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Breck McGary Appointed CEO of Burns & McDonnell India

Strategic Leadership Transition to Strengthen Company's Global Collaboration and Drive Next-Phase Growth

MUMBAI, India — <u>Burns & McDonnell India</u>, a wholly owned subsidiary of the U.S.-based engineering, construction and architecture firm <u>Burns & McDonnell</u>, is pleased to announce the appointment of Breck McGary, PE, as chief executive officer (CEO) of Burns & McDonnell India, effective Aug. 11, 2025.

McGary brings over 20 years of industry experience, including nine years of progressive leadership at Burns & McDonnell. He most recently served as vice president and Bengaluru office manager, and prior to that led the Transmission & Distribution Group in India, managing a team of more than 400 engineers and designers supporting 70 global client teams across 10 business lines. His track record includes establishing the Bengaluru office, a pivotal move that set the foundation for long-term, sustainable growth in the region.

"Breck's passion for excellence, his deep operational insight, and his proven ability to build high-performing teams make him the ideal choice to lead our India operations," says Mike Brown, vice president for international operations at Burns & McDonnell. "His leadership comes at a critical time as we continue to expand our global reach. With Breck at the helm, I'm confident Burns & McDonnell India will play an even greater role in our collaboration and strategic growth over the next five years."

Departing CEO Chad Hotovec, reflecting on the leadership transition, says, "We're proud to welcome Breck McGary as our new CEO. His thoughtful leadership and forward-looking approach position us well for what's ahead. I'm confident he'll help us grow and evolve in ways that matter."

"I'm honored to lead Burns & McDonnell India into its next chapter of growth and innovation," McGary says. "My top priorities are to shape an organization focused on collaboration, excellence, and meaningful impact. As a key part of our global delivery model, we'll work closely with teams across geographies to provide consistency, alignment, and exceptional client experience. We're also deeply committed to our people -



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investing in development, expanding opportunities, and cultivating a culture where everyone feels empowered to lead, create, and grow."

This leadership transition signals the firm's continued commitment to developing local leadership, expanding regional capabilities, and delivering seamless project execution for clients across borders.

About Burns & McDonnell India

Burns & McDonnell India, a wholly owned subsidiary of U.S.-based Burns & McDonnell, is a cornerstone of the firm's global engineer-procure-construct (EPC) execution model. Established in Mumbai in 2013 and expanded to Bengaluru in 2023, the company provides multidisciplinary design-driven engineering, architecture, procurement, and construction services across oil and gas, power, chemicals, transmission and distribution, food and consumer products, and environmental sectors.

With over 1,900 professionals, Burns & McDonnell India is a center of technical excellence and collaborative execution. The team plays a pivotal role in driving innovation, quality delivery, and global integration across business lines and international offices, delivering scalable solutions and strategic alignment as part of the company's worldwide operations.