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The Westport Group Named to Boston Business Journal's "Fast 50" 2016 Fastest Growing Private Companies

BRAINTREE, Mass., May 1, 2016 – Disability and life insurance solutions leader The Westport Group announced today that it has been named to Boston Business Journal's 2016 "FAST50" list of the Fastest-Growing Private Companies in Massachusetts. In total, 76 companies were named to the list and the top 50 are designated as the "FAST50." The Westport Group placed sixth on the list.

"These companies represent the best examples of the Boston economy's strength and vibrancy," said [Carolyn M. Jones](#), the BBJ's publisher and market president. "This kind of top-line growth is driving the state's economy and generating the kind of excitement that attracts global brands and their talent here."

In order to qualify, companies must be privately held, Massachusetts-based businesses that recorded the highest revenue growth from 2012 through 2015. To be considered, companies needed a baseline of \$1 million in revenue for 2015 and at least \$500,000 in revenue for 2012. Companies that did not record revenue growth from 2014 to 2015 were disqualified.

The Westport Group provides disability and life insurance solutions for high-earning executives. In 2015, the company had a 582% increase in revenue from 2012. The Westport Group strives to fill the gap in employee-provided disability and life insurance benefits through offering first-of-its-kind insurance solutions that cover incentive-bonuses, stock options, and restricted stock.

"We'd like to thank the BBJ for recognizing us as one of the fastest growing private companies here in MA. To be named in the top 50—and be in the top 10!—is a true honor. Since 2006, we've been dedicated to creating the most forward-thinking insurance solutions for law firms, corporate entities, investment firms, and consulting/private equity ventures. This award really reflects the commitment of The Westport Group team and their dedication to improving the lives of others," said Chris Kristian, Executive Vice President.

All revenue figures were provided by each individual company to the BBJ and published in the April 22 edition. The list excludes subsidiaries of public companies, banks, bank holding companies, schools, hospitals and nonprofits. The 76 companies were presented a plaque and given the opportunity to donate to the Special Olympics Massachusetts. More than 170 companies submitted nominations this year.



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About The Westport Group

Founded in 2006, privately owned The Westport Group offers comprehensive insurance services for consulting firms, law firms, investment firms, corporations and high net worth individuals. The Westport Group is the first firm in North America to realize the exposure of highly compensated, white collar professionals and conceptualize a new product that offers multi-life, guaranteed-issue solutions from Lloyd's of London.

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