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**System Health Monitoring Now Available with HighPoint RocketRAID SATA II Controllers : RocketRAID 2320, 2240 and 2220**

HighPoint Technologies Releases RocketGuard 100 for System Health Monitoring

**Milpitas, CA** – January 31, 2006 – HighPoint Technologies, Inc. a global leader in providing multi-channel SATA RAID solutions today introduces the RocketGuard 100 for server and chassis solutions to monitor systems health and RAID arrays. The RocketGuard 100 will alert users about temperature, power supply and fan failures with an audible alarm or email notification and is a major enhancement for the HighPoint RocketRAID SATA II RAID Controller product line.

The RocketGuard 100 empowers customers with a worry-free system health monitoring capabilities. Customers can now have the ability to monitor and manage systems remotely to ensure zero-downtime of servers and RAID arrays. The RocketGuard 100 represents a first-to-market position in providing a complete solution to customers. HighPoint continually looks for ways to support enterprise customers with complete solutions.

The major advantage of the RocketGuard 100 include remote monitoring of vital systems components including fan speed, systems temperature, power supply and RAID arrays. The delivery of the RocketGuard 100 for the system integrator and systems server customer is an important landmark that will enable these customers ensure business continuity.

As part of a complete solution, the RocketGuard 100 are compatible with the HighPoint RocketRAID SATA II RAID Controllers (2320, 2240 and 2220). These HighPoint SATA II RAID Controllers are the worlds highest performing SATA II RAID Controllers that support 3Gb/s transfer rates and support advanced RAID levels (0, 1, 5, 10, 50 and JBOD). Additionally all HighPoint SATA II RAID Controllers support (OCE/ORLM) Online Capacity Expansion / Online RAID Level Migration, hard disk activity and failure LED notification.

The feature rich RocketRAID SATA II RAID Controllers and RocketGuard 100 are just one of the many solutions HighPoint offers for the SMB (Small to Medium Business) as well as the enterprise customer.

**About HighPoint Technologies Inc.**

HighPoint Technologies, Inc. is a leader of Ultra DMA/ATA and Serial ATA RAID Controllers for data storage within the PC industry. Since 1995, the company has successfully launched a series of data storage management products and has been recognized as the technology leader in the I/O area. The company's mission is to provide cutting-edge multi-channel SATA RAID solutions. Contact HighPoint Technologies Inc, US headquarters at 1161 Cadillac Court Phone at (408) 942-5800, Fax (408) 942-5801, or e-mail: [sales@highpoint-tech.com](mailto:sales@highpoint-tech.com). website at <http://www.highpoint-tech.com>