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**Damballa Names Tom Savini Chief Financial Officer and
David Holmes Vice President of Global Marketing**

Industry Veterans Join Damballa as Company Continues Expansion

ATLANTA—May 4, 2010—[Damballa](#), the company transforming the fight against cyber threats, today announced that Tom Savini has joined the company as Chief Financial Officer and David Holmes as Vice President of Global Marketing.

Continuing its momentum in 2010, Damballa has closed contracts with several Fortune 1000 companies and is rapidly expanding into new markets. Its award-winning solution detects and terminates botnet breaches, [advanced persistent threats](#) and other cyber crime activity within an enterprise that relies on network-based command-and-control to commit fraud, steal confidential information and commandeer systems for criminal attacks against other organizations. The company recently finalized its [Series C financing](#) and is expanding all aspects of its operations.

Savini brings more than 25 years of experience to Damballa in corporate banking and finance. Most recently, he served as chief financial officer of AirDefense, Inc., a provider of wireless security solutions, where he helped the company realize a 300% increase in revenue, leading to a successful acquisition by Motorola in 2008. Prior to AirDefense, Savini was vice president of finance for Movaz Networks, Inc., a telecom equipment provider. While at Movaz, he helped to grow the company from inception to more than \$60 million in annual revenue before the company's sale to Adva Optical Networking in 2006. Tom's career also includes more than 17 years in corporate and institutional banking with Bank of America, Sumitomo Bank and Silicon Valley Bank.

Holmes brings more than 20 years of high-tech marketing leadership to Damballa. Most recently, he served as senior vice president of global marketing at Jacada. Under his leadership, Jacada experienced rapid growth from start-up phase to annualized revenues in excess of \$25 million while defining new markets, winning industry and media

recognition, gaining leadership status in industry analyst reports, and raising \$55 million in a successful initial public offering. Prior to Jacada, Holmes was senior director of marketing for KnowledgeWare/Sterling Software and senior director at Deloitte Consulting advising Global 2000 companies on IT strategy.

“Tom and David bring proven, results-oriented technology industry experience to Damballa and they join the company at the most opportune time,” said Damballa CEO Val Rahmani. “We continue to grow our list of blue chip customers that have realized their traditional defense-in-depth solutions are no longer a match for today’s advanced malware attacks. These companies recognize that network breaches are now a fact of life, and they rely on Damballa to detect the breach and terminate the threat before any harm can be done.”

About Damballa

Damballa stops crimeware threats that exploit enterprise networks for illegal activity by finding and terminating the hidden communications channels used to control breached computer systems. Damballa solutions protect companies from the devastating effects of botnets, advanced persistent threats, next generation malware, cyber crime and insider threats. Damballa customers include major banks, ecommerce providers, Internet service providers, government agencies, educational organizations, manufacturers and other companies typically targeted by organized cybercrime. Privately held, Damballa is headquartered in Atlanta, GA. <http://www.damballa.com>

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