

SUNGARD DATA SYSTEMS INC
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THIS FILING CONSISTS OF AN EMAIL TO THE COMPANY'S BUSINESS UNIT PRESIDENTS REGARDING THE PROPOSED MERGER.

E-Mail to Presidents

As you know, we will be holding a conference call for employees on Monday, March 28 at 9.30AM. I realize that many employees are on holiday but the timing of the transaction and the announcement could not be delayed.

I would also like to hold a conference call for presidents only at 10.30AM Eastern. Unlike the employee call, all lines will be open. I will take your questions live and would also like to get your feedback on how the announcement has been received by employees.

The dial-in numbers are:

United States: (800) 230-1092

International: (612) 332-0226

Participant Access Code: 776430

I want to stress that the current senior management team will continue to lead the company and will also become investors in the company. Management participation in the transaction is key. The success of the transaction will depend on growing the business rather than eliminating jobs or reducing service levels.

About the Transaction

In connection with the proposed merger, SunGard will file a proxy statement with the Securities and Exchange Commission. INVESTORS AND SECURITY HOLDERS ARE ADVISED TO READ THE PROXY STATEMENT WHEN IT BECOMES AVAILABLE, BECAUSE IT WILL CONTAIN IMPORTANT INFORMATION. Investors and security holders may obtain a free copy of the proxy statement (when available) and other documents filed by SunGard at the Securities and Exchange Commission's Web site at <http://www.sec.gov>. The proxy statement and such other documents may also be obtained for free from SunGard by directing such request to SunGard, Attention: Investor Relations, telephone: (484) 582-5500.

SunGard and its directors, executive officers and other members of its management and employees may be deemed to be participants in the solicitation of proxies from its stockholders in connection with the proposed merger. Information concerning the interests of SunGard's participants in the solicitation is set forth in SunGard's proxy statements and Annual Reports on Form 10-K, previously filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission, and in the proxy statement relating to the merger when it becomes available.