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## **Commercial Data Systems Wins New Contract with Sandia National Laboratories JIT Program**

**- CDS' Multi-Year Award Includes Procurement of NetApp, Brocade and 3PAR Products -**

**ALBUQUERQUE, NM – July 20, 2010** - Commercial Data Systems ([www.cdsinc.com](http://www.cdsinc.com)), a leading IT integration company, has been awarded a JIT contract with Sandia National Laboratories'. Through the Just in Time (JIT) program, Sandia customers will be able to seamlessly purchase products or services directly from CDS as the designated supplier. The new agreement leverages CDS' core competency in storage, authorizing the company to provide products from NetApp, Brocade and 3PAR to Sandia through the JIT program. CDS has been a member of the JIT program for nearly a decade, delivering solutions from manufacturers such as Oracle/Sun, Lenovo and IBM.

“We are very pleased to continue our long history as a trusted supplier to Sandia National Laboratories,” said **Jim Altamirano, CDS President**. “As a JIT contractor, CDS maintains a strict code of quality, personally inspecting inventory when it arrives and handling all the integration, diagnostic testing, property tagging and systems set up. We have certified engineers on staff that not only provide product support, but also identify areas for improvement on current processes. CDS is looking forward to the opportunity to leverage our extensive storage experience to help Sandia achieve its business and technology goals.”

CDS was the first NetApp Federal reseller to achieve status as an Authorized Professional Services Provider (APSP), the highest level of competency in professional services delivery for NetApp technology. As an APSP, CDS is authorized to provide the same support and services provided by NetApp's own professional services organization. CDS' technical personnel have met stringent qualification criteria and have access to technical information, tools, and support typically reserved for NetApp's internal professional services engineers. CDS is also a NetApp Federal STAR partner, NetApp's highest reseller designation.

CDS is a Brocade Elite Partner and the first federal reseller to gain authorization to sell both Brocade's SAN and LAN products under the new Brocade Alliance Partner Network program. CDS is also one of very few resellers selected and authorized to sell 3PAR.

### **About Commercial Data Systems, Inc.**

Founded in 1986, Commercial Data Systems, Inc. is an IT consultancy and systems integrator specializing in virtualization, HPC, Cross-Domain Solutions, applied technology and enterprise services. As a trusted advisor for government and commercial clients, CDS partners with many IT providers, including Oracle, HP and NetApp. The company specializes in the government, education and commercial markets throughout the U.S. and the Pacific Rim. In addition to product expertise, CDS offers a complete range of IT consulting, engineering, training, and support services. CDS was founded in Honolulu with a “mainland” headquarters in Albuquerque, NM. For more information, visit [www.cdsinc.com](http://www.cdsinc.com).

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