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This filing relates to the proposed acquisition of Data Domain, Inc. ( **Data Domain** ) by NetApp, Inc. ( **NetApp** ) pursuant to the terms of an Agreement and Plan of Merger, by and among NetApp, Kentucky Merger Sub One Corporation, Derby Merger Sub Two LLC, and Data Domain, dated as of May 20, 2009, as amended on June 3, 2009.

*Excerpts from an Interview with Daniel Warmenhoven in the Wall Street Journal on, June 5, 2009*

NetApp Inc. Chief Executive Officer Dan Warmenhoven said NetApp's proposed takeover of Data Domain Inc. is in a holding pattern as all sides await feedback about the antitrust implications of a rival bid by EMC Corp. In an interview Friday, Mr. Warmenhoven said he thought antitrust regulators could prevent a takeover of Data Domain by EMC, which is much larger than NetApp. My guess is that we're going to sit still for a while, said Mr. Warmenhoven, adding that it could take at least two weeks for regulators to weigh in.

Mr. Warmenhoven said he believes his company's stock-and-cash bid is more valuable than EMC's cash offer.

#### **Forward-Looking Statements**

In addition to historical information, this document contains certain forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. The forward-looking statements contained herein represent NetApp's beliefs regarding future events, many of which are, by their nature, inherently uncertain and outside NetApp's control. Forward-looking statements include, but are not limited to, statements regarding the benefits of NetApp's acquisition of Data Domain, including future financial and operating results; NetApp's plans, objectives, expectations and intentions; and other statements that are not historical facts.

NetApp cautions readers that the forward-looking statements contained herein are subject to risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from the results anticipated by such statements. Such risks and uncertainties include, but are not limited to, NetApp's ability to obtain regulatory approvals of the transaction on the proposed terms and schedule; the risk that Data Domain's stockholders will not approve the transaction; the risk that the businesses will not be integrated successfully; the risk that the cost savings and other synergies from the transaction will not be fully realized or may take longer to realize than expected; the possibility that there may be disruptions from the transaction making it more difficult to maintain relationships with customers, employees or suppliers; uncertainties regarding competition and its

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effect on pricing, spending, third-party relationships and revenues; and the other risks affecting NetApp, Data Domain or the combined entity described in (i) the Proxy Statement/Prospectus filed by NetApp with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the SEC) on June 4, 2009 and (ii) other filings made by NetApp and Data Domain with the SEC, including, but not limited to, Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q and Annual Reports on Form 10-K. NetApp disclaims any obligation to update and revise the forward-looking statements contained in these materials based on new information or otherwise.

**Additional Information and Where to Find It**

As mentioned above, in connection with the proposed acquisition of Data Domain, on June 4, 2009 NetApp has filed with the SEC a Registration Statement on Form S-4 (Commission File Number 333-159722) containing a Proxy Statement/Prospectus for Data Domain's stockholders, and NetApp and Data Domain each plan to file with the SEC other documents regarding the proposed transaction. The definitive Proxy Statement/Prospectus will be mailed to the stockholders of Data Domain. **BEFORE MAKING ANY INVESTMENT OR VOTING DECISION, INVESTORS AND SECURITY HOLDERS OF DATA DOMAIN ARE URGED TO READ THE PROXY STATEMENT/PROSPECTUS AND OTHER DOCUMENTS FILED WITH THE SEC CAREFULLY IN THEIR ENTIRETY BECAUSE SUCH DOCUMENTS CONTAIN IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT THE PROPOSED TRANSACTION.**

Investors and security holders will be able to obtain free copies of the Registration Statement, Proxy Statement/Prospectus and other documents filed with the SEC by NetApp and Data Domain through the web site maintained by the SEC at [www.sec.gov](http://www.sec.gov) and by contacting NetApp Investor Relations at (408) 822-7098 or Data Domain Investor Relations at (408) 980-4909. In addition, investors and security holders will be able to obtain free copies of the documents filed with the SEC on NetApp's website at [www.netapp.com](http://www.netapp.com) and on Data Domain's website at [www.datadomain.com](http://www.datadomain.com).

**Participants in the Acquisition of Data Domain**

NetApp, Data Domain and their respective directors, executive officers and certain other members of management and employees may be deemed to be participants in the solicitation of proxies in respect of the proposed transaction. Information regarding these persons who may, under the rules of the SEC, be deemed to be participants in the solicitation of Data Domain's stockholders in connection with the proposed transaction is set forth in the Proxy Statement/Prospectus described above. Additional information regarding NetApp's executive officers and directors is included in NetApp's definitive proxy statement on Schedule 14A, as filed with the SEC on July 14, 2008, and additional information regarding Data Domain's executive officers and directors is included in Data Domain's Annual Report on Form 10-K and Form 10-K/A, as filed with the SEC on March 13, 2009 and April 30, 2009, respectively. You can obtain free copies of these documents from NetApp or Data Domain using the contact information above.