SAFEnet Becomes First PACS Platform to Receive DIACAP Certification to Operate on Federal and DoD Networks

New Certification Empowers MDI's Current and Future Government Customers to Easily Comply with White House Directives (HSPD 12) on Identity Management

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SAN ANTONIO, Texas – Monitor Dynamics announced in February 2008 that the SAFEnet Unified Security Platform received the new DIACAP (Department of Defense Information Assurance Certification and Accreditation Process) certification from an independent third-party laboratory for approval to operate on secure government networks. With several thousand government operating locations, military bases and federal agency headquarters as customers over the past twenty years, the SAFEnet system has remained the U.S. Government standard for unified access control, video surveillance and alarm management.

DIACAP is the required security process with which all Government information systems will receive certification and accreditation (C&A) to manage information assurance capabilities and information technology networks. Currently, without the DIACAP product certification, operation on Department of Defense information systems is not allowed without the ultimate designated approval authority accepting an unknown network-centric risk from an un-accredited product.

DIACAP certification will allow MonDyn to further generate new business from DoD clients and continue to support its current Defense Department customers with Unified Security and Identity Management solutions across the globe.

MonDyn's SAFEnet Unified Command and Control Platform has been selected by a multitude of federal, state and local governments because they cost-effectively deliver the most flexible, reliable and advanced unified security solution available in the industry. The same holds true with commercial organizations across the nation who regularly do business with the Federal Government and DoD.

SAFEnet was the first industry physical access control system (PACS) to unify with the DoD's Common Access Card (CAC) program over ten years ago. CAC, which promotes the use of a single smart card that functions as a common credential for computer access, facility access and a growing range of additional uses. MonDyn provides this same unified solution for its Federal Civilian Agency clients, to achieve total compliance with recent federal identity management mandates and associated smart card technologies such as:

- FIPS 201 (Federal Information Processing Standards)

- TWIC (Transportation Worker Identification Credential)

- PIV, PIV-I and PIV-C

- FRAC (First Responder Authentication Credential).