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## **Redax 3.5 Offers Expanded Redaction Capabilities for Adobe Acrobat 6.0**

**Lansdowne, PA, July 7, 2003**– Appligent, Inc. ([www.appligent.com](http://www.appligent.com)), a leading provider of PDF-related software applications, today announced the launch of Redax® 3.5, a newly updated version of Redax 3.0 for Adobe® Acrobat® 6.0 software. Redax enables law firms and government agencies to redact sensitive information from Portable Document Format (PDF) files, automatically deleting that information permanently from the PDF data stream.

Redax 3.5's new features include tighter integration with Acrobat. Now the redaction engine will automatically process four types of native Acrobat mark-ups (text select, strikethrough, highlight, underline), as well as Redax's standard mark-up boxes. This enables users to take advantage of Acrobat 6.0's overall enhanced collaboration facilities that provide greater flexibility when working with PDF prior to redaction. There is also enhanced support for rotated pages, so that pages displayed sideways in a PDF document can be properly redacted. Redax 3.5's other new features also include an improved user-friendly interface and a redesigned redaction engine to offer optimal support for irregular, malformed PDF documents generated by some third-party document conversion engines.

“Redax 3.5 is a strong tool that can help aid organizations working to comply with the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), Electronic FOIA, the Privacy Act and moving forward the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA),” says Sarah Rosenbaum, director of Acrobat product marketing, Adobe Systems Incorporated.

“Redax 3.5 offers accuracy and reliability of results along with ease of use, greatly simplifying the task of removing sensitive information from a PDF file.” Redax 3.5 is an easy-to-use plug-in for Acrobat 5.0 and the newly announced Acrobat 6.0 Professional and Acrobat 6.0 Standard.

“Appligent is pleased at the continued innovation Adobe has shown with Acrobat 6.0. We are committed to continually enhancing and improving all our products to maintain our leadership position in the third party PDF space. Appligent will continue to produce the best redaction tool on the market,” says Mark Gavin, Chief Technology Officer, Appligent.

Redax 3.5 is now available through various resellers or online at [www.appligent.com](http://www.appligent.com). Redax regularly retails for \$349, and along with other Appligent software, is available on the GSA Schedule.

### **About Appligent**

Appligent, ([www.appligent.com](http://www.appligent.com)), is the leading provider of plug-in and server-based production-grade tools for the on-demand customization, manipulation and delivery of dynamically generated electronic documents. Based in Lansdowne, PA, Appligent has provided PDF-related software applications to users throughout the world since 1993. The company’s products are used in various industries, including financial services, government, insurance, banking, manufacturing, legal and pharmaceutical.

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