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XIPLINK ANNOUNCES SALE OF TCP ACCELERATION TECHNOLOGY TO MDA

SATELLITE 2006, WASHINGTON DC – XipLink Networking announced today the sale of XipLink Gateway TCP Acceleration Products to MacDonald, Dettwiler and Associates Ltd. (MDA) The technology is to be used to accelerate file transfer across a mix of satellite and terrestrial networks at speeds of up to 140Mbps.

The XipLink Acceleration Technology will be installed at multiple locations including the Antarctic and Europe. The technology is part of a solution being delivered by MDA to an undisclosed customer.

The advanced XipLink performance enhancement technology maximizes the throughput efficiency of high-speed data communication links. The specific configuration was optimized in consideration of the specific MDA technical requirements.

In particular, the technology was configured to handle the high link asymmetry of approximately 175 to 1, and maintain full utilization for constant file transfers over both satellite and terrestrial optical communication links. The network may be upgraded to even higher speeds at a later date.

The XipLink high bandwidth gateways for the MDA application are highly robust, and include such features as automatic failover support, redundant hard drives and hot swappable power supplies for high reliability

XipLink provides the highest performance implementation on the market of the SCPS-TP standard recognized by the ISO and other standards organizations including the US Military and SatLabs. SCPS-TP extends TCP with improved congestion control, error handling and data throughput efficiency. In addition to the SCPS-TP PEP, XipLink also includes additional link enhancements specifically targeted at transparently accelerating the web browsing responsiveness and media-rich page download time over a satellite or wireless link, providing a DSL-like experience to the user.

About XipLink Networking and Xiphos Technologies

XipLink Networking, a subsidiary of Xiphos Technologies Inc. (XTI), is focused on taking a leading role in the adaptation of Internet Protocols for stressed communication links. XipLink technology is sold worldwide via COTS Gateways or licensed for OEM integration. XTI is a privately owned Canadian company that is adapting network concepts for communications and control in space and in other stressed environments.

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