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Cartus Celebrates the 35th Anniversary of its Europe, Middle East and Africa (EMEA) Operations

SWINDON, U.K., (July 7, 2014) – Opened in 1979 Cartus' UK office has grown from its initial beginning as a firm dedicated to employee relocation within the UK to one of the EMEA region's leading global relocation companies.

Managing just 50 domestic moves in its first year, Cartus in EMEA now offers a comprehensive range of relocation services, helping thousands of domestic and international assignees move throughout the world.

"A lot has changed since 1979 when Margaret Thatcher was elected as the UK's first female prime minister, and the average home in the UK cost just £13,650," said Ian Payne, Executive Vice President and Managing Director of Cartus in EMEA and Asia Pacific. "Since that time, the huge growth of Cartus EMEA has been fuelled by our focus on providing multinational companies and their transferring employees with tailored and dynamic relocation support and service excellence."

Cartus' first EMEA office was located in Slough, then two years later in 1981 moved to Swindon. Today we service the whole EMEA region from seven strategically placed locations in Swindon, London, Paris, Geneva, Zurich, Amsterdam and Munich.

Milestones in Cartus' EMEA History

- **In 1979** the company is established in Slough, offering its Homesale guarantee service to companies relocating their employees within the UK
- **By 1989** – Expanded its capabilities to include removals management and international assignment services
- **In 1994** - Relocation Agent Network, a UK network of independent estate agents is launched
- **By 2002**, tenancy management, consulting, and intercultural and language services are being offered; offices have been opened in Geneva, London, Amsterdam, Zurich, Paris and Munich
- **In 2005** – The quality management of the UK supplier network is recognized with British Standard ISO 9001 accreditation
- **2006** – The company is rebranded as Cartus, taking its name from Cartography, the study and practice of making maps
- **By 2012**, the company has won numerous top industry awards including **Relocation Service Provider of the Year** at the **Re:locate Awards** and **Best Vendor Partnership** with clients Citi and Cisco at the Forum for Expatriate Management's Expatriate Management and Mobility Awards (EMMAs). In 2012 Cartus' 500th employee is welcomed to the team!
- **2014** – Celebrating our 35th anniversary, Cartus wins **Best Talent Initiative Award** for its EMEA internship programme at the **Re:locate Awards**



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About Cartus

Cartus provides trusted guidance to organizations of all types and sizes that require global relocation solutions. Cartus serves half of the Fortune 50. We provide service in more than 165 countries, applying our more than half century of experience to help our clients with their mobility, outsourcing, consulting, and language and intercultural training needs. Cartus is part of Realogy Holdings Corp. (NYSE: RLGY), a global leader in real estate franchising and provider of real estate brokerage, relocation and settlement services. To find out how our greater experience, reach, and hands-on guidance can help your company, visit www.cartus.com; read our blog at www.cartusblog.com; or click www.realogy.com for more information.