

## Press Release

### 15 years of netfiles data room

Secure data exchange – Made in Germany – Since 2001

Burghausen, September 27, 2016 – Committed to the vision of delivering an exceptionally secure platform for data exchange between companies and across locations, 15 years ago, in 2001, netfiles began providing the first version of the netfiles data room in the form of software as a service (SaaS).

At the time, netfiles GmbH was one of the first European providers of virtual data rooms. Its services quickly became established not only for due diligence tests in the M&A environment, but also as a horizontal solution for the secure sharing of confidential data in corporate contexts. After growing continually for 15 years and building up a broad customer base, netfiles GmbH is today one of the leading providers of data rooms in Europe.

"A rigorous focus on the user-friendliness of the data room and on data protection and data security is the cornerstone of our company's success," Thomas Krempl, Managing Director of netfiles GmbH, said on the company's 15<sup>th</sup> anniversary. "netfiles customers are given an array of security functions and leading-edge encryption methods. But they can also trust us – a German company that hosts exclusively in Germany – to fully comply with the strict requirements of the EU's Data Protection Directive as well as Germany's own legal prescriptions. Today, we are especially pleased to have upheld the long-standing trust of customers who have been using netfiles data rooms successfully since our first year in business."

#### About netfiles GmbH

netfiles GmbH was one of the first German companies to provide virtual project and data rooms. Over 15 years' experience have now established it as a leading player in this field. netfiles enables companies to share and exchange files securely, as well as providing a

secure central online document management facility guarded by detailed access rights but permitting mobile access. Under this cloud-based solution, data can be shared simply and securely within a company or with customers and suppliers. Secure data rooms can also be set up for such applications as M&A projects, due diligence tests, asset transactions, board communication, property management and contract management.

For more information, please visit [www.netfiles.com](http://www.netfiles.com)

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