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U.S. Security Associates Announces Goldman Sachs as Major Investor in Company

ATLANTA, Georgia – July 28, 2011 - U.S. Security Associates today announced that affiliates of Goldman Sachs Capital Partners have acquired a significant equity interest in the company, replacing Wind Point Partners, a private equity firm based in Chicago, IL, as a private equity sponsor of the Company.

Chuck Schneider, President & CEO of U.S. Security Associates, commented, “We are pleased with the investment by Goldman Sachs Capital Partners, and are excited about the future potential of our company with our new partners, who are well positioned to assist us with global resources and growth capital.”

About U.S. Security Associates

Founded in 1955, U.S. Security Associates is a premier national provider of uniformed contract security services. Our more than 33,000 employees across 140 offices serve several thousand clients in a variety of industries across the country. With leading-edge technology and responsive management teams, U.S. Security Associates was the first security services company to be certified ISO 9001:2008 at all of its offices nationwide. The company has been recognized as one of the world’s 39 best training and development companies by ASTD and has been selected one of Training magazine’s Top 125 training companies for five consecutive years. For more information, please visit www.ussecurityassociates.com.

About Goldman Sachs Capital Partners

Since 1986, the Goldman Sachs Merchant Banking Division and its predecessor business areas have raised 16 private equity and principal debt investment funds aggregating over \$82 billion of capital (including leverage). GS Capital Partners VI is the current private equity vehicle through which Goldman Sachs conducts its large, privately negotiated, corporate equity investment activities. A global leader in private corporate equity investing, GS Capital Partners is a family of funds with a focus on large, high quality companies with strong management and on funding acquisitions or expansion across a range of industries and geographies. Founded in 1869, Goldman Sachs is a leading global investment banking, securities and investment management firm that provides a wide range of financial services to a substantial and diversified client base that includes corporations, financial institutions, governments and high-net-worth individuals. For more information, please visit www.gs.com/pia.

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