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**TechSource Announces the Retirement of Donald G. Trost,
Executive Vice President and Principal**

Los Alamos, NM. Today TechSource announces the retirement of Donald G. Trost, Executive Vice President and Principal.

Don Trost has been an instrumental, driving force in TechSource's success for 18 years. Trost's leadership, project management expertise, and consulting engagements touched every part of the company and has been instrumental in propelling the company's brand and national reputation.

Trost finishes his career as the corporate Chief Development Officer (CDO) responsible for the company's business development activities, strategic positioning, partnerships, and teaming arrangements. Prior to CDO, from 2003-2016, Trost led TechSource's operations establishment and growth in the National Capital Region that included direct contribution to the landmark, Nuclear Weapons Enterprise (NWE) complex transformation analyses. In 2016, Trost was asked to step in as Chief Operating Officer (COO) to plan and initiate a major organization reengineering to prepare for anticipated step-function growth and corresponding complexity.

TechSource's market performance and share improved across all business areas and throughout the NWE. Each area significantly expanded the company's breadth of services, national footprint, and commensurately, accolades including being perennially ranked as one of the New Mexico's fastest growing companies and multi-time Inc 5000 awardee. Trost's leadership, personal commitment, and professionalism directly contributed to 18 years of year-over-year positive earnings and has positioned TechSource for continued success.

"Don has been a trusted advisor and invaluable partner and friend. I, like those who had a chance to work with him, are in constant awe of his passion and dedication to commit, contribute, and deliver without taking shortcuts. He embraced and shared his passion for this company and its people, and our clients and their missions," Brian D'Andrea, TechSource Chairman and CEO said. "While we will miss his insights and wisdom on the management team, I'm pleased that we will continue to benefit from the foundation he has built over the years with industry leaders, clients, and partners."

"Don joined the company and skillfully steered business expansion into new markets while managing risk in every major market," Jeff Giangiuli, TechSource President and COO said. "At the same time, he has been a champion and partner in our responsible growth operating model. We will remember Don's work ethic, innovative thinking, dedication to clients and teammates, and above all, his friendship. Very few people have achieved as much business success as Don and become equally well known by his clients and our partners. We wish him well as he enters a new chapter in his life."

Following his retirement, Trost will transition to a non-executive role at TechSource providing targeted corporate development consulting for senior management.

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