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IronPort Systems Settles Litigation with Optinrealbig.com

SAN BRUNO, Calif.—September 3, 2004—SAN BRUNO, CA - SpamCop.net, a wholly-owned subsidiary of IronPort Systems, Inc., has settled the litigation commenced by Optinrealbig.com against SpamCop on April 29, 2004. In its complaint, Optinrealbig alleged damages under various causes of action including defamation and unfair trade practice claims based upon the operation of SpamCop's spam reporting service. On June 25, 2004, United States District Judge Sandra Brown Armstrong of the United States District Court for the Northern District of California denied the Plaintiff's Motion for Preliminary Injunction, finding among other things that SpamCop is subject to immunity under § 230 of the Communications Decency Act. Under the terms of the settlement, neither party has admitted any wrongdoing or liability. Additionally, SpamCop's website and reporting policies will remain unchanged, as will Optinrealbig.com's business practices and emailing methodologies. The terms of the settlement are otherwise confidential.

ABOUT IRONPORT SYSTEMS

IronPort Systems is the leading email security provider for organizations ranging from small businesses to the Global 2000. The company has developed a family of email security appliances, the IronPort C-Series(TM), that offer breakthrough performance, unprecedented ease of use and reduced total cost of ownership. IronPort is driving new standards and providing innovative products for those faced with the monumental task of managing, protecting, and growing mission-critical email systems. For more information on IronPort products and services, visit: <http://www.ironport.com>.