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## **FORTINET MOVES INTO NEW CORPORATE HEADQUARTERS**

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### **New Space in Santa Clara will Support Company's Rapid Growth**

**SANTA CLARA – June 13, 2002** –Fortinet Inc., the pioneering provider of network protection systems, today announced that it has moved into a new 24,000 square-foot facility located at:

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The building will serve as the Company's worldwide headquarters, and will house engineering, sales, marketing, support, and administrative personnel. The move was made in response to Fortinet's rapid growth in the wake of last month's successful introduction of its FortiGate series of Network Protection Gateways (NPGs).

"In just 18 months, Fortinet has grown from a small band of dedicated pioneers with a dream into a fully operational, international company with offices in 6 countries, a full product line and a steep revenue ramp," said Ken Xie, Fortinet's founder and CEO. Xie continued, "We are very pleased to be occupying our new facility, which will enable us to continue to add the top talent that is propelling our company."

Fortinet serves the global market for advanced network protection solutions. In addition to its US headquarters, Fortinet maintains offices in Canada, China, Japan, and Korea.

FortiGate NPGs are dedicated hardware/software platforms located at the edge of enterprise and service provider networks that are powerful enough to scan content at the application level and detect network threats in real time. Designed by a team led by Xie, original founder of NetScreen Technologies, the FortiGate NPGs employ Fortinet's Accelerated Behavior and Content Analysis System (ABACAS™) technology, which leverages breakthroughs in ASIC chip design, networking, security, and content analysis to offer 7-layer protection with real-time performance. The six FortiGate models address the needs of small offices/home offices (SOHOs), small businesses, branch offices, enterprises, and service providers, offering throughput of up to 2 Gbps.

### **About Fortinet**

Fortinet, the pioneering provider of network protection systems, enables enterprises and service providers to improve the security of their networks, reduce misuse and abuse, and better utilize network resources without compromising performance—at dramatically lower costs. Fortinet's industry-leading FortiGate Series of Network Protection Gateways (NPGs) breaks the Content Processing Barrier, delivering application-level services such as virus protection and content filtering along with firewall, VPN, intrusion detection, and traffic shaping functions as high-performance network services in dedicated, easily managed platforms. Developed by proven industry visionaries, the FortiGate Series is powered by Fortinet's Accelerated Behavior and Content Analysis System (ABACAS™) technology, which includes the patent-pending FortiASIC™ content processing engine, enabling the FortiGate Series to usher in a new era of network protection services. Fortinet is privately held and based in Santa Clara, Calif. The company's web address is <http://www.fortinet.com>.

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