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## **Kromek Wins ‘Tech Achievement of the Year’ at UK Tech Awards 2016**

Kromek Group plc (AIM: KMK), a radiation detection technology company focusing on the medical, security and nuclear markets, is pleased to announce that it has been awarded the prize for Tech Achievement of the Year at the UK Tech Awards 2016, the ceremony which celebrates success, rewards achievement and raises the profile of the UK tech community.

The annual event was hosted in London on 9 November 2016 and attended by over 800 people. This included tech entrepreneurs and CEOs, corporate advisors, investors, tech consultants and commentators. Now in its sixteenth consecutive year since its launch in 2000, the awards not only include publicly quoted “techMARK” companies on London Stock Exchange’s Main Market, but also AIM tech companies and fast-growing private tech companies.

Kromek won the Tech Achievement of the Year award in acknowledgement of outstanding achievement between 1 October 2015 and 30 September 2016. In particular, Kromek was recognised for being appointed the sole source supplier to deliver its D3S personal radiation detectors in mass volume to the Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (DARPA), an agency of the U.S. Department of Defense, in support of DARPA’s SIGMA programme to prevent attacks involving radiological “dirty bombs”. The voting panel was made up of investors, financial advisors, media experts and business people with specialist knowledge of the tech sector.

Arnab Basu, CEO of Kromek, said: “We’re delighted to have received this award, which reflects the tremendous effort and capability of our team. It also crowns a very successful year for Kromek as we have received a number of industry accolades, achieved commercial milestones and were honoured to have been part of the UK government’s trade mission to India just this week. We look forward to sustaining this momentum into 2017!”

For further information about the winners and the UK Tech Awards 2016, please go to <http://www.uktech-awards.co.uk/>.

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### **About Kromek Group plc**

Kromek Group plc is a UK technology company (global HQ in County Durham) and a leading developer of high performance radiation detection products based on cadmium zinc telluride (“CZT”). Using its core CZT technology, Kromek designs, develops and produces x-ray and gamma ray imaging and radiation detection products for the medical, security screening and nuclear markets.

The Group’s products provide high resolution information on material composition and structure and are used in multiple applications, ranging from the identification of cancerous tissues to hazardous materials, such as explosives, and the analysis of radioactive materials.

The Group's business model provides a vertically integrated technology offering to customers, from the growth of CZT crystals to finished products or detectors, including software, electronics and application specific integrated circuits ("ASICs").

The Group has operations in the UK and US (California and Pennsylvania), and is selling internationally through a combination of distributors and direct OEM sales.

Currently, the Group has over a hundred full time employees across its global operations. Further information on Kromek Group is available at [www.kromek.com](http://www.kromek.com).