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RE: PAT MUSSIEUX, NAMED FEMALE ENTREPRENEUR OF THE YEAR IN CANADA – STEVIE AWARDS

Stevie Awards for Women in Business Announce Winners in 12th Annual Competition

World's Top Honors for Women Entrepreneurs, Executives, Employees and the Organizations They Run Were Presented in New York Before More than 400 Accomplished Women From Around the World

LONDON, ONTARIO, CANADA November 23, 2015- Stevie® Awards for Women in Business last Friday named Pat Mussieux as the winner of the BRONZE Award for Women in Business – Female Entrepreneur of the Year in Canada. Shining a spotlight on women executives, entrepreneurs, and organizations run by women, the Stevie® Awards for Women in Business announced the results of its 2015 competition in New York City. The 2015 awards received entries from 31 nations and territories.

The Stevie Awards for Women in Business is an international competition produced by the creators of the prestigious International Business Awards and American Business Awards. The Stevie is widely considered to be the world's premier business award.

"I couldn't be happier or more pleased. My entire team should be congratulated on this most outstanding accomplishment, 'stated Pat Mussieux, President of Steps2Happiness, Inc. 'Only the very best are awarded the distinction of this gold standard for business success."

Pat Mussieux offers business coaching and professional speaking services to hundreds of individuals and organizations looking for wealth and business building programs and presentations. Mussieux, who went from trash bag to global travel in a private plane reaching the half-million dollar mark in less than 5 years, has supported private clients who have doubled and tripled their business and revenue in that period of time. In addition to hosting sold-out live events each year, Mussieux is also involved in the Global Impact Project (the GIVE MOVEMENT), a not-for-profit serving women in business in Zimbabwe in education, entrepreneurship and equality.

With more than 400 businesswomen and their guests in attendance, the awards were announced at a gala dinner at the Marriott Marquis Hotel in New York City. Nations represented at the event include Australia, Bulgaria, Canada, India, Israel, Japan, Lebanon, the Philippines, South Africa, Spain, the United Arab Emirates, the United Kingdom, the U.S.A. and Venezuela. The presentations were broadcast live across the U.S.A. via livestream.

More than 1,300 nominations from organizations of all sizes and in virtually every industry were submitted this year for consideration in more than 90 categories, including Entrepreneur of the Year, Executive of the Year, Company of the Year, Startup of the Year, Women Helping Women, and Women Run Workplace of the Year, among others. Stevie Award winners were selected by more than 160 executives worldwide who participated in the judging process this year.

"We are again humbled by the accomplishments of so many high-achieving women in this program," said Michael Gallagher, founder and president of the Stevie Awards. Their work is an inspiration to girls and women around the world who dream of starting and growing a business, managing a leading company, or improving their community. We congratulate all of this year's Grand, Gold, Silver and Bronze Stevie Awards."

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Details about the Stevie Awards for Women in Business and the list of Stevie Award winners are available at www.StevieAwards.com/Women.



About the Stevie Awards

The Stevie Awards are conferred in six programs: The American Business Awards, the German Stevie Awards, The International Business Awards, the Stevie Awards for Women in Business, the Stevie Awards for Sales & Customer Service, and the Asia-Pacific Stevie Awards. Honoring organizations of all types and sizes and the people behind them, the Stevies recognize outstanding performances in the workplace worldwide. Learn more about the Stevie Awards at http://www.StevieAwards.com, and follow the Stevie Awards on Twitter @TheStevieAwards.

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