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Criterion Systems Named Number One Rising Star by Deloitte

Vienna, VA –November 12, 2008, - Criterion Systems has been named a Rising Star on Deloitte's 2008 Technology Fast 500. A special category, the Rising Star list ranks 10 companies that have been in business a minimum of three years, but less than five years. They are ranked based on percentage of fiscal year revenue growth over three years (2005-2007). Deloitte's Technology Fast 500 is a ranking of the 500 fastest growing technology, media, and telecommunications and life sciences companies in North America.

Criterion's President & CEO, Promod Sharma, credits a strong management team and excellent relationships with partners with the company's 6,232% revenue growth over the past three years.

"Deloitte's Technology Fast 500 Rising Star list honors young companies that have differentiated themselves not only through technology innovation, but via extraordinary revenue growth," said Phil Asmundson, Deloitte LLP vice chairman and national managing partner for Technology, Media and Telecommunications. "We congratulate Criterion Systems for the remarkable three-year growth that propelled it to the ranks of our 2008 Rising Stars."

About Criterion Systems

Headquartered in Vienna, VA, Criterion Systems, Inc. is a leading provider of information technology services to Government and commercial clients. Criterion delivers full life-cycle consulting services in business and technology strategy, systems architecture and integration solutions, and managed services in highly classified environments, including: advanced search, Microsoft, managed services, and high performance computing solutions. the company serves the Department of Homeland Security, Intelligence and National Security, Department of Defense, Civilian Agency, and Commercial markets. For more information on Criterion and its services please visit www.criterion-sys.com.

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