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Associated Engineering named a Best Managed Company for tenth consecutive year *The award recognizes outstanding strategic direction, business performance, and company practices*

Edmonton, Alberta --- March 8, 2018 --- For the tenth consecutive year, Associated Engineering has been recognized as one of **Canada's Best Managed Companies**, retaining its Platinum Club status. The Best Managed Companies program recognizes Canadian-owned and managed companies that demonstrate a positive commitment to people, company culture, innovation, sustained performance, and strong financial results. An independent panel of judges recognized Associated Engineering's continued focus on service and quality that has helped the company maintain a leadership position in a competitive consulting industry.

This past year, we remain strongly focused on our core market areas, infrastructure, transportation, water, buildings, energy and environmental science, with a particular emphasis on climate change adaptation and mitigation. We take pride in our long-standing relationships with partners and clients, working together to deliver sustainable solutions to the communities we serve. Awards and recognition received from industry organizations for projects and individual staff members demonstrate our technical excellence and innovation. With moves to larger offices in Vancouver, Fort McMurray, and in the Niagara region, and new offices in Kamloops, Grande Prairie, and Ottawa, we continue to grow and expand across Canada.

"We are proud to be recognized as a Best Managed Company for the tenth consecutive year. This award speaks to the great team we have at Associated Engineering and our staff's commitment to our clients and the company," says Kerry Rudd, CEO.

"Companies that earn Platinum Club status, exemplify exceptional vision and leadership and a sustained commitment to growth and innovation," said Dino Medves, Senior Vice President and Head, CIBC Commercial Banking. "CIBC is proud to recognize these and all of the 2018 Canada's Best Managed Companies as leaders in their industries."

2018 winners of the Canada's Best Managed Companies award will be honoured at the annual Canada's Best Managed Companies gala in Toronto on April 11, 2018.

About Associated Engineering

[Associated Engineering](#) is an employee-owned, uniquely Canadian consulting firm with a 70-year history of providing uncompromising, client-focussed service. With more than 900 staff in 24 offices across Canada, we provide expertise in planning, engineering, environmental science, and landscape architecture. Our commitment to client satisfaction, technical excellence, and innovation has resulted in national and international recognition, including twice winning the Schreyer Award, the highest award for Canadian consulting engineers.

About Canada's Best Managed Companies

[Canada's Best Managed Companies](#) continues to be the mark of excellence for Canadian-owned and managed companies with revenues over \$15 million. Every year since the launch of the program in 1993, hundreds of entrepreneurial companies have competed for this designation in a rigorous and independent process that evaluates their business and management practices. The Best Managed program is sponsored by Deloitte, CIBC, Canadian Business, Smith School of Business, TMX Group and MacKay CEO Forums.

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