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Burton Group analyst to dissect the complexities of choosing the correct server platform for specific tasks

Stratus-sponsored webinar to feature discussion, analysis of requirements, alternatives and future developments

MAYNARD, Mass. May 7, 2008 – The spotlight may be on virtualization and server consolidation, but servers continue to be purchased and the selection process today is complicated by myriad factors. The Burton Group’s Richard Jones will cut through the clutter in the third Stratus webinar in its series “Taming the Hydra: Issues Impacting Business Continuity,” Stratus Technologies announced today.

The live webinar “Selecting the Correct Server Platform,” on Thursday, May 15, 11:00 a.m. EDT, features Mr. Jones, vice president and service director of Data Center Services, one of six Burton Group practice areas. He has more than 22 years of software engineering experience in the power supply and networking industries. His areas of expertise include storage, high availability, business continuity, server operating systems, data center systems and device management.

“When selecting a new server platform, IT administrators face an inexhaustible number of variables, said Jones. “Narrowing down these variables into a few, concise pieces of “decision logic” is not possible. Different businesses will not only have different requirements but will place different levels of importance on various criteria. Selecting the correct platform is often

about figuring out the correct balance between sometimes conflicting requirements more than it is about choosing the server platform that meets a simple set of needs.” This webinar will explore the many variables and selection criteria standing between IT decision makers and an informed platform choice, and a question-and-answer session will follow.

For more information and to register for the Webinar series, please visit:

<http://w.on24.com/r.htm?e=105241&s=1&k=016410D2E05419E711E3340E960C0CAB>

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