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AR Releases CoSign 3.1 Providing a High- Availability Digital Signature Solution for the Enterprise

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Pleasant Hill, Calif.- Nov 25 - AR, a world leader of digital-signature solutions today announced the release of a major new version of CoSign, AR's flagship product. The new release includes a host of new features including supports of high-availability, enhancement of its user management capabilities, easy signature validation, and multi language support.

CoSign Version 3.1 now includes:

- **High-Availability**

One of the key features of this new release of CoSign is support of a high-availability solution that provides redundancy & load balancing between multiple CoSign appliances. This feature ensures the availability of CoSign in case of a failure in one of the appliances as well as allows distributing workloads efficiently between multiple CoSign's. Enterprises can now confidently implement CoSign's digital signature technology in fault tolerance configuration and conduct high transaction volumes.

- **Enhanced User Management Capabilities**

CoSign can now be installed in environments that do not include the standard user directories (e.g., Active Directory, Novell NDS). Customers can now opt to use CoSign's own user-management tool or take advantage of a new API for synchronizing with an organization's existing user management system.

- **Easy Signature Validation**

Users can now digitally sign Adobe Acrobat 6.0 Professional without installing a special plug-in. Similarly, CoSign 3.1 signatures are Word XP/2003 compliant and do not require the MS Word plug-in for the signature validation. These features enable external users to automatically and easily validate CoSign digital signatures without the need for installing any software client.

- **Multi Language Support**

CoSign now supports foreign character sets and environment, allowing user names and other attributes to be in any language.

"This exciting new version of CoSign addresses the real-world needs of our enterprise customers who require a fault tolerant signing solution that can also support high volumes of digital signatures," said Gadi Aharoni, CEO, AR. AR will continue to expand and enhance its digital signature offerings and capabilities in order to support the growing demand for digital signatures."

CoSign, is AR's, easy to use and non-forgable digital-signature solution that delivers an innovative way for electronically signing documents, files, forms and transactions. CoSign guarantees signer authenticity, data integrity, and non-repudiation of documents. It has the unique ability to provide support both graphical (wet signatures) and digital signatures.

More information on CoSign is available at <http://www.arx.com/CoSign.html>

About AR

AR (Algorithmic Research) Ltd., is a leading provider of digital-signature and data-security solutions . The company specializes in designing and implementing easy to use, simple to deploy, digital signature solutions, combining software and hardware products, for small, medium and large computing environments. AR offers a wide range of high-end, state-of-the-art products and services designed to simplify, secure, and accelerate electronic transactions anytime, anywhere.

AR has more than 17 years of experience in helping financial institutions, governmental organizations and commercial sectors to secure and streamline thier processes and transactions. More information about AR is available at <http://www.arx.com>

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