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Hitachi Solutions America Joins Microsoft Dynamics President's Club for 8th Consecutive Year

Top performing partner earns membership through outstanding sales achievements and innovation

IRVINE —August 15th 2013 — Hitachi Solutions America, Ltd., a leading provider of global industry solutions based on Microsoft Dynamics AX and Microsoft Dynamics CRM, announced today it has been awarded membership to the Microsoft Dynamics President's Club. This is eighth consecutive year the Global ISV has qualified for the honor.

The President's Club represents the top five percent of Microsoft Dynamics partners worldwide. Members are granted acceptance based outstanding sales achievements, innovative solutions, continuous and strong customer relationships, and dedication to the advancement of Microsoft Dynamics.

"It is a huge achievement for us to again be named to this prestigious group of Microsoft partners," said Greg Carter, Senior Vice President, Hitachi Solutions America, Business Solution Group. "We continue to be committed to helping our clients solve their business challenges while furthering the advancement of Microsoft Dynamics. Being recognized by Microsoft confirms we are succeeding."

Hitachi Solutions has a long and rich history of Microsoft honors. Most recently, Hitachi Solutions received the 2013 U.S. Microsoft Dynamics Reseller of the Year award. Previously, the company was named the 2011 Dynamics Global CRM Partner of the Year and the 2009 Global Dynamics Partner of the year, and has won multiple Microsoft Partner and Microsoft Customer Excellence awards.

About Hitachi Solutions

Hitachi Solutions, Ltd., headquartered in Tokyo, Japan, is a core member of Information & Telecommunication Systems Company of Hitachi Group and a recognized leader in delivering proven business and IT strategies and solutions to companies across many industries. The company provides value-driven services throughout the IT life cycle from systems planning to systems integration, operation and maintenance. Hitachi Solutions delivers products and services of superior value to customers worldwide through key subsidiaries in the United States, Europe, China and India. The flagship company in the Hitachi Group's information and communication system solutions business, Hitachi Solutions also offers solutions for social innovation such as smart cities. For more information on Hitachi Solutions, please visit: http://www.hitachi-solutions.com.

About Microsoft Dynamics Business of Hitachi Solutions Group

Hitachi Solutions Group prides itself on helping our clients to compete with the largest global enterprises with powerful, easy to use, and affordable industry solutions built on Microsoft Dynamics AX and Microsoft Dynamics CRM. With a balanced view of strategy, people, process and technology, we work with companies to understand their unique business needs, and provide focused industry solutions to improve their business. From business strategy development through application deployment and maintenance, our consultants are committed to helping clients quickly realize measurable business value and achieve sustainable ROI. We offer a client-focused, collaborative approach and transfer knowledge throughout each engagement. "Global Center of Excellence" of Hitachi Solutions America strategically promotes the Microsoft Dynamics business of Hitachi Solutions Group globally. Hitachi Solutions Group was awarded the 2013 U.S. Reseller Partner of the Year award and had multiple Microsoft Dynamics Customer Excellence Award Winning clients and 6 finalists in 2012, a record for Microsoft awards. They also had multiple Microsoft Dynamics Customer Excellence Award Winning clients and 6 finalists in 2012, a record for Microsoft awards. Hitachi Solutions Group was recognized as the 2011 Microsoft Dynamics CRM Global partner of the year, the 2009 Microsoft Dynamics AX Global Partner of the Year, and two-time Microsoft Dynamics US Partner of the Year. Outside of Japan, the company conducts its business through key subsidiaries, Hitachi Solutions America, Ltd., Hitachi Solutions Europe, Ltd., Hitachi Solutions Canada, Ltd., Hitachi Solutions India, Itd, and Hitachi Solutions (China) Co., Ltd. For more information, call 949.242.1300 or visit http://us.dynamics.hitachi-solutions.com.

About Hitachi, Ltd.

Hitachi, Ltd. (TSE: 6501), headquartered in Tokyo, Japan, is a leading global electronics company with approximately 326,000 employees worldwide. The company's consolidated revenues for fiscal 2012 (ended March 31, 2013) totaled 9,041 billion yen (\$96.1 billion). Hitachi is focusing more than ever on the Social Innovation Business, which includes infrastructure systems, information & telecommunication systems, power systems, construction machinery, high functional material & components, automotive systems and others. For more information on Hitachi, please visit the company's website at http://www.hitachi.com.