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"Ernst & Young energy professionals are located in key oil and gas producing markets throughout the globe with extensive audit, advisory, tax and transaction experience to provide well-informed practical advice to our clients," said Charles Swanson, Houston Office Managing Partner.

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