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Health Data Card Contracts with IPR to Provide Secure Online Access

HDC Secure Health Network will allow Physicians and Clinics to download free software

Omaha, Neb. – October 8, 2004– Health Data Card™, LLC and IPRvolution, Inc. (IPR) have entered into a strategic relationship to provide HDCard software to licensed healthcare providers over the Internet.

This capability will allow HDC to provide the software anywhere in the country. Software updates will be available online through the most reliable connections. Technology provided by IPR will allow online HDCard applications to be processed securely and confidentially helping streamline card fulfillment.

According to Manny Quevedo, president and CEO of IPR, “The relationship with HDC is an ideal partnership. IPR’s ability to ensure secure, reliable and fast operations allies perfectly with HDC’s strategic needs.” Quevedo noted that HDCards, which help meet the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) patient privacy requirements, will resolve many demands faced by health care professionals nationwide.

“As one of the largest Technology Management Service providers in the region, IPR’s world-class centers provide industrial-strength, secure environments for total reliability and growth capacity,” said Henry Zach, president of HDC. “As HDCards are offered to more employees and patients, the need to provide individuals security online, while streamlining the process is vital” he added.

The partnership with IPR will allow licensed healthcare providers in any location across the country to securely download HDC software via the Internet. Card readers are provided to health care professionals at no charge.

IPR, provides business continuity and technology solutions to regional and national businesses. These solutions include secure data centers, alternate worksites, voice and data systems design, engineering and implementation and information technology consulting. For more information, visit www.iprev.com or call (402) 391-3400.

Health Data Card distributes its product through employers, insurance companies, healthcare systems, physician clinics, affinity groups and other organizations. It is a privately held corporation headquartered in Omaha, Neb. For more information visit www.healthdatacard.com or call (866) 820-2273.

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