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### MicroWorld Technologies, Inc. Announces eScan 2003 The Next Generation in Antivirus Protection

- Company Creates Breakthrough in Content Security Using Proprietary WinSock Layer Technology, a Real-Time Gateway Content Security Check System -

OLD BRIDGE, N.J., March 31 /PRNewswire/ -- MicroWorld Technologies, Inc. (MWTI), a leading solutions provider for information technology, content security, and communications, today announced the launch of its eScan next generation antivirus software, eScan 2003, an enterprise-wide antivirus software that scans local and network drives for viruses and cleans them on a real-time basis. eScan offers unprecedented security at various levels for any organization or consumers, from the Internet gateway to desktops. The company has offices in the United States and India and a channel network of more than 10,000 partners and resellers across the world.

eScan is the world's first real-time antivirus, content security and TCP-IP traffic scanning software package that uses MWTI's revolutionary and proprietary MicroWorld WinSock Layer (MWL) technology, which scans and checks Internet traffic and content on real-time basis including emails, attachment files and web pages. This new concept has changed the way in which content security threats are managed in the knowledge world. MWL analyzes Internet traffic and potential threats before they reach computer systems, as opposed to other solutions that deal with the threat after they have infected computer systems. The checks are made for viruses, restricted words and phrases as well as for embedded objects like Java applets, etc. eScan incorporates content security plug-ins at the gateway level to protect customers.

eScan 2003's new product features include Attachment Filters, Parental Control, POP-UP Ad Blocker, email virus scanner, Internet Eraser, Spam Killer and even more powerful antivirus protection. The Content Administrator features auto compress and decompress email, and offers content control in emails, blocks offensive mail and spam, specifies restricted phrases, blocks ID of sender and attachments, and addresses Plug IE vulnerabilities. The Web Access Feature Control blocks specific web sites, assigns filters as per international standards and blocks web sites and pages with restricted words. The eScan Management Console offers a LAN and WAN for multi clients, remote install/uninstall from a single machine, a remote display that upgrades a license and security policy, and obtains the status of clients. The eScan Updater allows users to automatically download updates and set the auto time interval for downloads.

"Our mission is to continually develop innovative solutions for large corporations, small enterprises and individual users," said Govind Rammurthy, chief executive officer of MicroWorld Technologies, Inc. "We are very excited to launch eScan 2003, the world's first real-time antivirus content security software, offering new additional security features. MWTI is pleased to have

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become one of the leading antivirus software products of choice for customers worldwide."

MWTI provides a number of eScan software versions including: eScan Pro, a content security antivirus software for desktops; eScan Virus Control, which is only for antivirus scanning on desktops; eScan Enterprise edition, the complete enterprise-wide, content security and antivirus solution providing protection for desktops, file servers, and has MailScan for all mail servers; eScan Corporate edition, the enterprise-wide, content security antivirus solution providing protection for desktops and file servers, and also includes a Server, distributing updates and upgrades to eScan clients; and eScan Corporate edition for MailScan, which replaces the existing scanner inside MailScan, with a 32 bit device-driver based, real-time scanner and Management Console modules that allow it to act like an Enterprise eScan. These versions will include the updated features of eScan 2003.

MWTI's partners and channels help the company offer well-informed recommendations and services to its customers through a channel network of more than 10,000 partners and resellers across the world including: Global Marketing Partners Inc. (GMP), who distributes eScan and MailScan to US and Canadian markets; IBM Lotus Domino, one of the largest selling mail servers, worldwide, approves, lists and certifies MailScan for Lotus Notes; Jarir Bookstores, who has a commanding presence in Saudi Arabia and caters to corporate and home users; BlueVadd, the leading France based distributor of security and networking solutions, has a strategic alliance with MWTI to market eScan and MailScan products; and LAN-Projekt, the leading Czechoslovakia based distributor for WinProxy servers.

**MWTI's Revolutionary AntiVirus Technology**

MWTI's patented technology is based on the Winsock Layer of Windows based applications, known as MicroWorld Winsock Layer (MWL) technology, which is integrated with an antivirus scanning engine to perform real time virus scan of all in coming and out going mail over the Internet; content scan of all contents being downloaded from the Internet on any system or network regardless of its size; and maintaining sanctity of the network, by effective spam and rule based policies, which prevent any intrusion by unauthorized persons, as well as the network administrator, be it a small network, a corporate network or an Internet Service Provider (ISP).

**System Requirements and Pricing**

eScan server and client run on Windows 95, 98, ME, NT, 2000, and XP, with a minimum Pentium 100 or greater, 64 MB RAM or greater (32 MB for the client), 50 MB free hard disk space, a CD ROM drive, TCP/IP network and an Internet connection. Product pricing is only available for licensing through ESD (Electronic Software Distribution), based on quantities ranging from one to 2,500 units, and the length of the term. Call MicroWorld Technologies, Inc. for more information on pricing and terms.

**About MicroWorld Technologies, Inc.**

MicroWorld Technologies, Inc. (MWTI), a leading solution provider of information technology, content security, and communications, provides protection from the threat of viruses infiltrating Internet communications and systems at large corporations, small enterprises and individual users. MWTI's products, eScan, an enterprise-wide antivirus software and MailScan, a content security software for the corporate mail server, use proprietary MicroWorld WinSock Layer (MWL) technology to scan Internet traffic on a real-time basis, and analyze Internet traffic and potential threats before they reach computer systems. The company has offices in the United States and the Asia Pacific Region, and a channel network of more than 10,000 partners and resellers across the world. The U.S. Corporate office is located at 109, White Oak Lane, Suite # 93, Old Bridge, NJ 08857, USA; Tel: (+1) 732.607.7501/02, Fax: (+1) 732.607.7503. For more information, visit <http://www.mwti.net>.