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## ***U.S. Navy Upgrading Promia Raven Units Additional Orders for Promia Cyber Security Products and Services***

San Francisco, CA – September 18, 2009 – Promia, Incorporated, a developer of Enterprise Cyber Security and Asset Monitoring products for government, energy and banking sectors, today announced that the US Navy SPAWAR group is upgrading 14 sites worldwide with its new Promia Raven 2100 network appliance models. These units, together with 9 previously purchased units, will be installed in 2010 in all Navy Fleet Network Operating Centers (NOCs) and selected OCONUS Navy Enterprise Network (ONE-NET) local and regional operating centers. The Navy also concluded an additional transaction for a series of many custom extensions in the IASM v2.1 software service package for the new units.

In a technical comparison with seven of the top products commercially available, the Promia products were found to be more secure, have more features, operate at higher speeds and higher loads, using less energy, space, weight, cooling requirements with lower cost in initial price as well as less ongoing maintenance and warranty costs. Unlike others, the Promia products link together in a global grid of protection where events in remote network locations around the world are immediately reviewed, correlated and reported to top Navy analytic facilities. The Promia products are integrated into other key Navy programs such as the Enterprise Network Management System (ENMS), NCDOC Sentinel and Prometheus and PACOM Shapes Vector.

The Promia Raven 2100 is a high performance version of the award winning Promia Raven 1100 product line. The 2100 is a 2U appliance with ability to perform packet inspection, real time analysis, asset monitoring and active policy enforcement (in-line) for many networks at once. Besides security event monitoring, the Promia Raven performs remote asset monitoring and management with the ability to detect and report on devices, computers or applications that are misconfigured, broken or otherwise not operating as expected. The Promia Asset Viewer 3-D tool allows operators to “fly” through the inside of the network viewing aspects of connected assets, warping from customer facility to facility through router, switch, VPN, wireless and other connections.

Promia Ravens do a particularly good job in delivering accurate information without overwhelming the human operators or analysts. The 3-D Graphical User Interfaces are easier to understand and provide more information than previous versions. They identify the newest emerging threats and often protect Navy assets against advanced attacks that are unseen by most other leading cyber security devices.

Promia resells the Promia Raven products to the energy sector, protecting the smart grid, through our partner Nexant, Inc. of San Francisco. Promia also has the products installed and operating in US banks, and provides a network monitoring service for remote management and protection.

### **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 energy sector, the banking sector, other Fortune 1000 companies and government markets. Its products are used in environments requiring high security, reliability, performance, and scalability. Based in San Francisco, Promia has offices in Princeton New Jersey and Davis California.*

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