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### Petris and EPIS Form Marketing Alliance in China

**HOUSTON, TX – August 21, 2006** – Petris Technology, Inc. has established a strategic alliance with EPIS, an advanced provider of information solutions to the Chinese market for oil and gas decision making. This alliance will focus the considerable geoscience, integration and IT technology expertise of EPIS to market the full suite of Petris products and services in China.

“We are pleased to be partnering with EPIS in the Chinese exploration and production marketplace,” noted Jim Pritchett, Petris President and CEO. “The combination of our technology with EPIS’ customer network, technical skills and service capabilities will enable both companies to provide key competitive solutions to Chinese E&P companies within China and to their businesses worldwide”.

Mr. Bao, Shijie, President of EPIS, said: “We are very pleased to form this exclusive strategic alliance with Petris. We are looking forward to increasing the pace of E&P knowledge, information and data integration for effective and efficient E&P decision making processes through the adoption of PetrisWINDS® Enterprise technology in China. We see great potential for the adoption of PetrisWINDS RECALL in well data management and petrophysical applications in China.”

#### **About EPIS**

EPIS provides information solution products and services for oil and gas E&P decision making. EPIS develops and integrates leading geoscience and IT technologies into its unique products and services for E&P enterprise knowledge, information and data management and work process control. EPIS has resources of E&P knowledge management expertise and IT solution technologies and market place via strategic alliances with C&C Reservoirs, Inc. ([www.ccrepositories.com](http://www.ccrepositories.com)) and Beijing Jurassic Software Ltd, China ([www.jurassic.com.cn](http://www.jurassic.com.cn)).

#### **About Petris Technology, Inc.**

Founded in 1994, Petris provides practical, real-world IT-based solutions for energy clients leveraging its expertise in data management, application hosting and geospatial information systems (GIS). Through a unique vendor-neutral approach and expertise in service-oriented architecture, Petris designs and deploys innovative technology that integrates data from diverse data stores to enable better decision making and application transparency. Taken together, Petris is leading the way into a new era in integration, data and application management. [www.petris.com](http://www.petris.com)

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