WINDWARD SOFTWARE STRIKES GOLD

Company designated as Gold Level Microsoft Partner in Cloud Platform.

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PENTICTON, BC, September 18, 2018 – Windward Software is pleased to announce that it has been designated as a **Gold Level Microsoft Partner in Cloud Platform**.

Gold competency is the highest level a Microsoft Partner can achieve and demonstrates a company's best-in-class capability within a specific Microsoft solution area.

This is Windward Software's second Microsoft Gold designation, the first being in Application Development.

The company achieved Microsoft Silver Level Partner in Cloud Platform status just over two years ago. Today's news of its elevation to Gold competency underscores Windward's demonstrated expertise applied to its flagship cloud-based business management solution, *Windward System Five on Cloud*.



"We are thrilled to be designated as a Gold Level Microsoft Partner in Cloud Platform," stated **Derek Gillespie**, Windward Software's Chief Technology Officer. "Meeting the stringent requirements of this new level truly signifies the hard work of everyone at Windward Software."

The Gold designation coincides with an increasing interest among existing and new clients in the company's cloud-based business management solution, *Windward System Five on Cloud*.

The solution is integrated with and operates in **Microsoft Azure**'s secure cloud data centers and is accessed by a reliable internet connection, with no local server being required.

For more information on *Windward System Five on Cloud*, customers are asked to contact their Windward Account Manager; businesses new to Windward Software should call a member of the company's Business Development team at **+1 (800) 663-5750** or e-mail **sales@windwardsoftware.com**.

ABOUT WINDWARD SOFTWARE

Founded in 1984, Windward Software currently serves over 4,400 business clients in 33 countries, and operates four offices worldwide, including its headquarters in Penticton, British Columbia, Canada, and satellite offices in Chicago, Illinois, Brisbane, Australia, and Cebu City, Philippines. The company's flagship product, *Windward System Five*, operates in businesses that sell, service, or rent. It is used by businesses active in, but not limited to: Furniture, Appliance, Consumer Electronics, Lighting, Rentals, Healthcare, Garden Centers, and Powersports. **windwardsoftware.com**

