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TriCor Technologies HONORED at the 11th ANNUAL AGGIE 100

Recognizing the Fastest Growing Aggie-Owned or Managed Companies in the World

COLLEGE STATION, TX. (Friday, October 23, 2015) – Texas A&M University recognized **TriCor Technologies Inc.** of Round Rock, TX, as a member of the **2015 Aggie 100**, which honors the fastest-growing companies in the world, owned or operated by Texas A&M University Former Students. TriCor was ranked 61st with a compound annual growth rate of 46.16% from 2012 through 2014. The Aggie 100, a program created by the Center for New Ventures and Entrepreneurship in Texas A&M University's Mays Business School, honors graduates from across disciplines for their entrepreneurial endeavors and success as business leaders.

TriCor Technologies designs, develops and sells custom and industry standard memory modules, solid state drives, and other flash products such as SD, microSD, and CompactFlash for commercial, enterprise, and industrial applications. "We are deeply honored to receive this award," said Damian Cook, TriCor's President & General Manager and Texas A&M electrical engineering graduate from the class of 1983. "I would like to thank our customers, partners, and employees for helping us to achieve the growth necessary to receive this special award. I would also like to thank Texas A&M's Center for New Ventures and Entrepreneurship for their leadership among universities to honor the success of their former students." Mr. Cook is one of the co-founders and co-owners of TriCor Technologies along with Michael Ray, Senior Vice President of Sales & Marketing. Since their beginning in early 2009, they have grown the company steadily in the face of many obstacles and fierce competition.

The 100 Aggie-owned or Aggie-led businesses with the highest annual revenue growth were recognized on Friday, October 23, 2015, at a formal luncheon in the Zone Club at Texas A&M University's football stadium, Kyle Field. More than 700 honorees, families, employees, faculty, administrators, and current student entrepreneurs were in attendance to celebrate their success.

"As we enter our second decade honoring business excellence with the 11th Annual Aggie 100,

we reflect on all the Aggie businesses that came before and look forward to the future success of Aggie entrepreneurs to come. From agriculture to technology and everything in between, this year's list signifies that, no matter your background, the Aggie entrepreneurial spirit is alive and thriving," said Dr. Richard H. Lester, Executive Director of the Mays Business School's Center for New Ventures and Entrepreneurship. "Our sense of entrepreneurial pride swells each year, as we recognize how successful businesses can become by keeping the Aggie Code of Honor at the heart of everything they do."

The Aggie 100 list in its entirety may be viewed at www.aggie100.com.



About TriCor Technologies

TriCor Technologies is a leader in the development and sales of custom and industry standard memory modules, solid state drives, and other flash products such as SD, microSD, and CompactFlash for commercial, enterprise, and industrial applications. For further information, please visit their website at www.tricortech.com.

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