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<u>Trinidad Drilling Ltd.</u> (Trinidad) (TSX:TDG) announces the resignation of three directors - Dale Johnson, Elson McDougald and Don Seaman, effective immediately.

Messrs. Johnson, McDougald and Seaman joined Trinidad's board of directors following the acquisition of <u>CanElson Drilling Inc.</u> in August 2015. Trinidad thanks them for their efforts through the transition period and with the integration of CanElson's operations and employees. Trinidad wishes them the best in their future endeavours.

Trinidad is a corporation focused on sustainable growth that trades on the Toronto Stock Exchange under the symbol TDG. Trinidad's divisions operate in the drilling sector of the North American oil and natural gas industry with operations in Canada and the United States. In addition, through joint ventures, Trinidad operates drilling rigs in other international markets such as Saudi Arabia and Mexico. Trinidad is focused on providing modern, reliable, expertly designed equipment operated by well-trained and experienced personnel. Trinidad's drilling fleet is one of the most adaptable, technologically advanced and competitive in the industry.

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