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### Petris and Production Access Announce Joint Cooperation Agreement

*Integration of Production Access' Operations Center and PetrisWINDS® DrillNET™ will provide streamlined workflow, near real-time comparison of drilling well data with well designs, data transfer between applications and sharing/reuse of data.*

**HOUSTON, TX – November 9, 2006** – Production Access, Inc. and Petris Technology Inc. are pleased to announce their joint cooperation for the integration of Production Access' *Operations Center* and Petris' PetrisWINDS® DrillNET™. This mutual effort will combine the capabilities of these leading drilling and well data products to achieve a new set of benefits for customers which increase data access and reuse while improving overall quality and operational safety.

*Operations Center* provides an integrated platform for the complete management of operational data for drilling and wellwork and production operations. The system streamlines the acquisition and management of this information for improved decision making. DrillNET provides a complete suite of planning tools for drilling program design and execution, including the ability to view data while drilling for near real-time decision making. The joint cooperation will couple Petris' strengths in engineering and wellbore analysis and data management with Production Access' understanding of financial and operational data management to yield a solution that provides better information to customers for decision making, along with complete data capture, sharing and reuse.

"The combination of PetrisWINDS DrillNET with *Operations Center* provides a solution which integrates all of the relevant information needed to make good decisions," says Jim Pritchett, Petris President and CEO. "The expertise in financial and operational data management which Production Access bring will definitely improve the usefulness of PetrisWINDS DrillNET."

"This cooperation will give customers a significant enhancement to drilling workflow and overall well data management, " notes John Yurkanin, Production Access President and CEO. "Petris provides significant expertise in the engineering and technical aspects of drilling and wellbore data management, which will give customers a fully integrated solution to support their operations."

Petris offers leading-edge, energy-centric software solutions coupled with focused consulting and technology services to help businesses reach peak performance. PetrisWINDS DrillNET™ is an advanced drilling and completion engineering software framework which combines the unique capabilities of multiple individual Maurer drilling programs into one easy-to-use, integrated package that permits data to be captured, reused and shared among users, increasing both operational safety and efficiency. [www.petris.com](http://www.petris.com)

Production Access is a leading provider of integrated data management solutions for oil and gas production operations. *Operations Center* allows information to be entered once in the field or in the office and then made available across the organization. Easy access to operational information across disciplines enables efficient and optimal decisions to be made throughout the organization from the field to the executive suite to improve cash flow, increase productivity, and reduce operating cost. [www.productionaccess.com](http://www.productionaccess.com)