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Cogeco Connexion Nominated In Two Categories At The 31st Gala Radisson Awards

Trois-Rivières, January 19, 2016 – Cogeco Connexion is proud to announce that it is among the finalists at the Gala Radisson, an annual awards event presented by the Chambre de commerce et d'industries de Trois-Rivières, in the *Entreprise de services à la personne* ("Customer Services Company") and *Employeur de choix* ("Employer of Choice") categories. The finalists' names were announced this morning at a news conference attended by several Trois-Rivières businesspeople, entrepreneurs and public figures.

"Cogeco Connexion is honoured to be among the companies which will be recognized as finalists at the prestigious Gala Radisson," said **Johanne Hinse, Vice President, Residential Sales, Programming & Community Relations, Cogeco Connexion.** "We are delighted to have received nominations in two categories, especially Employer of Choice, since this nomination was prepared and submitted by our employees, on their own initiative. This acknowledgement on the part of our employees, which testifies to our focus on creating a healthy and welcoming environment, is something we are exceedingly proud of."

The Chambre de commerce et d'industries de Trois-Rivières will present the 31st edition of the Gala Radisson on February 19, to honour outstanding companies in Trois-Rivières and celebrate success in the city's business community. The awards ceremony is organized by a volunteer committee made up of local businesspeople, and an independent jury is entrusted with the task of confidentially studying all submissions received and then selecting the finalists, along with the eventual winners, in each category.

ABOUT COGECO CONNEXION

Cogeco Connexion (www.cogeco.ca) regroups the Canadian cable operations of Cogeco Communications Inc. Cogeco Connexion is the second largest cable operator in Ontario and Québec in terms of the number of basic cable service customers served. It provides its residential and small business customers with video, Internet and telephony services through its two-way broadband cable networks. Cogeco Communications Inc. is a communications corporation and is the 11th largest hybrid fibre coaxial cable operator in North America operating in Canada under the Cogeco Connexion brand name in Québec and Ontario, and in the United States through its subsidiary Atlantic Broadband in western Pennsylvania, south Florida, Maryland/Delaware, South Carolina and eastern Connecticut. Through Cogeco Peer 1, Cogeco Communications Inc. provides its business customers with a suite of information technology services (colocation, network connectivity, managed hosting, cloud services and managed IT services), through its 21 data centres, extensive FastFiber NetworkTM and more than 50 points-of-presence in North America and Europe. Cogeco Communications Inc.'s subordinate voting shares are listed on the Toronto Stock Exchange (TSX: CCA).

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