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**Tec-Masters, Inc. Mentors CTE Research, a Growing Technology Company**

**Huntsville, Alabama: November 18, 2015** – Tec-Masters, Inc. (TMI) officially kicked off their Mentor Protégé agreement with Certified Technical Experts (CTE) as part of the Department of Defense (DoD) and Army Mentor Protégé Program (MPP). During this contract, TMI will provide mentoring to CTE in the areas of technology transfer, business development, and other business systems and processes.

“Throughout our 27 year history, Tec-Masters has proven success in providing the Federal Government with ‘best value’ products and services,” says TMI President and CEO, Dr. Marvin P. Carroll. “We are excited to partner with CTE through the MPP to share technology and business processes to further provide exceptional products and services to the Government through another dynamic, successful small business.”

CTE is a certified 8(a) technology consulting firm operating in Montgomery and Huntsville, AL. They provide solutions to Information Technology (IT) challenges and specialize in Legacy System Modernization, Sustainment Services, and Information Assurance (IA). Their business strength is earned by maintaining professionally certified resources, and qualified staff who have expertise in technology, strategic management, and systems architecture.

“We are honored to be a protégé to Tec-Masters and to be a part of the DoD and Army Mentor Protégé Program,” says Eugene Tinker, Founder and CEO of CTE. “We look forward to collaborating with TMI and learning from their extensive history of technology development and business knowledge.”

As a part of the program, a Historically Black College and University (HBCU), Alabama State University, will partner with TMI to assist CTE in developing quality systems.

Established by Congress in 1991, the U.S. DoD MPP helps small businesses boost their participation in prime and subcontract awards by creating long-term relationships with larger companies. TMI is the recipient of a Nunn-Perry MPP Award, a prestigious honor recognizing outstanding Mentor-Protégé teams formed under the auspices of the DoD MPP.

Headquartered in Huntsville, Alabama, TMI has supported the Defense Industry and Commercial Customers for over 27 years. The company specializes in Mission Support, System Integration, Maintenance, Training, Multimedia Production, Logistics, Information Technology, Software Development, and Customized Engineering and Manufacturing.



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