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## NEC DISPLAY SOLUTIONS INTRODUCES NEW ENTERPRISE DESKTOP LCD MONITORS

New MultiSync 5-Series Desktop Displays Deliver Great Performance, Great Value to Desktop Computing

CHICAGO – January 4, 2006 –NEC Display Solutions of America, the leading stand-alone provider of flat panel desktop displays, today unveiled a new line of MultiSync LCD monitors for enterprise customers. With 8 millisecond response times, advanced imaging technology and improved panel quality, the MultiSync 5-Series flat-panel LCD displays (viewable at the Consumer Electronics Show 2006 (Booth No. 25112) in Las Vegas January 5 – 8), promise to enhance the user experience and provide business users with an exceptional screen experience at a great price.

NEC's Ambix dual-input technology brings versatility to the 5-Series by bridging the gap between analog and digital systems, providing users compatibility with the computer systems of today while offering the readiness for the digital applications of tomorrow. While the 5-series doesn't have the high-end functionality the award-winning 70 series displays do, they provide general-purpose computing users with the all of the quality and reliability that the NEC MultiSync brand delivers.

"The new NEC MultiSync 5-Series product family, consisting of the MultiSync LCD175VX, MultiSync LCD195VX, and multimedia MultiSync LCD175VXM displays, are designed to give our enterprise customers the superior performance they have come to expect from the NEC MultiSync brand at an exceptional price point," said Clinton Wilhight, Senior Product Manager, NEC Display Solutions. The new LCD family, along with the advanced, feature-rich MultiSync 70-Series, create a broad display portfolio that is able to satisfy nearly every business need. "These new displays deliver smooth, vivid images in a great looking design making them perfect for general-purpose computing."

Controls for the MultiSync 5-Series are designed to be easy-to-read and use. The On-Screen Manager (OSM) provides clear and simple to understand menus that put users in easy control of their screen setting adjustments.

Other MultiSync 5-Series features include:

• Rapid Response<sup>TM</sup> technology (8ms) delivers virtually uninterrupted, undistorted viewing of high-speed, full-motion video

- Ambix® dual-input technology allows for digital/analog compatibility with upgraded video cards and software as well as connection to two systems
- Touch or protective glass integration enabling design which increase application options
- Enhanced cable management helps prevent unattractive, space-consuming wire clutters
- Low power consumption reduces electrical costs and lowers total cost of ownership
- On Screen Manager (OSM®) puts users in easy control of their screen setting adjustments
- Built-in power supply allows for easy mounting of the display
- No Touch Auto Adjust<sup>TM</sup> reduces setup time and provides optimal image settings upon initial power-on
- Wall/arm mounting capability adds flexibility and comfort, while freeing up valuable desktop space (using third-party product)
- Adheres to ISO 13406-2 Class II requirements for quality screen performance
- Energy Star<sup>®</sup> 4.0 compliance helps reduce power consumption and lowers expenses
- Three-year limited parts and labor warranty
- 24/7 support from NEC Display Solutions

The new NEC MultiSync 5-Series LCD Series products are RoHS (Restriction on Hazardous Substances) compliant, containing fully-disposable plastics and free of hazardous materials such as lead, hex-chrome, cadmium, mercury, PBDE and PBB.

The MultiSync LCD175VX, LCD175VXM, and LCD195VX monitors come in a silver and white or black cabinet color options and the products are available for immediate delivery. Estimated street prices for the products are:

- \$294.99 for the 17-inch NEC MultiSync LCD175VX monitor
- \$319.99 for the 17-inch NEC MultiSync LCD175VXM monitor
- \$399.99 for the 19-inch NEC MultiSync LCD195VX monitor

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