

GEP RECEIVES TWO NEW HONORS FROM LEADING INDUSTRY ANALYSTS AND RESEARCH FIRMS FOR PROCUREMENT SERVICES AND SOFTWARE

- GEP NAMED TO **SPEND MATTERS 50 TO KNOW** TOP LIST OF LEADING PROVIDERS OF PROCUREMENT AND SUPPLY CHAIN SOLUTIONS WORLDWIDE
- **SMART BY GEP** FEATURED IN BUSINESS-SOFTWARE.COM'S TOP TEN SPEND MANAGEMENT APPLICATIONS REPORT

Clark, NJ – April 9, 2014 – GEP, a leading global provider of procurement services and software, announced today that the firm and its solutions have been recently honored by two separate third-party industry research and information providers.

GEP provides Fortune 500 and Global 2000 enterprises worldwide a comprehensive mix of sourcing, procurement and supply chain solutions – including consulting services, outsourcing services and award-winning technology products.

Spend Matters, one the largest and most influential research and media firms in the procurement and supply chain space, named GEP to its newly launched 50 TO KNOW top list of procurement and supply chain solutions providers, which is featured in the Spend Matters Almanac. Days later, Business-Software.com honored SMART by GEP as a leading sourcing and procurement application in its recent research publication, TOP TEN SPEND MANAGEMENT SOFTWARE REPORT.

GEP is increasingly recognized as one of the leading providers of procurement consulting services and outsourcing services and has experienced strong growth in the Americas, Europe and Asia Pacific. Indeed, the firm was recognized last month by research giant IDC as a top provider of procurement outsourcing services in Latin America. For more about procurement and supply chain services from GEP, visit www.gep.com.

The launch in late 2013 of SMART by GEP – the first comprehensive sourcing and procurement application native to cloud, touch and mobile technologies – won GEP wide recognition from industry analysts and customer alike as a pace-setting innovator in procurement software and technology solutions. For more on SMART by GEP, visit www.smartbygep.com.

About GEP

GEP is a diverse, creative team of people passionate about procurement. We invest ourselves entirely in our client's success, creating strong collaborative relationships that deliver extraordinary value year after year. We deliver practical, effective procurement services and technology that enable procurement leaders to maximize their impact on business operations, strategy and financial performance.

Named a Star Performer in Everest Group's Peak Matrix of procurement services providers, Winner in the HfS Blueprint Report on Procurement Outsourcing Providers and to the Supply & Demand Chain Executive 100 for nearly a decade, GEP is also ranked a leader on Gartner's Magic Quadrant analysis of the world's top sourcing and procurement software providers. Clark, NJ-based GEP has 10 offices and operations centers in North and South America, Europe and Asia.

To learn more, please visit www.gep.com.

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