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Maclear and we45 Announces Strategic Partnership

Maclear and we45 have entered into a Strategic Partnership to offer world-class business solutions to their customers globally. The partnership will focus on providing enterprises with a comprehensive solution to address Governance initiatives, Risk Management and Regulatory Compliance. In addition, this Strategic Alliance will focus on helping customers with their PCI DSS, ISO27001 and other compliance initiatives and to also manage their Threat and Vulnerability Assessments.

This relationship will enhance the core product capability of the Maclear eGRC Suite™ whereby results from the enterprise technology Threat and Vulnerability Assessments will be seamlessly incorporated into the Maclear Risk Management Dashboard. This will provide organizations with continuous business intelligence on their technology vulnerabilities as value add functionality.

we45 and Maclear have entered into an agreement for distribution of Maclear's suite of eGRC products to a global client base. This alliance brings together the power of Maclear's Industry recognized top quartile eGRC solutions and we45's proven expertise in providing best in class security services and implementation, advisory and consulting on compliance standards like the PCI-DSS and ISO 27001.

'With the increased criticality and business impact of Threats and Vulnerabilities, there is an urgent and compelling need for Business Intelligence from enterprise security vulnerability assessments to be included in the Risk Management Dashboard. The need of the hour for our customers is a comprehensive eGRC solution that can be implemented quickly and can provide instant insight into their pertinent Threat and Vulnerability Assessment data. The power of customizability in Maclear's product combined with we45's security assessment and consulting capabilities offers a comprehensive, enterprise wide automated eGRC solution to address this business need. we45 is excited about this alliance and the business edge that Maclear solutions will provide to customers worldwide' say *Rahul Raghavan and Abhay Bhargav, Co-Founders – we45.*

'Businesses continue to experience increasing threats and vulnerabilities despite an increase in security. Ensuring continuous access to Business Intelligence data pertaining

to Threats and Vulnerability Assessment has never been more important. The opportunity with we45 is well timed with the release of PCI 3.0 and the 2013 version of the ISO 27001 framework and will bring immense benefits to our global client base. Maclear is looking forward to adding this capability to our core solution and the opportunity to collaborate with we45' says Ketan Dholakia, Managing Partner – Maclear.

For further information on Maclear eGRC Suite™, please visit

www.maclear-grc.com

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About We45

[we45](http://www.we45.com) is a niche Information Security firm that specializes in Security Testing, Consulting and Training services to its clients across business verticals in India, the Middle East and the Asia Pacific regions.

We45 in a very short span of time has partnered with some of the biggest names in the Banking, Manufacturing and Software Services in helping them with their Enterprise Information Security initiatives. we45 has been lauded (by its clients) for its technical security assessments in the Web Application, Mobile Application and Network Infrastructure areas. The firm also has a very competent Risk and Compliance team who have helped organizations review, implement and assess their information security posture. The training vertical of we45 has trained a large number of professional across geographies on topics and subject areas like Web Application Security, Mobile Application Security and Risk and Compliance.

For further information on we45's team, services and capabilities please visit

www.we45.com

About Maclear

[Maclear](http://www.maclear.com) specializes in enterprise governance, risk and compliance solution (eGRC) and consulting services to help drive efficiency, effectiveness and agility across risk and compliance processes.

Our proprietary solution, the Maclear eGRC Suite™ is a centralized SaaS platform for monitoring, measuring and managing risk that helps strengthen corporate governance processes and facilitates effective compliance.. It enables businesses to quickly address immediate pain points, minimize risk exposure, manage complex regulatory and compliance environments, uphold industry standards, and stream-line internal policies while providing detailed audit trails.

Designed as a modular suite of products that integrate together seamlessly to provide a complete and dynamic state-of-the-art eGRC solution, each module can either be implemented individually or collectively, based on an organization's needs.

The Maclear software technology enables effective monitoring in the form of dashboards, macro-level analysis and automated workflows for reporting, assessments and remediation and recovery management. It also provides for operational support through configurable controls, access automation, testing and integration, with third party tools.

For further information and a detailed view of Maclear's products and services please visit www.maclear-grc.com or

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