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## MERCURY COMMUNICATION ANNOUNCES NEC DOUBLE DIAMOND ASSOCIATE STATUS

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DALLAS, TX, June 26, 2007 " Mercury Communication Services Inc., a leading provider of voice and data communications solutions for Texas businesses, today announced that it has been awarded the prestigious Double Diamond Award from NEC Unified Solutions' (NEC) Alliance Recognition Program, and is now an NEC Double Diamond Associate. Mercury is one of only two Texas companies to hold this coveted designation.

Double Diamond status is a three-dimensional method of recognition which takes into account Mercury's relationship with NEC, its competitiveness in the marketplace, and its overall technical expertise. Mercury earned 'points' toward achieving the designation for sales volumes, technical and application certifications, and percentage of NEC solutions within their business. By achieving Double Diamond status, Mercury is awarded special benefits from NEC including special training and demos, designation on NEC's website and certain discounts and rebates.

Greg Osler, President and CEO of Mercury, commented on the award, saying, 'We are extremely pleased to receive NEC's Double Diamond Award. This is a real honor and makes the fact that Mercury was once again among the top 10% of NEC dealers nationwide in 2006 doubly gratifying,'

NEC Unified Solution Vice President and General Manager, National Channel, Larry Levenberg, added, 'With the involvement of companies such as Mercury, our Channel community has become a vehicle for increased sales, creating opportunities that help enterprises communicate more efficiently and effectively.'

One of North Texas' leading telecommunications firms since 1980, Mercury is committed to long term, high quality service for its client base. The Mercury team of operations professionals includes Technical Engineers with over 200 years of combined experience who have been involved with some of industry's most innovative communications systems. For more information call 214-MERCURY or visit the Mercury website at [www.mercurycom.com](http://www.mercurycom.com).

About Mercury Communication Services, Inc.

A leading Texas telecommunications firm since 1980, Mercury delivers technology solutions designed to continually advance the manner in which customers do business. Through the company's comprehensive suite of voice and data communications, software applications and professional services, Mercury designs robust solutions that help customers achieve desired

business results. Mercury's 'best of breed' application offerings allow investment protection of existing technology while implementing complementary solutions geared toward decreasing costs and increasing customer satisfaction. For more information, visit [www.mercurycom.com](http://www.mercurycom.com), or call 214-MERCURY

About NEC Unified Solutions, Inc.

NEC Unified Solutions Inc., a leader in converged voice and data communications solutions for the enterprise, delivers the industry's most innovative suite of products, applications and services that help customers achieve their business goals. NEC Unified Solutions is a wholly owned subsidiary of NEC Corporation of America and offers the broadest range of communications services and solution choices, flexible product platforms and applications, and an open migration path to protect investments. NEC Unified Solutions, Inc. serves the Fortune 1000 and customers across the globe in vertical markets such as hospitality, education, government and healthcare. The NEC Alliance program was created to recognize Associates' sales achievements, business strengths and to solidify the partnership between Associates and NEC. For more information, visit [www.necunified.com](http://www.necunified.com), or call (877) 463-2267.

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