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Agilus Work Solutions Marks 25 Years as a Winner of Deloitte's Canada's Best Managed Companies

Toronto, ON – Agilus Work Solutions is proud to announce that it has been recognized as a winner of the prestigious Canada's Best Managed Companies Platinum Club designation. This designation is reserved for companies that have retained their Best Managed status for at least seven consecutive years and have demonstrated exceptional performance and sustained growth over the years.

Agilus Work Solutions is recognized for its leadership in the areas of strategy, culture and commitment, capabilities, and innovation, governance, and financial performance.

"Celebrating 25 consecutive years of being honored as a Best Managed Company is truly extraordinary," Craig Brown, CEO of Agilus Work Solutions, acknowledged. "It speaks volumes about the relentless commitment and effort put forth by our exceptional team. Together, we foster a progressive workplace culture and consistently achieve remarkable outcomes, bridging job seekers with fulfilling opportunities. Our pursuit of excellence remains steadfast, and we eagerly anticipate our ongoing involvement within the distinguished network of Best Managed Companies."

For over 30 years, Canada's Best Managed Companies program awards excellence in private Canadian-owned companies with revenues of \$50 million or greater. Canada's Best Managed Companies is one of the country's leading business awards programs recognizing innovative and world-class businesses. Every year, hundreds of entrepreneurial companies compete for this designation in a rigorous and independent evaluation process. Applicants are evaluated by an independent panel of judges with representation from program sponsors and special guests. The 2024 cohort of Best Managed companies share common themes such as having a people-centric culture, targeting effective ESG strategies, and accelerating operational digitization.

"To become a Best Managed Platinum Club winner is nothing short of remarkable. Their continued adaptability in an era of uncertainty sets the standard for how to overcome new barriers and demonstrate resiliency at the highest levels," said Lorrie King, Partner, Deloitte Private, Global Best Managed Leader and Co-Leader, Canada's Best Managed Companies program. "These companies truly impact how Canada is viewed on the world stage when it comes to the success of private business."

Applicants for the Best Managed Companies program are evaluated by an independent panel of judges with representation from program sponsors and special guests. The Best Managed designation has become an international symbol of excellence, with active programs in 48 countries around the globe. Over 1100 companies have been recognized since the program's inception in 1993, with 490 companies in the current network of winners.

About Agilus - Agilus Work Solutions is a team of over 200 professionals working for businesses in Canada by finding the best qualified candidates to help meet and exceed talent and business goals. For more than 47 years we have been connecting job seekers with meaningful employment. We do this as the largest full-service, Canadian-owned recruitment firm with offices across the country. We place over 10,000 job seekers in roles every year in Engineering, Technology, Professional/Office, and Light Industrial roles at Canada's best companies. We place innovative candidates in support of energy transition, we fuel innovation and digital transformations by building world class project teams and help advance Canada's productivity and economy by working with multiskilled professionals who are experts in business and are as passionate about creating better outcomes as we are. We care, we collaborate, we make an impact, and we are better with our clients and candidates.

Follow us on <u>LinkedIn</u>, <u>Facebook</u>, <u>Instagram</u> and <u>Twitter</u> for job seeking tips, talent news or check out our <u>current open</u> roles.

About Canada's Best Managed Companies Program

Canada's Best Managed Companies program continues to be the mark of excellence for privately-owned Canadian companies. 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 management skills and practices. The awards are granted on four levels: 1) Canada's Best Managed Companies new winner, one of the new winners selected each year; 2) Canada's Best Managed Companies winner, award recipients that have re-applied and successfully retained their Best Managed designation for two additional years, subject to annual operational and financial review; 3) Gold Standard winner, after three consecutive years of maintaining their Best Managed status, these winners have demonstrated their commitment to the program and successfully retained their award for 4-6 consecutive years; 4) Platinum Club member, winners that have maintained their Best Managed status for seven years or more. Program sponsors are Deloitte Private, CIBC, The Globe and Mail, and TMX Group. For more information, visit www.bestmanagedcompanies.ca.

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