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Zones Strengthens Logistics and Integration with ISO 9001:2015 Certification

AUBURN, Wash., April 2, 2018 — Zones, Inc., today announced that its Logistics and Integration business units have successfully fulfilled all applicable requirements of ISO 9001:2015 (International Standard for Quality Management Systems) and received certification from TUV-USA, Inc. A certified Quality Management System enables Zones to provide even greater control over its management and production processes for Logistics and Integration centers located across the United States.

ISO 9001:2015 requirements for certification include alignment of employees with objectives and key performance indicators, increased emphasis on training and ongoing communication, and active commitment from leadership. This certification aligns directly with the long-term Logistics and Integration strategy.

"The certification process for Logistics and Integration required high levels of data analysis, organizational discipline, and teamwork to build upon an already successful operation," said Linda Marbena, Senior Vice President and General Manager of Logistics at Zones. "Standardization enables us to focus on continual business process improvement, brings additional rigor, and aligns systems that achieve measurable objectives and exceed customer expectations across all lifecycle services."

Zones was recently named to the <u>Elite 150</u> as a part of the CRN Managed Service Providers (MSP) 500 list. <u>Zones</u> <u>infrastructure, the Services Company of Zones</u> was recently announced to consolidate services business from preand post-sales to managed services and support. ISO certification reinforces the position of Zones as the choice provider of integrated IT solutions.

Learn more about integration services from Zones or visit Zones.com for more information.

About Zones

Zones, Inc., a \$2 billion global IT solutions provider, delivers products and services to help companies make a complete digital transformation - from desktop to data center - to the cloud and beyond. Our expertise is reflected in our solutions environments: Workplace Modernization, Network Optimization, Data Center Transformation and Security Fortification. We leverage a deep portfolio from top-tier technology brands to enable scalability, security, and efficient IT deployments, utilizing the highest levels of technical certification from key partners, including Cisco Gold, Dell EMC Titanium, HPE Platinum, among others. Zones was named to the 2018 CRN Managed Services Provider 500 list as a member of the Elite 150, and is an eleven-time recipient of the Microsoft Excellence in Operations award. Headquartered in Auburn, Wash., Zones operates in more than 80 countries, with multiple regional and executive offices, several distribution facilities, IT partners, and a number of service affiliates around the world. As a certified Minority Business Enterprise (MBE), and holder of an elite Corporate Plus Certification, we've proven our ability to support many of the world's largest corporations. For additional information, visit the company's website at www.zones.com or call (800) 408-9663. Follow Zones on Twitter @Zones and on LinkedIn at Zones, Inc.

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