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Mintera Enhances Customer Focus with Expansion of Operations and Quality Functions

*Rick Lane Joins as VP Operations; Bryan Siegal Appointed to
VP Quality and Customer Satisfaction*

Acton, MA—October 29, 2008—Mintera® Corporation, the high bit-rate optical transport systems solution leader, today announced the appointments of Rick Lane as Vice President, Operations and of Bryan Siegal as Vice President of Quality and Customer Satisfaction.

Mr. Lane is responsible for managing the production of Mintera's 40 Gbps and 100 Gbps transport solutions and he assumes responsibility for oversight of the company's supplier and contract manufacturing relationships. Mr. Siegal assumes increased responsibility for quality systems and delivery assurance with a strong focus on customer satisfaction.

"I am excited to welcome Rick to the Mintera team," said Mintera CEO Terry Unter. "His excellent experience in bringing leading-edge technology products from concept to volume manufacturing will be essential as we ramp our supply chain to meet the growing demands of our customers. The added strength in Operations will also allow us to put increased emphasis on quality systems and I am very pleased to have Bryan leading our drive to customer satisfaction and to full ISO 9000 certification."

Mr. Lane brings a broad base of business experience in creating and growing high technology business operations. His experience was gained by producing a number of first-to-market products such as the first 18 GHz wireless LAN, the first personal two way wireless handheld messaging devices and the first 56 kbps analog modem.

More recently, Mr. Lane focused his business operations experience to drive the separation of an IP router and managed network services division from Motorola to become an independent, profitable business. New and modified processes in product development, new product introduction, information technology and manufacturing outsourcing were all key components of the changes Mr. Lane drove to create the profitable stand alone operation.

Mr. Lane holds a BS in Electrical Engineering from Lafayette College in Easton, PA.

Since joining Mintera in December 2006, Mr. Siegal has played a key role in setting up the Company's manufacturing and quality systems. As the company enters a period of strong sales growth, he will now focus his role to ensure delivery of the highest levels of quality and customer satisfaction. Prior to joining Mintera his experience included serving as Vice President of Operations at Optovia Corporation, a start-up specializing in NEBS compliant, optical amplification systems and as Vice President of Manufacturing at PhotonEx, a 40 Gbps long haul transport start-up company.

Mr. Siegal holds an MS in Engineering Management from Northeastern University and a BS in Industrial Engineering and Operations Research from the University of Massachusetts.

About Mintera Corporation

Mintera is a high bit-rate optical transport systems solution leader enabling migration to 40 and 100 Gbps in metro-core, regional, long-haul, and ultra long-haul networks. Mintera's flexible multi-service product-set enables service providers to upgrade their existing infrastructure in an evolutionary and seamless fashion. Mintera continues to gain customer traction since demonstrating the world's fastest ultra long-haul optical transport connection in June 2004. The company is working on higher bit-rate solutions with multiple research and development labs at carriers, systems suppliers, component manufacturers, research institutes and universities aiming to drive down optical transmission costs further. For more information, visit www.mintera.com.

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