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BITARMOR RELEASES ENHANCED DATACONTROL SOFTWARE, IMPROVING INFORMATION SECURITY WITH SUPPORT FOR MICROSOFT WINDOWS SERVER 2008, WINDOWS VISTA OPERATING SYSTEMS

Company announces forthcoming enterprise management for Windows BitLocker Drive Encryption

SAN FRANCISCO, RSA CONFERENCE, April 9, 2008 — BitArmor™, the leader in data control software that helps corporate executives protect and manage sensitive data throughout their organizations, today announced the availability of significant improvements to its DataControl™ software, enhancing its data protection and management capabilities when paired with Microsoft Windows Server 2008 and Windows Vista operating systems.

In addition, the company said it will introduce enterprise management capabilities for Microsoft Windows BitLocker Drive Encryption in the third quarter of this year, making BitArmor DataControl an integrated, comprehensive software product to protect Windows-based data, regardless of where it resides, either in-flight across networks or at rest on devices such as laptops or servers. The announcements were made today at the RSA Conference, being held here in San Francisco; BitArmor is an exhibitor in the Microsoft Partner Pavilion.

Introduced last year, BitArmor DataControl combines layered data protection with policy-based management, making it possible for companies to gain unprecedented control over corporate-critical information at every phase of its lifecycle, while reducing the costs and complexity traditionally associated with doing so. Publicly-traded companies in key vertical industries such as retail, healthcare, and manufacturing have discovered the

advantages of DataControl's powerful performance and ease of administration, combined with total transparency for end-users, applications and IT professionals.

"While Windows Server 2008 and Windows Vista incorporate substantive enhancements that make computing far more secure, the challenge remains in ensuring that not only the network is protected against unauthorized access, but that the control extends to the data as well," said Patrick McGregor, BitArmor's Chief Executive Officer. "Persistent file encryption, coupled with full disk encryption and data management, is a key element in making this happen, and is at the heart of our data-centric solution. The combination of Microsoft technology and BitArmor DataControl is designed to provide companies with more confidence than ever that they can control sensitive data even as it gets more widely distributed across the enterprise." McGregor is an expert in the field; his cryptography research work at Princeton University was recently cited in the "Cold Boot Attacks" paper that gained international headlines. BitArmor DataControl applies the principles of McGregor's research in a high-performance, transparent software product that provides a solution against this attack that is practical for businesses to implement.

Windows BitLocker is a new drive encryption technology introduced with the Windows Vista operating system. With BitLocker enabled, all files on a personal computer's hard disk drive are automatically encrypted, helping to prevent information from being read by others if a computer is lost, stolen or sold. "BitArmor's announced support for BitLocker, as well its support for Windows Server 2008 and Windows Vista, will make sensitive data throughout Windows-based environments more secure," said Austin Wilson, Director, Product Management, Microsoft. "BitArmor's data-centric approach and its combination of data protection and management in one solution make it a formidable answer against multiple threat scenarios. This forward-looking strategy will be welcomed by the Windows ecosystem."

About BitArmor Systems

BitArmor is the creator of DataControl™, powerful new software that provides a faster, easier, more cost-effective way to protect and manage sensitive data throughout any organization. Unlike traditional solutions that only deal with information at specific points in the system, BitArmor DataControl software attaches a Smart Tag™ directly to the data *itself* — a tag that travels *with* the data and allows you to secure, track, and control it regardless of where it is stored or sent. BitArmor helps companies protect valuable data assets, achieve regulatory compliance, and manage data throughout its functional lifecycle. More information is available at www.bitarmor.com.

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