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Artech President to serve on NMSDC Honorary Committee

Cedar Knolls, NJ — April 1, 2011 — Ranjini Poddar, president of Artech Information Systems LLC, will be serving on the NMSDC Honorary Committee for the National Minority Supplier Development Council's Minority Business Leadership Awards Dinner-Dance.

During the event, three awardees will be recognized for their significant long-term accomplishments in the field of minority business development: Louis R. Chenevert, chairman, president and CEO of United Technologies Corporation; David W. Morgan, CEO of D.W. Morgan Company, Inc., and; J. Leslie Prystup, CEO of Prystup Packaging Products.

The Dinner-Dance will take place on May 18th at the Grand Ballroom of the Hilton New York and Towers. For more information, visit www.nmsdc.org.

About Artech

Artech is a minority- and women-owned business enterprise (MWBE) that provides Workforce Solutions, IT Consulting and Outsourced Project Services. Headquartered in Cedar Knolls, NJ, Artech employs over 5,200 professionals and maintains over 21 locations across the US, India, China and Mexico with its largest US branch office located in the national capital region. Artech was founded in 1992 and today is a Tier-1/Preferred Supplier to more than 45 Fortune 500 companies and numerous federal and state government agencies. The firm is certified by the NMSDC and WBENC and is the recipient of the *2009 NMSDC National Supplier of the Year* award — the highest honor a minority supplier can receive. Artech is also ISO 9001, ISO/IEC 27001 and SEI-CMM certified. For more information, visit: www.artechinfo.com.

About the NMSDC

Providing a direct link between corporate America and minority-owned businesses is the primary objective of the National Minority Supplier Development Council, one of the country's leading business membership organizations. It was chartered in 1972 to provide increased procurement and business opportunities for minority businesses of all sizes.

The NMSDC Network includes a national office in New York and 37 Regional Councils across the country. There are 3,500 corporate members throughout the network, including America's top publicly-owned, privately-owned and foreign-owned companies as well as universities, hospitals and other buying institutions. The Regional Councils certify and match 16,000 minority-owned businesses with member corporations that want to purchase their goods and services.

For more information about NMSDC, call (212) 944-2430 or visit the Web site at www.nmsdc.org.

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