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RSPA Closes RSPA Services, Completing Transition to Industry Association

Charlotte, NC—February 2, 2009 –In order to better serve its membership, the Retail Solutions Providers Association, the only association dedicated to the retail technology industry, will no longer sell parts, PC's and supplies. As of February 28, 2009 RSPA will close RSPA Services and exit the product sales business.

Over the many years of operations, RSPA Services (formerly known as PC4 and ICRDA Parts Center) has valued customers' business and support. In today's retail technology marketplace where hardware margins are minimal, RSPA Services could not continue to provide value to their customers along with a viable business return to its association membership.

Sales of products provided an excellent member benefit for many years but the current market has drastically changed. RSPA now provides members with many benefits including: education, legal support, marketing services, shipping discounts and discounts on services such as Sprint/Nextel wireless and pre-employment screening. These programs are just a few of the benefits that help to provide an excellent cost-savings and return on membership dues investment.

RSPA will continue to expand and provide ground breaking information and events to help bring member businesses and the retail technology industry to the next level. RetailNOW, RSPA's Annual Summer Convention and Expo, and Inspire, RSPA's Thought Leadership Summit, will continue to be the premier industry events. RSPA will also continue to expand our regional, web based and on-demand educational offerings as well as search for new benefits to provide our members.

"RSPA has made these changes to better serve our membership and our mission as the Industry Association for Retail Technology. RSPA will continue to evolve to ensure that the association's actions and programs benefit all of our Dealer and Vendor members," said Joe Finizio, RSPA President & CEO.

RSPA Services will continue to take orders through February 28, 2009. All orders will be shipped and customer support provided through March 31, 2009.

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About RSPA (www.GoRSPA.org)

The Retail Solutions Providers Association (RSPA) is the only association dedicated to the retail technology industry. RSPA members include resellers, hardware manufacturers, software developers, consultants, finance companies, and distributors bringing retail technology products and/or services to the marketplace. RSPA provides education, industry advocacy, standards, services, and benefits that assist member companies in expanding their business.

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