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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

### National Institutes of Health Selects Aperture VISTA™ to Assist in the Management of Their Data Centers

**Stamford, CT, April 17, 2006** – Aperture Technologies Inc., the leading provider of enterprise software solutions that enable organizations worldwide to manage the physical infrastructure of their data centers, today announced that the National Institutes of Health (NIH), the primary Federal agency for conducting and supporting medical research, selected Aperture VISTA™ to improve efficiency in maintaining their data center infrastructure.

Composed of 27 Institutes and Centers, the NIH provides leadership and financial support to researchers in every state and throughout the world. “We have a strong relationship with the Federal government and its agencies because we understand how mission critical their data centers and infrastructure are to their business,” says Chandler Hill, Director of Federal Operations of Aperture Technologies. “We are committed to helping NIH rapidly deploy Aperture VISTA for immediate and long-term growth and efficiencies.”

Aperture VISTA is an enterprise software solution which reduces operational risk and improves efficiency through the visual management of the data center. Aperture VISTA delivers the key processes that enable organizations to take control of an increasingly complex physical environment including equipment, space, power, environmental, network and storage. The world’s largest companies use Aperture VISTA to achieve substantial improvements in the quality, reliability and cost effectiveness of their infrastructure planning, design, provisioning, troubleshooting and analysis.

#### About National Institutes of Health

The National Institutes of Health (NIH) — *The Nation's Medical Research Agency* — includes 27 Institutes and Centers and is a component of the U. S. Department of Health and Human Services. It is the primary Federal agency for conducting and supporting basic, clinical, and translational medical research, and it investigates the causes, treatments, and cures for both common and rare diseases. For more information about NIH and its programs, visit <http://www.nih.gov>.

#### About Aperture

Aperture is the leading provider of enterprise software solutions that enable organizations worldwide to manage the physical infrastructure of their data centers. Aperture solutions automate and facilitate standardized best practice processes to manage the complexity and ever-changing conditions in today’s enterprise data centers and to deliver world-class performance in IT operations. With Aperture, organizations worldwide have reduced operational risks, increased efficiency and generated actionable information to make better business decisions. For more information, please go to: <http://www.aperture.com>.

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