

## FTI Consulting Signs Reseller Agreement With IBM for Ringtail E-discovery Review and Analytics Software

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## Industry-Leading Ringtail Software Helps Customers Address Key Legal, Regulatory and Investigative Challenges

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3, 2015 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- FTI Consulting, Inc. (NYSE:FCN), the global business advisory firm dedicated to helping organizations protect and enhance their enterprise value, today announced that its <u>FTI Technology</u> business segment has joined with IBM in a reseller partnership. IBM will now offer FTI Technology's Ringtail® software, enabling corporations to streamline their e-discovery process, develop repeatable business processes and apply Ringtail's patented visual analytics to greatly reduce the cost, risk and time associated with e-discovery.

"Organizations that standardize on Ringtail for e-discovery realize tangible cost savings through repeatable processes, innovative analytics and data reuse features that are unique within the industry," said <u>Jake Frazier</u>, a Senior Managing Director in the Technology segment of FTI Consulting. "Whether for litigation, investigations or regulatory requests, Ringtail empowers organizations to make cost-effective and strategic business decisions based upon the matter at hand."

Ringtail's features enable organizations to streamline e-discovery into a repeatable business process. These include:

- Integrated Analytics: Find key facts, visualize trends, identify important documents, eliminate irrelevant documents before review and accelerate the development of case strategy.
- Visual Review: Quickly review conceptually-related materials in context using powerful keyword search and concept clustering.
- Predictive Coding: Prioritize documents, find conceptually similar data or speed the legal review process with Ringtail's intuitive and easy-to-use predictive coding.
- Massive Scalability: Industry-leading scalability and security provides unparalleled flexibility for handling both single and multi-matter project demands.

IBM's StoredIQ software, working together with Ringtail, spans the entire Electronic Discovery Reference Model ("EDRM") process, benefitting legal and IT departments with a repeatable and more efficient e-discovery process. In addition, organizations can maintain a complete audit trail of documents, attributes and actions throughout the e-discovery process.

"Ringtail has built its reputation as an industry leader by supporting the varied e-discovery portfolio needs of global organizations," said <u>David Grant</u>, a Senior Managing Director in the Technology segment of FTI Consulting. "With this reseller agreement, clients will benefit from two complementary and best-of-breed solutions that can streamline the entire e-discovery process."

ETI Technology and its Ringtail e-discovery software have received numerous honors from the legal and IT industries, including selection by <u>The</u> <u>National Law Journal</u>, <u>The Legal Intelligencer</u>, <u>The Recorder</u> and <u>KMWorld</u>, as leaders within e-discovery software and services. FTI Technology was also included in the 'Leaders' quadrant of <u>Gartner's 'Magic Quadrant for E-Discovery Software' report</u> (Jie Zhang, Debra Logan, Garth Landers, June 19, 2014). A complimentary copy of the report is available at the <u>FTI Technology site</u>.

Join FTI Technology at the LegalTech New York 2015 conference from February 3-5, 2015 in booth #2100 to learn more about our offerings, or please visit <u>www.ftitechnology.com</u>.

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