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LAS VEGAS, April 16, 2007/PRNewswire - CUC Broadcast Division of Computer Upgrade Corporation (CUC), a leading Solutions Provider of archival storage systems for the Broadcast and IT market segments, announced their new OmniStor/3160 RAID storage subsystem today.

The new RoHS-compliant OmniStor/3160 RAID 4GB Fibre-channel storage subsystem from CUC supports multiple RAID levels and stripes within a single disk group for RAID 0, 1, 3, 5, 6, 10, 30, 50, 60, JBOD and NRAID configurations. Utilizing sixteen (16) of the latest 750GB SATA-II disk drives, the OmniLib/3160 can store over 10 hours of 10-bit uncompressed HD source content, enabling cost-effective and reliable digital asset storage.

"Our customers will be impressed with the performance and quality of the OmniStor/3160," said Derek Black, CUC's Engineering Director. "The OmniStor/3160 successfully supports multiple uncompressed HD and SD streams simultaneously."

"Our new OmniStor/3160 enables our Broadcast partners to immediately realize both increased performance and significant cost savings for high-resolution programming at a fraction of the cost of competitive HD-capable storage technologies", said Scot Lamb, CEO at CUC.

"Our broadcasting, post production and project studio users will appreciate the performance and simplicity of OmniStor/3160", said Paul Thurman, VP Sales at CUC. "Cost-effective, high-performing, plug-and-play storage are always welcomed".

Coupled with an intuitive "web-based" graphic user interface that enables complete storage control anytime anywhere, OmniStor/3160 provides both customizable SNMP and SMTP notification capabilities. Certified by Microsoft Multi-path I/O (MPIO), OmniStor/3160 allows for fault tolerance against single-point of failure and load balancing of I/O traffic. Built-in enterprise features like Snapshot and dynamic online RAID expansion enable OmniStor/3160 to optimize application performance and increase productivity results in ultimate HD and SD post production environments.

Pricing and Availability

The OmniStor/3160 is available with scalable storage capacity from 1.28TB up to 10TB, starting at \$ 9,995. to \$16,995.

About Computer Upgrade Corporation (CUC)

Founded in 1986, CUC is a full-service data storage systems integrator and solution provider offering best-of-breed hardware, software, on-site installation, training and support. CUC's Broadcast Division is a one-stop reliable source for digital content storage management and extended on-line/near-line digital storage for a variety of on-air and NLE systems including Apple, Avid, Harris/Leitch, Grass Valley, Omneon, Sundance and more. With over twenty (20) years of system integration experience, Broadcast, News, Post, Sports, and other rich media asset companies rely on our wide range of cost-effective, high-performance, high-availability and scalable digital storage solutions and expertise.

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