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**TRANSPLACE RECOGNIZED AS A TOP 3PL PROVIDER FOR THE THIRD
CONSECUTIVE YEAR**

***Readers Of Inbound Logistics Continue To Rank Company Among Top
3PLs In The Industry***

August 1, 2005 (Plano, Texas) - Transplace, Inc., a logistics technology and transportation management services provider, today announced that it has again been selected by the readers of *Inbound Logistics* for the magazine's Top 10 3PL Excellence Award. This is the third consecutive year that Transplace has received this recognition in the magazine's annual listing of top 3PL providers.

Inbound Logistics, the leading provider of information to today's business logistics managers, based the Top 10 3PL Excellence Awards on reader feedback received from December 2004 to June 2005. Last year, readers cast 2,977 votes for more than 300 companies, further proof of the continuing competition among outsourced logistics providers, making this the most inclusive study of the third-party logistics industry.

"We congratulate Transplace for once again being nominated by our readers for the Top 10 3PL Excellence Award," said Felecia Stratton, editor of *Inbound Logistics*. "Not surprisingly, companies are investing significantly more in logistics services than in years past. Our reader survey is designed to help companies not only make better decisions when choosing a 3PL, but achieve better results in overcoming transportation and logistics challenges."

The Top 10 3PL Excellence Awards is the definitive resource on third-party logistics and the outsourced logistics market. Companies were evaluated in several areas, including the overall best performance in third party logistics and also the specific services in which they excel. Respondents to the survey represent all industries—manufacturing; retail and distribution; services and government; and even carriers.

"Being included in the Top 10 3PL Excellence award for the third consecutive year is proof of Transplace's strong foothold in the industry," said Tom Sanderson, president and COO of Transplace. "The fact that the readers of *Inbound Logistics* selected us is testimony to the value-add that we deliver by helping companies maintain peak collaboration efficiencies and lower the cost of transportation and logistics."

The complete listing of the Top 10 3PL Providers and accompanying editorial can be found in the July issue of *Inbound Logistics* or the magazine's Web site at www.inboundlogistics.com.

About Transplace

Transplace is a third-party logistics (3PL) provider offering manufacturers and retailers the optimal blend of logistics technology and transportation management services. From complete logistics management outsourcing to intelligent transportation management systems (TMS) to supply chain network planning and design to high-quality brokerage



services, Transplace has proven the ability to deliver both rapid return on investment and consistent value to customers. The company is recognized among the elite 3PLs in North America by a customer base that includes many of the largest shippers in the world.

In 2004, Transplace was recognized by both Inbound Logistics magazine and Logistics Management magazine as a Top 10 3PL, and by Global Logistics and Supply Chain Strategies magazine as one of its 100 Great Supply Chain Partners. Transplace was also recognized in 2004 by BP Solvay Polyethylene North America as “Logistics Provider of the Year”, and by Sysco Food Services as “Transportation Provider of the Year.”

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