Consulting recently relocated from Columbia to Key Highway where it has tripled its office space.

About South River Consulting

Founded in 1998, South River Consulting, LLC provides commercial and industrial energy users across the country with a comprehensive range of procurement and risk management advisory services. Based on their broad experience in energy transactions on the buy as well as on the sell sides of the market, commodity trading, power generation and transmission, and utility rate structures, South River is uniquely positioned to assist end users in the development and execution of procurement strategies and also in the ongoing management of their energy accounts. The firm's capabilities include contract development and negotiation, distributed power plant development services, economic and technical evaluation, and project development and financing.

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