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pragma Systems Corporation Clients Sweep Contractor of the Year Awards
2005 Greater Washington Small, Midsize, and Large Contractors of the Year
*Rely Upon **pragma Systems' processMax**® for CMM compliance*

Reston, Virginia (November 21, 2005)—pragma Systems Corporation (www.pragmasystems.com), the industry leader in CMM® and CMMI®-compliant project management solutions, today announced its customers have swept *Washington Technology's* 2005 Contractor of the Year Awards for Greater Washington.

Northrop Grumman Corp. (large contractor of the year), Stanley Associates (midsize contractor of the year) and McDonald Bradley Inc. (small contractor of the year) are just three pragma Systems Corporation customers who have successfully passed Software Engineering Institute (SEI) appraisals using pragma Systems' processMax.

By using processMax, organizations are able to manage software development and maintenance projects in guaranteed compliance with the Software Engineering Institute's Capability Maturity Model® (SW-CMM) and Capability Maturity Model Integration (CMMI) using the power of their intranet. Using a role-based approach to the management of software projects, processMax provides managers and developers with step-by-step procedures, integrated document management, automated workflow, and automated measurement and reporting.

"We would like to congratulate Northrop Grumman, Stanley Associates, and McDonald Bradley Inc. on winning Washington Technology Contractor of the Year Awards," said Rebecca Bowerman, President of pragma Systems. "Their success is yet another example of how processMax assists corporations of all sizes in achieving compliance."

About pragma Systems

pragma Systems Corporation (www.pragmasystems.com) has been in the software process improvement and assessment business since 1990 and is the market leader in project management systems that comply with the Software Engineering Institute's (SEI) Capability Maturity Model for Software (SW-CMM) and Capability Maturity Model Integration (CMMI). pragma Systems was one of the first companies licensed by SEI to perform software process assessments. pragma Systems uses its own products and is a SW-CMM Level 3 development company as determined by independent SEI-licensed Lead Evaluators. processMax and related services are on the GSA schedule. pragma Systems Corporation is headquartered in Reston, Virginia.

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