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Fort Lauderdale, FL – December 19, 2016 – Anne M. Smith, agency owner of Travel & Events Extraordinaire, recently received certification from Special Needs Group, Inc. (www.specialneedsgroup.com), a global provider of special needs equipment for the travel industry, to specialize in special needs/accessible travel. To earn the distinction, Smith participated in Special Needs Group's in-depth online 3 module certification program.

Through the program, agents gain an understanding of the special needs/accessible travel market. They learn about the best equipment to rent for special needs travel, ways to market special needs/accessible travel, and more.

Nationwide, one in seven persons has some form of disability, and one in five families is touched. By specializing in special needs/accessible travel, Smith can help this large percentage of the population travel in an enjoyable, safe and efficient manner.

Anne has owned Travel & Events Extraordinaire since 2005, specializing in groups, active and mature travel, accessible and romance. Smith is a CLIA Master Cruise Counselor, a Travel Institute Certified Travel Industry Executive, and the CCRA Baltimore Chapter Director for one of the largest travel associations and chapters in the US.

"Through Special Needs' courses, I not only learned how to assist individuals with special needs to enjoy travel, but I found some very valuable new ways to serve the needs of all of my clients," said Smith. "The population, as well as the travel industry itself, has undergone major changes in the past few years. By completing this program, I have the ability to stay on the cutting edge of these changes and create opportunities for my clients."

To book a vacation, whether it involves special needs individuals or others, contact Smith at (443) 250-2666, via email at asmith@teetravels.com, or visit their website at www.teetravels.com. For more information about Special Needs Group's special needs certification program, call 1-800-513-4515.

About Special Needs Group, Inc.

Special Needs Group, Inc. is the leading global provider of wheelchair rentals, scooter rentals, oxygen rentals and other special needs equipment rentals. It also offers a broad range of special needs equipment for purchase. Recommended by the world's major cruise lines for superior service and value, Special Needs Group also services guests visiting hotels, resorts, theme parks and convention centers.

Special Needs Group is the industry's only total special needs travel solution. It is located at 302 NW 1st Street, Dania Beach, FL 33004. For more information, visit www.specialneedsgroup.com or call 1-800-513-4515.

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T.E.E. is an independent affiliate of World Travel Service-Hunt Valley, a Virtuoso agency.

We are active members of the CCRA, CLIA, DWHS, IATAN, and TRUE.

Anne M. Smith is a 2015 Jamaica Tourist Board Top 50 Travel Agent (in US CA UK) and the First Place Top Aruba Tourism Authority ACE Producer for Third Quarter 2016.

Anne is a Certified Accessible Travel Advocate (CATA), equipped to equip you with the right equipment.

Anne is also a Virtuoso Family Travel Advisor

