

Vision Group Named One of Canada's Best Managed Companies for 2025

MONTREAL (QC), May 7, 2025 – Vision Group, one of North America's leading providers of vision correction, has once again earned a spot among Canada's Best Managed Companies—now marking its 18th consecutive year receiving this prestigious honour. The annual program, led by professional service firm Deloitte, is one of the country's leading business awards programs recognizing innovative and world-class businesses.

With this milestone, Vision Group retains its place in the program's Platinum Club, a designation reserved for companies that have maintained their Best Managed status for seven years or more – the highest distinction in the program.

Celebrating over 30 years, Canada's Best Managed Companies program recognizes excellence in privately owned Canadian companies for their leadership in strategy, culture and commitment, capabilities, and innovation.

"Over the past year, companies such as Vision Group have continually adapted and successfully responded to challenges, seized new opportunities, and leveraged industry leading competencies to maximize their investments and drive sustainable growth," said Lorrie King, Partner, Deloitte Private, Global Best Managed Leader and Co-Leader, Canada's Best Managed Companies program. "These winners have set the standard of excellence for Canada's business ecosystem by demonstrating a strong commitment to strategic transformation, talent and workforce development, and technological and business adaptability."

About Vision Group

Vision Group is Canada's largest privately owned healthcare network and one of the leading vision correction providers in North America, with more than 150 surgeons, 70 clinical facilities, 95 operating rooms, and 1,400 employees across Canada and the United States.

Founded by Dr. Mark Cohen and Dr. Avi Wallerstein, Vision Group began with the launch of LASIK MD, which grew into Canada's leading laser vision correction provider. In 2017, a merger with TLC Laser Eye Centres expanded the network across North America under the Vision Group banner. Vision Group's mission is simple: to improve and preserve eyesight, one patient at a time. Today, the organization offers a full spectrum of eyecare through its extensive footprint of laser refractive and intraocular surgical facilities, public cataract contracts, and comprehensive and subspecialty ophthalmology clinics.

For more information, please visit www.thevisiongroup.com.

About Canada's Best Managed Companies

Canada's Best Managed Companies continues to be the mark of excellence for private Canadian-owned and managed companies. Every year since the launch of the program in 1993, hundreds of entrepreneurial companies have competed for this designation in a rigorous and independent process that evaluates their management skills and practices. The awards are granted on four levels: 1) Canada's Best Managed Companies new winner, one of the new winners selected each year; 2) Canada's Best Managed Companies winner, award recipients that have re-applied and successfully retained their Best Managed designation for two additional years, subject to annual operational and financial review; 3) Gold Standard winner, after three consecutive years of maintaining their Best Managed status, these winners have demonstrated their commitment to the program and successfully retained their award for 4-6 consecutive years; 4) Platinum Club member, winners that have maintained their Best Managed status for seven years or more.

For more information, please visit www.bestmanagedcompanies.ca.

For more information, please contact:

Janice Yip

Director of Brand and Communications

jjip@thevisiongroup.com