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ION Computer Systems Introduces a New Line of 2U Solutions Based on Intel® Xeon® Processor 5500 Series Processors with New Levels of Performance, Efficiency, Reliability and Manageability.

Hauppauge, New York - ION Computer Systems, Inc. today introduced the U20 series of 2U (3.5") high performance servers. The U20 server will incorporate Intel® SR2600 (2U) chassis with the Intel® S5520UR server board and support a wide range of Intel® Xeon® processor 5500 series which delivers leading performance that adapts to application needs, intelligently scales energy use to performance demands, and offers best-in-class virtualization. Ideal for businesses of all sizes, the Intel® Xeon® processor 5500 series can automatically increase processor frequency when needed and reduce power during low-use times.

"ION's U20 rack mount servers based on the Intel® Xeon® processor 5500 series delivers an impressive mix of performance, I/O capability and storage capacity," said Keith Josephson, Vice President of Engineering.

"In today's environment everyone is focused on reducing cost while increasing performance. These concerns are addressed with the introduction of ION's new series of server and storage solutions" states Paul Scheremeta, Vice President of Marketing

ION Computer Systems® an Intel® Channel Partner Premier Member, is a builder of custom servers, storage solutions and workstation for data centers, embedded applications and high performance computing.

Since 1992, ION has developed solutions designed to help customers take advantage of the latest technologies and highest level of performance. Today those solutions include HPC Clusters, storage area networks, disaster recovery and improved communications within diverse enterprises.

All product offerings are supported by ION's Configurator, which offers online configuration guidance, pricing and ordering through the World Wide Web.

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