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Concept Systems Inc. VP Jamie Diehl Receives Rising Star Award from CSIA

Albany, OR – May 5, 2011 – Jamie Diehl, Vice President of Finance and Human Resources of Concept Systems Inc. of Albany, Oregon, has received the Rising Star Award by the Control System Integrator's Association (CSIA – see www.controls.org).

Criteria for the Rising Star Award include a demonstrated commitment to the field, specific recognition for results driven to business, profession or industry, and an innovative approach to projects.

Ms. Diehl currently serves on the CSIA's Insurance Committee, which promotes the appropriate insurance for the CSI industry and the benefits to prospects and members. She also participates in the CSIA member communities KPICs, and Deltek Vision Users Group. Ms. Diehl has been a strong behind-the-scenes contributor to the organization and attended the CSIA Registration training classes in 2005 to prepare Concept Systems for the audit process.



from left to right: Bob Lowe - Executive Director of CSIA, Jamie Diehl, Jim Campbell - Chair of the Nominating Committee

"We are very proud that Jamie has been selected for this award. It is nice to see her commitment to excellence and leadership abilities recognized by such a fine organization as the CSIA", said Michael Gurney, Concept Systems co-CEO. "Concept is committed to continually raising the bar in the integration business. This will be done with focus on our own internal processes, as well as with committing resources to support the CSIA and its efforts."

Ms. Diehl earned a BA in Economics and an MA in East Asian Studies from Stanford University.

About Concept Systems Inc.

Founded in 1999 and based in Albany, Oregon with a second location in Seattle, Washington, Concept Systems Inc. provides automation services by taking advantage of the latest in proven technologies. These technologies include: PLC and DCS based controls, motion control and vision inspection, database applications, and production asset management



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systems. Concept Systems serves customers in the following industries: forest products, converting, food processing, aerospace, automotive, mining, pulp and paper, communication equipment, entertainment, packaging, and others.

Recognized as 2007 Integrator of the Year by Control Engineering magazine in the category of less than \$10 million revenue, Concept Systems is a CSIA (Control System Integrators Association) Certified Member. The company is also a certified Rockwell Automation Solution Provider, a Siemens Solution Partner, and a UL 508A- and 698A-certified panel shop. For more information, please visit www.conceptsystemsinc.com.

About CSIA

Headquartered in Exton, Pennsylvania, the CSIA has over 260 system integrator members and 64 partner members. CSIA's mission is to serve the industrial controls industry by setting the standards of performance for control system integrators, and to ensure that system integrators are as good at running their business as they are with the technology.

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