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ESOFTSOLUTIONS, INC. RECOGNIZED AS ONE OF THE TOP 100 FASTEST-GROWING COMPANIES IN THE DALLAS METROPLEX

Company Recognized for Second Year in a Row

DALLAS, Texas (November 15, 2002) – Esoftsolutions, inc., a comprehensive IT systems designer and integrator, was recognized for the second year in a row as one of the 100 fastest-growing privately-held companies in the Dallas area at the 12th annual Dallas 100TM Awards ceremony and dinner held at the Morton H. Meyerson Symphony Center. Only 34 percent of Dallas 100 companies have received the award more than once.

This year's Dallas 100 award-winning companies represent over \$2 billion in combined revenue and employ over 17,000 people. The Dallas 100TM Awards are presented by the Southern Methodist University Cox School of Business Caruth Institute and The CEO Institute in recognition of the fastest-growing privately-held companies headquartered in the Dallas Metroplex area. The Dallas 100 Awards celebrate the ideas, determination, and persistence of area entrepreneurs. The diversity of businesses receiving the award is indicative of the broad-based economic growth in the Dallas area.

About esoftsolutions, inc.

Founded in 1997, esoftsolutions, inc. is a full service IT systems designer and integrator with the flexibility, responsiveness, and technical competency to serve our clients as true partners in achieving their goals. Esoftsolutions delivers optimal business solutions through Selected Outsourcing, Project Based Solutions, Consulting, and Permanent Placement offerings. Esoftsolutions is ranked 52nd among the entrepreneurial growth leaders on *Inc* magazine's ranking of 500 fastest-growing private companies in the nation. Headquartered in Plano, Texas, esoftsolutions has regional offices in Atlanta, Detroit, and Houston. For more information, please visit us online at www.esoftsolutions.com or call 1.866.esoft4u.

About the SMU Cox School of Business Caruth Institute

The Caruth Institute conducts educational and management development programs for entrepreneurs, as well as coordinating the Southwest Venture Forum, serving entrepreneurs, investors, and professionals in the venture industry.

About The CEO Institute

The CEO Institute is a membership-based organization that provides a business forum to the CEOs of emerging and mid-sized companies. Institute core services are designed to provide members with timely solutions to critical management problems through ongoing peer involvement and informational exchange.

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