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**Codian High-Definition Video Conferencing Bridge
Named “Best of FOSE 2007”**

MCU 4500 Series recognized by GCN editors for its innovative technology

SAN JOSE, CA – March 29, 2007 – Codian, a leading manufacturer of video conferencing infrastructure, today announced that its MCU 4500 Series high-definition family of video conferencing bridges has been awarded “Best of FOSE 2007” by the editors of *Government Computer News* (GCN) and *Washington Technology*. At FOSE 2007, Codian demonstrated how the MCU 4500 Series’ unmatched high-definition performance and user-friendly operation are ideal for outreach and collaboration in critical government applications. Codian partnered with its customer Sign Language Associates, Inc. (SLA) to demonstrate the effectiveness of video conferencing to quickly and securely deliver essential interpreting services.

“Video communications are continuing to reshape the business landscape on all fronts,” said Wyatt Kash, editor in chief of GCN. “GCN’s editors looked for a video conferencing solution that not only delivered the best audio and video quality, but offered flexibility and an abundance of features to enhance user experience. Codian clearly stood out among the contenders.”

According to Kash, this year’s FOSE participants showcased new ways for government to operate more efficiently, safeguard the country and move the national agenda forward.

The Codian MCU 4500 Series is the only family of video conferencing bridges that can deliver true high-definition continuous presence while supporting a mix of high-definition (HD) and standard-definition (SD) endpoints in a single conference. For real-world applications that include both HD and SD participants, Codian offers the only solution for seamless connectivity. In common with all Codian products the MCU 4500 Series is interoperable with all endpoint equipment and easy for anyone to operate without formal training.

William MacDonald, Codian’s General Manager for The Americas, commented: “Codian’s video conferencing solutions are ideal for the most demanding public sector applications. Our high-definition bridges deliver the highest quality, immersive experience along with unparalleled interoperability and ease of use. We are delighted that our high-definition video conferencing solution has been recognized by *GCN* and *Washington Technology* and remain committed to leading the way in video conferencing innovation.”

For more information about the MCU 4500 Series and Codian's entire product line, please visit the website at www.codian.com.

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About Codian

Codian designs and manufactures the most advanced video conferencing infrastructure products available. Codian's product line includes Multipoint Control Units, Video Conference Recorders, Streaming Servers and Video Gateways. Using a unique architecture and the latest hardware technology, Codian's products are both easy to use and powerful. Codian supports enterprise and service provider customers worldwide with main offices in San Jose, London, Sydney and Hong Kong. For a product demonstration or to learn more about Codian products, please visit the website at: www.codian.com.

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