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**Melanie Pizzey, TTI Vice President, Global Business Operations, Will Chair
2019 Executive Conference Committee**

Atlanta, GA - ECIA is pleased to announce Melanie Pizzey has accepted leadership of the 2019 Executive Conference. Melanie will chair the ECIA Conference Committee to set the direction, choose topics and select speakers for the 2019 event scheduled for October 20-22, in Rosemont, Illinois.

Melanie has been with TTI for 33 years, holding various positions in Purchasing, Product Management, Asset Management, Product Marketing, Training, Sales & Product Operations and Supply Chain. She currently is serving as TTI Vice President, Global Business Operations managing Sales Operations, Product Operations, Training and Supply Chain Services.

She has been a member of ECIA and its predecessor, NEDA, for 25 years, serving as NEDA Roundtable Chair, Supply Chain Council Chair, and on the Global Industry Practices Committee (GIPC).

She is the recipient of the NEDA Distinguished Service Award in 2004 and ECIA's Distinguished Service Award in 2012.

"I am extremely pleased and excited to be offered the opportunity to chair the Executive Conference Planning Committee this year. We have assembled a talented, experienced group of industry veterans on the committee who are eager to create an agenda that is engaging, relevant to today's business issues and well worth your valuable time."

"We are excited that Melanie has stepped forward to Chair this essential committee, and I look forward to working with her," commented ECIA Vice President Debbie Conyers. "Having someone with her experience and knowledge of the authorized channel will no doubt result in another very successful Conference," she concluded.

About ECIA

The Electronic Components Industry Association (ECIA) is made up of the leading electronic component manufacturers, their manufacturer representatives and authorized distributors. ECIA members share a common goal of promoting and improving the business environment for the authorized sale of electronic components. Comprised of a broad array of leaders and professionals representing all phases of the electronics components supply chain, ECIA is where business optimization, product authentication and industry advocacy come together. ECIA members develop industry guidelines and technical standards, as well as generate critical business intelligence. For more information, visit www.ecianow.org or call 678-393-9990.