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MatrixOne and netGuru Team to Provide Integrated Collaborative Product Development Solutions

Advanced Visualization Leading PLM Vendor Delivers Business Collaboration Solutions that Help Companies Manage and Track Products from Concept to Aftermarket

Westford, Mass. and Yorba Linda, CA - October 2, 2002 - MatrixOne, Inc. (NASDAQ: MONE), a leading provider of collaborative product lifecycle management (PLM) solutions for the value chain™, and Web4, a division of netGuru, Inc. (NASDAQ: NGRU), a provider of enterprise collaborative commerce solutions, today announced a new development and marketing alliance. As part of the alliance, the companies have enabled customers to integrate the Web4 eReview document collaboration engine and MatrixOne's PLM solutions.

With the integration of eReview into MatrixOne's collaborative PLM solutions, extended product development teams will be able to hold interactive Web-based review meetings. Team members will be able to view and markup 2D and 3D documents in real-time and can work with hundreds of different file formats without installing or even knowing the native application. Tightly integrated with all MatrixOne Value Chain Portfolio™ applications, including MatrixOne Team Central™, teams can manage online meetings and can save and playback the content of the sessions.

"Proper real-time visualization of critical documents related to the product development cycle is imperative in today's market. This is especially important in the earliest stages of development when the most changes occur," said Mark Bierschied, director of integrated eBusiness solutions at MatrixOne. "MatrixOne has always strived to offer the best visualization and collaboration tools to its customers. Partnering with netGuru allows us to address the growing need of our customers looking to manage documents across their value chains on a real-time collaborative basis."

eReview offers a one-to-many model of collaboration, moving one step ahead of the traditional peer-to-peer model. The software requires only one server-based installation, on a UNIX or Windows platform, saving clients having to install anything further on their machines. eReview can simultaneously run across multiple platforms such as Windows, MAC, or UNIX. eReview has the capability to read native file formats without the need for original applications on either the client or server machines. Incorporating powerful new features like 3D model viewing, and compatibility with over 150 2D file formats and office documents, eReview 3.6 also offers state-of-the-art desktop application sharing and Web-based collaboration via textual chat, voice and video conferencing.

Commenting on the alliance, Mr. Amrit Das, Chairman & CEO of netGuru said, "We are thrilled to have this new alliance with MatrixOne in place. For eReview, this means not only recognition and validity of our technology, but also an immediate exposure to some of the largest and most innovative manufacturing and design companies in the world. By going in as one team and providing a collaborative solution stack including real-time document management and viewing tools, the potential is limitless. We believe that MatrixOne is poised to be the leader in the PLM space and as such will be an invaluable partner."

About netGuru

netGuru, Inc. (www.netguru.com) is an integrated ISO 9001 certified Internet and Information Technology and Services Company. The company's services and solutions consist of the following:

- Software products, services and solutions;
- Information technology services and solutions;
- Internet technology services and solutions;
- Internet telephony services; and
- Digital media products and services.

The Company has offices in the United States, India, the United Kingdom, France, Germany and Singapore and distributors in 40 countries. The Company currently licenses its software products to more than 20,000 businesses, with 50,000 installations and 150,000 users in over 65 countries.

About MatrixOne

MatrixOne, Inc. (NASDAQ: MONE) is a recognized leader in delivering collaborative Product Lifecycle Management (PLM) solutions. We provide flexible solutions that unleash the creative power of global value chains to inspire innovations and speed them to market. MatrixOne's more than 625 global customers represent the aerospace and defense, automotive, consumer products, high technology, life sciences, machinery and the process industries, and include Agilent Technologies, General Electric, Honda, Johnson Controls, Philips, Procter & Gamble, and Siemens. MatrixOne (www.matrixone.com) is headquartered in Westford, Massachusetts with locations throughout North America, Europe, and Asia/Pacific.

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