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Prime Associates and IFSA to Introduce IFSA-IQ at IFSA Risk and Regulatory 2005 Conference

Clark, N.J., March 3, 2005 – Prime Associates, Inc., a Metavante company and a leading provider of regulatory compliance solutions for financial institutions, and International Financial Services Association (IFSA) will debut IFSA-IQ™, an online browser-based compliance tool at the IFSA Regulatory and Risk Conference, March 9 – 11 in New York City. At its exhibit, booth number four, Prime Associates will demonstrate its comprehensive array of compliance products and services for the financial industry.

IFSA-IQ allows anyone with Internet access to verify a name against a comprehensive database of compliance information, including financial fraudsters, “politically and financially exposed persons” and those on worldwide sanctions lists. IFSA-IQ is a service that is delivered by IFSA online and is powered by Prime Associates.

“The IFSA has again raised the bar by offering IFSA-IQ to its membership. IFSA-IQ will provide enhanced due diligence to financial institutions worldwide through the Internet, allowing cost effective access to databases previously only available at a very high cost,” said Salvatore Cangialosi, president, Prime Associates, Inc.

“We are confident that the IFSA-IQ service will assist our membership as well as other banks around the globe in meeting their compliance obligations,” said Ernest Fiore, vice president, International Financial Services Association.

About Prime Associates, Inc.

Prime Associates, Inc., a Metavante company, is a leading international provider of software, data, and services that address the regulatory and compliance mandate of financial institutions. Prime provides a complete suite of state-of-the-art solutions for compliance with the USA PATRIOT Act, AML, SAR & CTR reporting, Know Your Customer & Customer Identification Programs, Politically & Financially Exposed Persons, OFAC, FinCen 314a reporting, and other regulations to the financial community. Prime’s four areas of expertise: software; database subscriptions; consulting services which include implementation, risk-based analysis, and regulatory consulting; and hosted solutions in an ASP environment have been implemented in some of the largest financial institutions around the world. Prime’s continuous growth is a result of our broad range of regulatory compliance solutions to the financial services industry, which includes banks, broker dealers, and insurance companies. The company’s goal is to supply its clients with all of the necessary tools to meet regulatory requirements and implement effective AML programs. For more information, see www.primeassociates.com and www.primeiq.com. Metavante Corporation (www.metavante.com) delivers banking and payment technologies to financial services firms and businesses worldwide and is the financial technology subsidiary of Marshall & Ilsley Corporation (NYSE:MI).

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