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The following email was sent by Joseph M. Tucci, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of EMC Corporation (the Company), to employees of the Company.

SUBJECT: Dell | EMC Integration Update

Last month, Dell announced a definitive agreement for NTT DATA to acquire Dell Services, which includes Dell's business process outsourcing, application management and infrastructure services. Dell will continue to provide its customers global support, deployment and professional services aligned to Dell Client Solutions and Enterprise Systems businesses. Following the completion of the Dell/EMC transaction, the Dell and EMC II services capabilities will be combined to form an industry-leading global technology services organization to support customers' migration from today's platforms to tomorrow's technologies and solutions. In addition, the combined Dell and EMC II internal IT organizations will be a showcase for our customers as we help them on their journey to modernize, automate and transform their IT environments and build their digital future.

As we prepare for the largest technology combination in history, I am pleased to share this update from Michael Dell on the future leadership of the combined company, following his earlier announcement that I shared with you on March 1:

Howard Elias will be President, Global Services and IT, supporting Client Solutions and Enterprise Systems business units and enterprise, commercial, and consumer & small business customers. He will be responsible for global support and deployment, consulting services, technology professional services, and the combined Dell and EMC II internal IT organization.

Rory Read at Dell will continue in his role as Chief Integration Officer for the Dell/EMC integration. The Global Services organization will provide strategic guidance and technology expertise to help customers drive value through IT innovation with a focus on an exceptional total customer experience. The IT organization will encompass the people, technology and systems to deliver the most modern IT experience for the business, customers and partners.

These appointments will become effective immediately upon close of the transaction with Dell. Until then, Howard continues in his current role at EMC responsible for Global Enterprise Services as well as continuing to partner with Rory leading the Value Creation and Integration Office.

We are continuing to make decisions on the future combined business and will keep you updated on our progress. There are still critical decisions to be made about a number of important areas of the new company and much of that work is still ongoing. We are excited about the progress we are making to combine Dell and EMC, and even more excited about unleashing our unmatched capabilities, solutions and services to help our customers achieve their goals. Thank you for your hard work and staying focused on serving our customers and partners.

Joe

The following email was sent by David Goulden, CEO, EMC Information Infrastructure at the Company, to employees of the Company.

Great news to share in this note from Joe below: Michael Dell has appointed Howard Elias to lead the combined Dell and EMC II services business and internal IT organizations, effective immediately after the close of the transaction. (The existing services at RSA, ECD and Virtustream will remain aligned with those business units.) This will be

received as very welcome news by EMC customers and partners, because it reaffirms Dell's commitment to EMC's enterprise class service model for customers of all sizes and our mission to provide

customers with the very best total customer experience in the industry. Both companies bring great services capabilities that will enable us to serve more customers as their next-gen strategic partner for large scale IT transformations. We will continue to have very tight connections in the field between our selling, marketing and services organizations. Howard has been a key member of our leadership team since 2003, and his deep experience with our business, customers and partners will serve us well in his future role.

To stay informed on the status of the Dell/EMC integration, please bookmark the Dell/EMC site on Inside EMC, where you can always find the latest information on the merger including updated answers to Frequently Asked Questions, talking points to use in conversations, a monthly update blog from Howard Elias and a Question of the Week feature from me.

David

The following email was sent by Howard Elias, President and COO, Global Enterprise Services and Co-leader, Dell/EMC Value Creation and Integration Office at the Company, to employees of the Company.

Subject: Global Services and IT Organization for the Combined Dell-EMC

By now, I hope you have seen the message from Joe Tucci and David Goulden announcing my appointment as President, Global Services and Information Technology, for the combined Dell-EMC, effective once the transaction closes. I am thrilled and honored to be taking on this important role.

Our new organization will incorporate the current EMC II Global Services and the Dell Global Support and Deployment organizations, as well as the current IT organizations from EMC II and Dell, and will provide a critical element of our end-to-end solution for customers and prospects. EMC's award-winning customer support and services, together with Dell's expertise, will be a driving force in helping our customers successfully transform their organizations and reap the benefits of the modern data center. Joining services and IT together in a single organization lets us best take advantage of their synergies. As we become the trusted advisor for our customers' IT transformation journey, we can demonstrate firsthand how we use our own technology and service enablement, and then help our customers achieve similar benefits. We will build on EMC's exceptional Total Customer Experience and innovations in customer service, including our strong foundation of industry-leading best practices and commitment to continuous improvement.

All leadership positions announced by Michael will become effective immediately after the close of the transaction, which we expect will occur later this year. Until the transaction closes, we must continue to operate EMC and Dell as separate entities. There are still critical decisions to be made about a number of important pieces of the combined company, including the EMC Centers of Excellence (COEs) and Global Business Services, and some of that work is still ongoing. This announcement is not inclusive of all functions, so you can anticipate further updates as soon as practical as decisions are made.

Until the transaction closes, I will continue in my current role leading GES and serving as the co-leader of the Dell-EMC Value Creation and Integration Office. Thank you for staying focused on serving our customers and for your continued work to make our business successful.

Best,

Howard

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