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## EDS and World Wide Technology Announce 5-Year, \$27 Million Business Process Outsourcing Agreement

### *Companies Will Market Comprehensive Contract Labor Services Solution Into \$125 Billion Marketplace*

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PLANO, Texas and ST LOUIS -- EDS and World Wide Technology, Inc (WWT), a premier IT solutions provider and leading electronic procurement and logistics company in the IT industry, today announced a five-year, \$27 million contract for EDS Procurement Services, a unit of EDS Business Process Services, to provide a best-in-class offering for hiring and managing professional contract workers.

The BPO offering leverages EDS' global scale and technology expertise to lower WWT's costs by finding professional contract workers, negotiating labor rates, providing payroll and labor expenditure reporting services, and eliminating administrative overhead.

According to industry analyst firm Giga, contract labor is a \$125 billion marketplace worldwide, with more than 16,000 suppliers worldwide.

"EDS is pleased to provide WWT with a unique, managed program for sourcing, negotiating, procuring, and managing contract labor resources," said Pete Quigney, president of EDS Procurement Services. "We will leverage our global scale, leading technologies, and extensive buying power, along with our category expertise to provide a centralized, streamlined process supported by Web technology."

The companies also announced an exclusive arrangement to market a comprehensive contract labor solution to address the needs of large enterprises for contractors in such categories as technical and information technology, administrative and clerical, industrial and the medical fields.

"By teaming with EDS, WWT will combine our eProcurement services with the contract labor content expertise of EDS to provide a high-quality, low-cost comprehensive solution to our customers," said Joe Koenig, president of WWT. "Contract labor as a managed service broadens our portfolio of services, which includes IT hardware and software, telecommunications equipment, and commodity direct manufacturing material."

WWT is the largest African-American-owned company in the United States and provides mission-critical, outsourced programs to its clients. The EDS solution achieves important benefits for large enterprises, including lower labor costs, faster hiring, elimination of manual processes, and overall increases in diversity spend with minority-owned businesses.

EDS Business Process Services allows clients to unlock business efficiencies, break down operational silos, streamline business processes, and get a complete view of their employee, customer and vendor relationships. At the same time, clients benefit from EDS' people and technology, without having to make those investments on their own. EDS Business Process Services includes Customer Relationship Management (CRM), Financial Process Management (FPM) and Administrative and Enterprise Shared Services, which includes Human Resources, Finance and Accounting, and Procurement Services.

### About World Wide Technology

Founded in 1990, WWT Holding is a leading electronic procurement and logistics company in the information technology industry. WWT Holding, with its industry-specific operating companies -- WWT, Telcobuy.com and SDE Business Partnering -- specializes in helping customers rapidly build and deploy technology infrastructure in a timely, cost-effective manner. WWT's electronic procurement and logistics capabilities combine procurement services and logistics functions with state-of-the-art information systems technology, building upon WWT's success as a premier value-added reseller in the information technology industry. This allows partners to focus on core competencies while maximizing supply chain efficiencies. Both customers and partners benefit from having WWT, a proven distribution and logistics company, manage their inventory while at the same time gaining access to WWT's web-based procurement, inventory management and deployment management applications. WWT has headquarters in St. Louis, Missouri, with remote sales and distribution facilities in Plano, Texas; Austin, Texas; Livermore, California; Aberdeen, Maryland; Nashville, Tennessee; Detroit, Michigan; Reno, Nevada; and McLean, Virginia. For more information, please visit us at [www.wwt.com](http://www.wwt.com).

### About EDS

EDS, the world's largest independent information technology services company, provides strategy, implementation, business transformation and operational solutions for clients managing the business and technology complexities of the digital economy. EDS brings together the world's best technologies to address critical client business imperatives. It helps clients eliminate boundaries, collaborate in new ways, establish their customers' trust and continuously seek improvement. EDS, with its management-consulting subsidiary, A.T. Kearney, serves the world's leading companies and governments in 60 countries. EDS reported revenues of \$21.5 billion in 2002. The company's stock is traded on the New York Stock Exchange (NYSE: EDS) and the London Stock Exchange.

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