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BOMI International Course Proves Ethical Behavior is an Environmental Responsibility

Annapolis, MD—Jeffrey A. Horn, BOMI International’s president and CEO, has announced that the U.S. Green Building Council (USGBC) has approved BOMI International’s *Ethics Is Good Business® ShortCourse™*, worth six GBCI CE hours toward the LEED® Credential Maintenance Program.

According to Michael Coleman, BOMI International’s designation manager, the Ethics course is the 10th BOMI International course that the USGBC has approved in recent months. The course is geared toward teaching that maintaining high ethical standards in the facilities management business can reduce costs.

According to Mr. Coleman, *Ethics Is Good Business® ShortCourse™* “is different from the other courses we’ve had approved.” The course is shorter and “culminates in a discussion of the triple bottom line—balancing financial performance, sustainability, and corporate social responsibility—proving that practicing ethical behavior on the job can affect a company fiscally, environmentally, and socially.”

The course is available in a one-day classroom setting, through self-study, or in a virtual classroom through the instructor-led online delivery method.

The course is required for the Real Property Administrator (RPA®) and Facilities Management Administrator (FMA®) designations, but is open to anyone anywhere in the world who is interested in learning more about ethical standards in the facilities maintenance business.

The RPA® designation is vital for both third-party property managers and corporate property managers. The FMA® designation is geared toward

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strategic planning, project management, corporate finance, capital investment, and physical asset management.

For more information and to register for *Ethics Is Good Business*[®] *ShortCourse*[™], visit www.bomi.org, or call BOMI International at 1.800.235.BOMI (2664).

About BOMI International

BOMI International is the premier international provider of educational products and services to the property and facility management industries. As the Independent Institute for Property and Facility Management Education, BOMI International is a not-for-profit educational institute dedicated to improving the skills of professionals with property, facility, and systems responsibilities. BOMI International is known for industry-standard designations—the Real Property Administrator (RPA[®]), the Facilities Management Administrator (FMA[®]), the Systems Maintenance Administrator (SMA[®]), and the Systems Maintenance Technician (SMT[®]). More than 20,000 building professionals hold one or more BOMI International designations, and over 80,000 students have turned to BOMI International for premier education and training. For more information, or to register with BOMI International, e-mail service@bomi.org, visit www.bomi.org, or call 800.235.BOMI (2664).

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