



Alaska Research Associates, Inc.



Greeneridge Sciences joins the LGL Group of environmental research and consulting firms

LGL Alaska Research Associates, Inc., LGL Ltd., environmental research associates, and Greeneridge Sciences, Inc., are pleased to announce that Greeneridge Sciences is now part of the LGL Group of environmental research and consulting companies.

LGL was founded in 1970 to conduct environmental projects in Alaska and Canada. LGL has subsequently done environmental studies and consulting projects throughout North America and in many other countries. Studies and assessments of noise and disturbance effects on marine animals have been one of LGL's specialties since the late 1970s.

Greeneridge Sciences was established in 1983 by Dr. Charles Greene to conduct environmental acoustics projects, with a particular emphasis on underwater acoustical measurements relevant to biological problems in the Arctic and elsewhere.

LGL and Greeneridge have worked cooperatively, as separate firms, since 1983. Many joint LGL / Greeneridge projects from 1983 to date have concerned the effects of underwater sound on marine mammals or fish. Some joint projects have also concerned the biological effects of in-air sounds.

In recent years there has been increasing concern about the effects of man-made sound on marine animals, and there is an increasing need for close integration of biological and acoustical work in various projects. The combined and more closely integrated capabilities of LGL and Greeneridge are expected to facilitate our overall ability to conduct projects of this type, and to meet the needs of clients who deal with problems involving both biology and acoustics.

Although part of the LGL Group, Greeneridge Sciences, Inc. will continue to operate as a separate company and Dr. Greene will remain employed by Greeneridge for at least the next 4 years. With the addition of Greeneridge, the LGL Group will have main offices in Alaska (Anchorage), California (Santa Barbara), Texas (Bryan/College Station), British Columbia (Sidney), Ontario (King City and Burlington), Newfoundland and Labrador (St. John's), and Russia (Moscow and Vladivostok), plus representatives at 9 other locations in the US and Canada.

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