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Northcross Group Partners with Fortinet

Portland, Maine, April 27, 2012 - Northcross Group (NCG) has partnered with a worldwide leader in Network Security – Fortinet as its Silver level partner. Fortinet is awards winning worldwide provider of network security appliances and the market leader in unified threat management (UTM).

"Fortinet's approach to package solutions in a consolidated device is very similar to our consulting service model, bridging between technology and business components to produce tangible results. The core Fortinet products differentiator – their products consolidate many processes into one security appliance and eliminate the need of numerous stand-alone security devices from different vendors that can become costly to deploy, complex to manage, and degrade network performance and reliability," says Northcross Group President Christopher Bender.

"Even though computer threats become more sophisticated, Fortinet products provide broad, integrated and high-performance protection against dynamic security threats. NCG's Fortinet certified staff educates the private and federal sector clients on consolidated security strategy how to simplify their IT security infrastructure and to reduce security risks. "

Fortinet was founded in 2000 to solve the challenges of organizations needing more network protection than existing technologies, such as firewall and VPN, could provide. Fortinet is headquartered in Sunnyvale, Calif., with offices around the world. Rigorous 3rd party certifications validate Fortinet's approach to network security. Fortinet's broad product line goes beyond UTM to help secure the extended enterprise - from endpoints, to the perimeter and the core, including databases and applications. For more information about Fortinet visit www.fortinet.com.

Northcross Group (NCG) is an integration and security firm with offices in Portland, Maine and Arlington, Virginia. NCG delivers highly complex initiatives bridging between technology and business to maximize ROI, ensure security, and compliance in highly regulated environments. NCG provides system and security services in the public and private sectors including healthcare, financial services, energy, and manufacturing. For more information about NCG, please visit www.northcrossgroup.com.

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