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A Home Run Hire

Baltic Corporation is pleased to announce the new leadership change within the company. Harvey Hopson was named the new president of the corporation. He replaces Peter Rea, who held the position for the past fifteen years. Hopson has recently been serving as the vice president of Simon Enterprises for the past seven years. Prior he served as the chief financial officer of several firms, including a significant company as Davis Company, which builds hotels worldwide.

Hopson is married and has two children, currently seeking college degrees. He is well educated, receiving his B.A. degree in accounting from Tulane University and an M.B.A. from Wharton School of Business.

Hopson is currently a member of the National Accounting Association Louisiana Business Round Table, Baton Rouge Sailing Club, and the Baton Rouge Athletic Club. In his role over the years, he has become well known and respected in the construction and real estate industries.

"He was the best candidate for the job. We want to continue the success we have going here, and we think he can lead the way," as stated by the Board of Directors.

Hopson stated when asked what he was looking forward to, "I'm excited to experience something new and be a part of this great corporation. I can't wait to start." He and his wife plan to relocate from Thibodaux, Louisiana, to New Orleans next month when he begins his job.

"We are fully behind him and will support him every step of the way," stated the Board of Directors. Hopson will oversee several office parts across the nation and manage 22 other business properties.