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**NEC DISPLAY SOLUTIONS SELECTED AS A 2006  
PC WORLD INNOVATIONS AWARD WINNER**

***Industry's First Desktop LED-Lit LCD, the NEC  
MultiSync LCD2180WG-LED, Recognized***

**CHICAGO – January 4, 2006** –NEC Display Solutions of America, the leading stand-alone provider of flat panel desktop displays, today announced that it has been selected as a 2006 PC World Magazine Innovations Award winner.

The PC World Innovations Awards honor 25 trend-setting products that have emerged with the convergence of technology and consumer electronics. Winning products possess unique qualities that break the boundaries of the computer and consumer electronics worlds with envelope-pushing design and functions as well as standard-setting innovation. The Innovations Award is now the third industry award the LCD2180WG-LED has received since its introduction in August 2005.

“The NEC MultiSync LCD2180WG-LED has established a new standard in high-end LCD display performance, eclipsing the color reproduction capability of even the highest performing CRT monitor and more than satisfying the demanding image requirements of professional users,” said Ray Froude, Senior Product Specialist for NEC Display Solutions.

The PC World Innovations Awards will be presented at an exclusive media reception on Thursday, January 5 at the Wynn Hotel in Las Vegas during the Consumer Electronics Show.

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**About NEC Display Solutions of America, Inc.**

Headquartered in Itasca, Ill., NEC Display Solutions of America, Inc., is a leading provider of innovative LCD displays and integrated display solutions. NEC Display Solutions develops leading-edge visual technology and customer-focused solutions for the consumer, enterprise, professional, medical and digital signage markets. NEC Display Solutions ranked as the #1 best-selling stand-alone LCD monitor provider in the U.S. for all of CY2004, according to iSuppli's quarterly monitor reports. For more information, please call 1-866-NEC-MORE or visit [www.necdisplay.com](http://www.necdisplay.com).

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