

GEP RANKED A LEADING GLOBAL PROVIDER OF PROCUREMENT SERVICES BY UK-BASED RESEARCH POWERHOUSE NELSONHALL, HONOURED ACROSS MULTIPLE KEY SOLUTIONS CATEGORIES

- **GEP named a leader in four key segments of NelsonHall’s NEAT Vendor Evaluation for Procurement BPO, including Overall Procurement BPO, Procurement Transformation and Strategic Sourcing**

London – June 16, 2015 – GEP, a leading provider of [procurement services](#) and [procurement technology](#) to Fortune 500 and Global 2000 enterprises worldwide, announced today it has been named to the leadership quadrant in four key market segments of London-based NelsonHall’s NEAT Vendor Evaluation for Procurement BPO.

GEP was recently named Best Supplier at the EPIC Procurement Excellence Awards. Less than a month ago, GEP was again named to the Supply and Demand Chain Executive 100.

“NelsonHall is a great source of objective, authoritative analysis on the global business services market,” said Al Girardi, Global Vice President of Marketing & Analyst Relations at GEP. “We’re delighted to be named leaders in four separate NEAT matrices and especially to achieve such distinction in the areas that really matter most to our clients – [procurement transformation](#), [strategic sourcing](#) and overall global leadership in procurement BPO.”

NelsonHall’s NEAT (NelsonHall Evaluation & Assessment Tool) evaluation assessed GEP’s capabilities on a two-axis model: assessing providers on their “ability to deliver immediate benefit” and their “ability to meet future requirements.” According to NelsonHall, leaders are providers that exhibit a high ability relative to their peers to deliver both immediate and future benefits.

To download a complimentary copy of the NelsonHall NEAT Evaluation of Procurement BPO Provider, visit www.gep.com/NEAT2015

About NelsonHall

UK-based NelsonHall is a leading global BPS and ITS research & analysis firm, with analysts across the U.S., U.K. and Continental Europe. Founded in 1998, the company takes a global approach to analysis of vendors and outsourcing markets and is widely respected for the quality and depth of its research.

NelsonHall also offers a suite of "Speed-to-Source" tools ([NEAT](#)) that assist buy-side executives in saving time and money, while enhancing the quality of their sourcing decisions, in BPS and ITS evaluations.

The firm helps organisations ensure that key BPO and ITO sourcing decisions are based on a well-researched fact base, providing the detailed and objective market and supplier knowledge required for sourcing success through its sourcing tools, online information and analyst access.

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 procurement technology that enable procurement leaders to maximize their impact on business operations, strategy and financial performance.

Honoured as Best Supplier at this year's EPIC Procurement Excellence Awards, GEP regularly wins accolades as both a provider of a broad range of procurement services and innovative procurement technology. Among its recent distinctions, GEP has been named Leader and Star Performer in Everest Group's Peak Matrix of Procurement Services Providers, Leader in NelsonHall's NEAT Matrix of Global Procurement BPO Service Providers, Winner in

the HfS Blueprint Report on Procurement Outsourcing Providers, as well as one of Spend Matters 50 Companies to Know and to the Supply & Demand Chain Executive 100.

Clark, NJ-based GEP has 11 offices and operations centres in Europe, Asia and the Americas.

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