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**Lincoln, Rhode Island, USA – January 1, 2016** – Lighthouse Computer Services (LCS), award-winning regional IT solutions and services leader, is pleased to announce the acquisition of Creative Computing Inc. (CCI), effective January 1, 2016. The addition of the analytics powerhouse -- now Creative Computing, a Lighthouse Company -- allows Lighthouse to offer market-leading analytics software, consulting, and training to its constantly expanding portfolio of products and services.

As Premier IBM Business Partners, both firms are at the forefront of technology innovation—designing, implementing, and supporting market-leading IT solutions and award-winning customer service to Manufacturing, Healthcare, Retail, Higher Ed., Finance, and Insurance.

Greg Berard, GM, Sales and Services: “Lighthouse and Creative Computing share a unified vision of the power of big data and analytics to drive competitive advantage and help customers optimize and monetize their data assets in the cognitive era. Today, companies transact business in an environment where everything generates data. We help them utilize that data to improve IT operations, business performance, and success in the market.”

Since 1991, CCI has earned a reputation as a trusted, award-winning IBM Cognos Premier Partner, focusing in Data Integration, Business Intelligence, Predictive Analytics, and Financial Performance Management.

CEO of Creative Computing, David Doucette: “By combining industry-leading data management and analytics, Lighthouse and Creative Computing help companies create strategies, systems, and solutions that position them for accelerated growth and optimized performance. CCI and LCS share a heritage of customer service excellence, and plan to continue that tradition without wavering.”

We invite customers to explore this new synergy with us at [IBM InterConnect](#).

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