

## **En Pointe Technologies, Inc. Announces the Addition of Walter W. Larkins, III to its Board of Directors**

Los Angeles, CA – April 1, 2002 - En Pointe Technologies, Inc. (NASDAQ:ENPT), a leading national provider of business-to-business information technology products and services, today announced the addition of a new member to its Board of Directors, Mr. Walter W. Larkins, III. Mr. Larkins is a successful serial entrepreneur with over 20 years of business and management experience in multiple market environments. He is currently President of Envision Associates Inc., a consulting company that assists entrepreneurs and organizations in the biotechnology, medical devices and equipment markets develop executable business tactics and strategies. He is also President & CEO of Digital Force Ventures LLC, a seed level investment fund that in 2000 founded iCrypt Inc. an email software encryption company that, serving as its President & CEO, he successfully sold to a public company.

Mr. Larkins' experience also includes serving as President and CEO of Endosurgical Development Corp., a start-up he co-founded in 1993 that developed products for minimally invasive cardiac surgery which he sold at a profit in 1996 to a publicly traded company that was thereafter acquired by Johnson & Johnson in 2001. His early career included stints with Johnson & Johnson, the Coca Cola Company and the United States Army where he served as a Captain. He attended Boston University's European Division MBA program, the US Military Academy at West Point and is a graduate of UCLA, where he was a ROTC scholarship winner. He holds several issued and pending international and US patents.

“We are very pleased to have Walter joining our board of directors. The breadth of experience he'll be bringing to En Pointe will be a welcome addition to our team,” said Bob Din, En Pointe's Chairman of the Board and CEO. “Besides having an outstanding business background, as an Afro-American Walter will also complement the present minority composition of our Board of Directors. His appointment gives En Pointe a clear majority of Board members that are representative of minority groups and places En Pointe in the forefront of public companies as one of the few with a minority-controlled Board.”

### **About En Pointe Technologies, Inc.**

En Pointe Technologies, Inc. is a national business-to-business provider of IT products and value-added services. By using customized and non-proprietary e-commerce web-based software and systems, En Pointe Technologies can either drop-ship technology products to its customers through an electronically linked network of the largest allied distributors in the U.S. or integrate the products in its ISO 9002 certified integration facility located in Ontario, CA. En Pointe acts as a client advocate on behalf of its customers to insure the best price and availability through offering direct on-line access to 70% of the mainstream PC products available in the U.S. today. En Pointe Professional Services offers "total solution" system consulting services looking to drive the greatest efficiency into and substantial cost out of its clients' business processes and technology lifecycle management. Visit En Pointe at [www.enpointe.com](http://www.enpointe.com).

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