## Marja Hillis Ranks No. 84 on the W100 ranking of Canada's Top Female Entrepreneurs

Mount Forest, Ontario (October 15, 2013) – Today, Marja Hillis, CEO of Molok North America Ltd., ranked No. 84 on the 15<sup>th</sup> annual W100 ranking of Canada's Top Female Entrepreneurs, produced by PROFIT Magazine and Chatelaine. Ranking Canada's Top Female Entrepreneurs on a composite score based on the size, growth rate and profitability of their businesses, the W100 profiles the country's most successful female business owners. Published in the November issue of PROFIT and the December issue of Chatelaine and online at PROFITguide.com and chatelaine.com, the W100 is Canada's largest annual celebration of entrepreneurial achievement by women.

"This year's W100 are a dream group of ambitious, forward thinking entrepreneurs who defy outdated notions of female entrepreneurship," said Ian Portsmouth, Publisher and Editor-in-Chief of PROFIT. "They are running sophisticated and sizeable businesses in challenging industries, and finding new ways to operate and innovate for growth and sustainability."

Marja Hillis says, "It's been a challenging ride from the time I first came to Canada 16 years ago to start a business, to where we are now. Even though W100 is celebrating the top 100 female entrepreneurs in Canada, I can honestly say that behind this all is an amazing group of dedicated employees without whom none of this would be possible. I'm looking forward to keeping the momentum going and having a great time with my team while doing it!"

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