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CPI Card Group Recognized among the World's Largest Providers of Financial Technology by American Banker and BAI

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Littleton, Colo. (October 21, 2015) – CPI Card Group, a global leader in financial and EMV chip card production and related services, announced today that it was named as a member of the 2015 FinTech Forward 100 list of leading technology providers in the world. The ranked list of companies, a collaboration of American Banker and BAI, was released on October 13 at the 2015 BAI Retail Delivery Conference in Las Vegas.

"At CPI Card Group, we value product consistency, quality, and outstanding customer service, and these values are what continue to support our position as a leading provider of payment cards and services in North America," said Steve Montross, president and CEO of CPI Card Group. "The FinTech Forward 100 recognizes today's elite technology providers, and to be ranked on this year's list validates our ongoing commitment to our customers."

"Companies included in the FinTech Forward 100 are among the most prolific providers of technology for financial institutions in the world today," said Marc Hochstein, editor in chief, American Banker. "Our congratulations go out to all of the companies included in the ranking this year."

CPI Card Group offers a single source for financial and prepaid debit payment cards and services, including EMV chip, personalization, instant issuance, fulfillment and mobile payment services. With a focus on product consistency, quality, and customer service, CPI serves a diverse set of over 4,000 direct and indirect customers across the payments space.

About FinTech Forward

FinTech Forward, a collaboration between American Banker and BAI, provides a comprehensive and forward looking view of the strategic imperatives driving bank technology, both from the vendor and the user perspectives. The program draws on the two organizations' deep industry expertise, market leading proprietary research, and strength in live events to produce actionable content for decision makers. A complete listing of FinTech Forward ranked companies is available at **FinTechForward.com**.

About CPI Card Group

CPI Card Group is a leading provider in payment card production and related services, offering a single source for financial and prepaid debit cards, including EMV chip, personalization, instant issuance, fulfillment and mobile payment services. With more than 20 years of experience in the payments market and as a trusted partner to financial institutions, CPI's solid reputation of product consistency, quality and outstanding customer service supports our position as a leader in the market. Serving our customers from nine locations throughout the United States, Canada and the United Kingdom, we have the largest network of high security facilities in North America, each of which is certified by one or more of the payment brands: Visa, MasterCard, American Express, Discover and Interac in Canada. Learn more at **www.cpicardgroup.com**.