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**Thoroughbred Collision Centers**

has sold certain assets to



**Kirmac Automotive  
Collision Systems (US), Inc.**

We acted as financial advisor to,  
and assisted with the negotiations  
as the representative of Thoroughbred Collision, Inc.



**About Thoroughbred Collision Centers:** Thoroughbred Collision Centers has operated collision repair centers providing high quality services to consumers and insurers in the Seattle area for more than ten years.

**About Kirmac Automotive Collision Systems (US), Inc.:** Kirmac Automotive Collision Systems (US) Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of The Kirmac Group, Vancouver, BC, has acquired certain assets of Thoroughbred Collision Centers, a chain of 6 collision repair shops located within the greater Seattle I-5 corridor. The Kirmac Group operates 17 collision repair locations including a previous US location in Auburn, Washington and 10 locations in Vancouver, British Columbia.

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