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Promia Deploys Intelligent Agent Security Modules in U.S. Navy's Network Operating Centers Worldwide *Awarded Additional \$700,000 from the U.S. Navy for Global Support of Cyber Security Products*

San Francisco, CA – March 30, 2005 - Promia, Inc., a developer of Enterprise Security products, announced today that it has deployed its Intelligent Agent Security Module (IASM) in the U.S. Navy's Network Operating Centers (NOC) globally, and is scheduled for further acquisition and deployment at other Navy land-based network facilities. Coordinated with this deployment, Promia has begun intensive onsite training of Navy technical personnel for the use and operation of the IASM.

Further, Promia announced that it has been awarded a contract for \$700,000 for the fiscal year 2005 for product maintenance and support of its IASM systems deployed throughout the U.S. Navy's land-based Network Operation Centers.

IASM is a super computer based system using a secure CORBA software component architecture designed to manage the accurate and consistent detection, validation, and response to internally and externally generated network and host computer intrusions. The system detects both known attacks, through Promia and other company's sensors, and novel attacks, through advanced analysis techniques that identify aberrant behaviors. IASM includes multiple visualization components designed to present ongoing attacks in a rapidly comprehensible format suitable to the needs of the U.S. Navy and other branches of the U.S. Department of Defense. High performance rack mounted cluster machines are provided in the IASM 5100 systems, which are currently being deployed worldwide in Navy land-based facilities, interconnected into a global information grid that includes fleet-based systems.

Promia's President and CEO, John Mullen, stated "We are pleased to have successfully deployed our IASM systems at multiple Navy facilities after more than 4 years of intensive research, development, testing, and refinement. Acceptance by the Navy of our IASM, as evidenced in particular by the Navy's additional IASM orders, validates not only our product but the core competency of Promia's staff and management." Mr. Mullen stated further, "The renewal of the IASM annual product support agreement, together with continued Fleet NOC deployment, underscores the Navy's commitment to continue to use Promia products in protecting our Country's military assets".

About Promia, Incorporated

Promia, Incorporated is a leading developer and supplier of security tools, based on open standard components with advanced analytic capabilities, to the Fortune 1000 companies and government markets. Its products are used in environments requiring high security, reliability, performance, and scalability.

Promia's core competencies include expertise in a wide range of languages, databases, security systems, communications protocols, hardware devices, artificial intelligence techniques as well as legacy integration and distributed data networks. Since the early 1990's, Promia has been in the forefront of developing software infrastructure solutions based on object-oriented technology and open standards, most particularly CORBA, for organizations worldwide. Based in San Francisco, Promia has offices in Princeton, UC Davis, and Linthicum, Maryland.

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