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**secunet Security Networks AG:
further improvement in the outlook for the 2016 financial year**

*[Essen, 12 December 2016]* The Management Board at secunet Security Networks AG (ISIN DE0007276503, WKN 727650) has raised its forecast for the 2016 financial year: they anticipate revenue of around 114 million euros and earnings before interest and tax (EBIT) of around 13 million euros (2015 financial year: revenue 91.1 million euros, EBIT 8.6 million euros). This further improvement in the revenue forecast (last status dated 15 November 2016: revenue about 105 million euros, EBIT about 10 million euros) is due to advanced call-off orders from existing contracts in the product business. The income from hardware and licences actually anticipated for the year 2017 is now leading to a considerable increase in the EBIT expectations to about 13 million euros.

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secunet was founded in 1997 and achieved sales of EUR 91.1 million in 2015. secunet Security Networks AG is listed on the Prime Standard of the German Stock Exchange

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