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"Jail for Ebbers," "Former WorldCom CEO Convicted," "Verdict: CEOs Pay for Fraud," "Analysts say CEOs could learn from conviction," "WorldCom verdict shows ignorance is no defense."

These are just a few of the headlines popping up in the media about the recent conviction of Bernie Ebbers, former WorldCom CEO. Remember, these are headlines from a case where Sarbanes-Oxley didn't yet apply. Now it does. Make sure your corporate compliance efforts are on track. Read on for some advice regarding the technological aspects of your **Corporate Compliance** strategies.

We've also included information about **Microsoft SQL Server 2005**, a **special offer on EMC Centera Compliance Edition storage**, **Kofax VirtualReScan 4.0**, and **news from our business partners**.

Happy Reading,
The IDT Team

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Don't forget!
EMC Centera Offer
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Watch for more
Kofax VRS 4.0
info next month!



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Did you miss out on the Compliance Seminar held in Chicago on March 15th?

Not to worry, just [send us an email](#) or call us at 630.875.1100 to request the presentation and we'll work with you to schedule a demonstration, which was also presented at the seminar. Think someone else would be interested in this info? Go ahead and pass this message on to a colleague or your Compliance Officer.

Records Management Mistakes to Avoid for Regulatory Compliance

Courtesy of EMC Legato

Your organization needs to comply with the regulations that govern your industry and business. To do so will require strong records management practices, including data retention, retrieval and ensuring that data is tamper-proof. But how do you start? Which records are important? Which

ones should be saved and for how long? How much will it cost if you fail to comply?

Read the [full article](#).

Turning Sarbanes-Oxley Projects into Strategic Business Processes

Courtesy of Stellent, Inc.

The first year of Sarbanes-Oxley caused a mad scramble among numerous publicly traded companies struggling to complete monumental compliance tasks, with many companies approaching their first phase of Sarbanes-Oxley compliance as a project ending in December 2004. Consequently, these organizations often turned to audit firms for tactical tools to help them through the initial planning, analysis and control design phase of Sarbanes-Oxley compliance. However, these quick-fix tools do little to support the ongoing processes required to comply with this act on a long-term basis.

Read the [full article](#).

Need a Corporate Compliance refresher? Take a look at this archived article from the September 2003 edition of Integration Insider:

Corporate Compliance 101

More and more frequently, formal compliance policies and programs are mandated by government agencies and/or industries to ensure compliance with laws and regulations regarding proper maintenance and disposition of records. Whether your company is dealing with HIPAA, Sarbanes-Oxley, the Patriot Act, DoD 50.15, new SEC legislation, or other industry specific regulations, you know that the process you go through to achieve compliance can be overwhelming.

So where do you start?

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Question: What's so great about Microsoft SQL Server 2005?

Answer: This release of SQL Server is designed to help enterprises address several unique challenges: the proliferation of data and systems across their enterprise; the need to provide employees, customers, and partners with consistent access to that data; the desire to better equip information workers with meaningful information to drive informed decisions; and the mandate to control costs without sacrificing application availability, security, or reliability.

SQL Server 2005 is Microsoft's next-generation data management and analysis software that will deliver increased scalability, availability, and security to enterprise data and analytical applications while making them easier to create, deploy, and manage.

There are a lot of things that are "so great" about SQL Server 2005. But we'll leave you with just 30 of them. Check out the following links for the Top 10 Features of SQL Server 2005 in three different areas of your business:

[Top 10 Features for Database Administration](#)

[Top 10 Features for Development](#)

[Top 10 Features for Business Intelligence](#)

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Special Offer on 3.6TB Raw Capacity Compliance Storage Solution Expires Soon!

Remember, the offer we informed you about in last month's *Insider* is set to expire March 31st! If your organization is faced with the daunting task of achieving corporate compliance, EMC's Centera solution can help. As the first magnetic disk-based WORM (Write Once Read Many) device, Centera facilitates compliance with the most stringent regulatory requirements. It is the optimal solution for fixed content, providing functionality not available in tape, optical, or traditional disk solutions—at a lower total cost of ownership. And even better, for a limited time, a 3.6TB raw capacity solution is more than 30% off the regular purchase price!

Find out more at www.idt-inc.com/EMCoffer.pdf or contact an IDT representative at 630.875.1100 or info@idt-inc.com.

Kofax VirtualReScan 4.0 is Coming!

VRS 4.0 from Kofax aids in reducing the cost of information capture by helping organizations achieve optimal image clarity, improved OCR results, minimization or even elimination of pre-sorting documents and more! No longer will you have to pre-sort your documents by size, paper type or color or worry about the resulting scanned images being too light, too dark, crooked, or illegible. With VRS 4.0 you'll be able to scan with confidence that your image quality will be the best it can be without the need for time-consuming rescans and corrections.

Stay tuned to the IDT *Integration Insider* for more information next month.

Have questions now? Contact your IDT representative at 630.875.1100 or feedback@idt-inc.com to learn more, schedule a demonstration or find out about upgrades from previous VRS versions.

StoneFly Networks Awarded 2005 Technology of the Year Honors by InfoWorld Magazine

"Tuesday, January 04, 2005 — StoneFly Networks™, Inc., the innovator of powerful, cost-effective data protection and management solutions based on IP SANs, today announced it has been awarded 2005 Technology of the Year honors by *InfoWorld Magazine*, a leading publication serving information technology professionals worldwide. StoneFly's Storage Concentrator i3000, recognized in the storage products category, was the only IP SAN-based solution to receive an award. In announcing the award winners yesterday, the magazine cited the i3000's capability to provide "a safe, easy migration path from direct-attached storage to IP SANs."

Read the full news release [here](#).

Microsoft Business Solutions Acquires Business Analytics Tool - New Modules Extend Microsoft Business Solutions Great Plains 8.0

"REDMOND, Wash. — March 14, 2005 — Building on its innovation technology road map and vertical strategies outlined last week at Convergence 2005, the Microsoft Business Solutions Business Group at Microsoft Corp. today announced the acquisition of a business analytics tool and new enhancements to Microsoft® Business Solutions--Great Plains® 8.0 which include improved fit for businesses within specific industries, greater flexibility, extensions to the product's availability to connect in new ways, and a new business analytics foundation."

Read the full news release [here](#).

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