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### **ONLINE RESOURCES RECOGNIZED NATIONALLY FOR GROWTH**

**CHANTILLY, Va., October 21, 2009** – Online Resources Corporation (Nasdaq: ORCC), a leading provider of online financial services, today announced that it has been named by Deloitte as one of the nation's 500 fastest growing technology companies. This was the sixth time in nine years that Online Resources has been recognized by Deloitte.

The 2009 Deloitte Technology Fast 500 rankings are based on percentage revenue growth from 2004 to 2008, which was 259 percent for Online Resources. "Technology Fast 500™ recognizes innovative companies that have broken down barriers to success and defied the odds with their remarkable five-year revenue growth," said Phil Asmundson, Vice Chairman and U.S. Technology, Media and Telecommunications leader, Deloitte LLP. "We congratulate Online Resources on this accomplishment."

"This recognition provides perspective in the current challenging economic environment," stated Matthew P. Lawlor, chairman and chief executive officer of Online Resources. "Like many technology companies, revenue growth has slowed. But we believe that the seeds of our next stage of growth have been planted in the form of new products and extended markets. We are honored to be recognized again by Deloitte for this prestigious award, and look forward to returning to the list again in the future."

#### **Technology Fast 500™ Selection and Qualifying Criteria**

Technology Fast 500™ provides a ranking of the fastest growing technology, media, telecommunications, life sciences and clean technology companies in North America. This ranking is compiled from nominations submitted directly to the Technology Fast 500™ website, and public company database research conducted by Deloitte. Technology Fast 500™ award winners for 2009 are selected based on percentage fiscal year revenue growth during the five year period from 2004 to 2008.

In order to be eligible for Technology Fast 500™ recognition, companies must own proprietary intellectual property or proprietary technology that contributes to a significant portion of the company's operating revenues. Using other companies' technology or intellectual property in a unique way does not satisfy this requirement. Consulting companies, professional service firms, etc. are not eligible unless they have proprietary technology that contributes to a significant portion of their operating revenues.

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Technology Fast 500™ award eligibility requirements also include base-year operating revenues of at least \$50,000 USD or CD, and current-year operating revenues of at least \$5 million USD or CD. These revenues must have more than doubled between 2004 and 2008. Additionally, companies must be in business for a minimum of five years, and be headquartered within North America.

**About Online Resources**

Online Resources (Nasdaq: ORCC) powers financial interactions between millions of consumers and the company's financial institution and biller clients. Backed by its proprietary payments gateway that links banks directly with billers, the company provides web and phone-based financial services, electronic payments and marketing services to drive consumer adoption. Founded in 1989, Online Resources has been recognized for its high growth and product innovation. It is the largest financial technology provider dedicated to the online channel. For more information, visit [www.orcc.com](http://www.orcc.com).

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