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### **3D Systems Corporation Announces Settlement with EOS GmbH of All Litigation**

VALENCIA, California, February 4, 2004 - 3D Systems Corporation (Nasdaq: TDSC) announced today that it has entered into an agreement with EOS GmbH that settles all worldwide disputes and litigation between 3D Systems and EOS GmbH.

Under the terms of this settlement agreement, 3D Systems and EOS waived all claims for damages with respect to their pending disputes and litigation. In addition, both companies licensed various patents to each other. As part of this settlement, EOS is to pay 3D Systems certain royalties for its patent license, and 3D Systems expects to begin selling under its own brand certain laser sintering equipment and related products produced by EOS under an OEM supply arrangement.

"We are very pleased that we have been able to conclude this settlement successfully," said Abe N. Reichental, 3D Systems' Chief Executive Officer. "The closure of this chapter enables us to concentrate our resources on developing and delivering to our customers valuable solid imaging solutions designed to improve their bottom line. Our ability to expand the range of customer solutions by adding certain EOS-produced sintering systems to our own product line, enables us to deliver to our customers a broader range of value based solutions."

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### **About 3D Systems**

Founded in 1986, 3D Systems<sup>®</sup>, the solid imaging company<sup>SM</sup>, provides solid imaging products and systems solutions that reduce the time and cost of designing products and facilitate direct and indirect manufacturing. Its systems utilize patented proprietary technologies to create physical objects from digital input that can be used in design communication, prototyping, and as functional end-use parts.

3D Systems offers a wide range of imaging, communication rapid prototyping and on demand manufacturing systems including the MJM product line (InVision<sup>™</sup> 3-D printer and ThermoJet<sup>®</sup> solid object printer), SLA<sup>®</sup> (stereolithography) systems, SLS<sup>®</sup> (selective laser sintering) systems, and Accura<sup>®</sup> materials (including photopolymers, metals, nylons, engineering plastics, and thermoplastics).

More information on the company is available at [www.3dsystems.com](http://www.3dsystems.com), or by phoning 888/337-9786, or 661/295-5600 ext. 2882 internationally, or email [moreinfo@3dsystems.com](mailto:moreinfo@3dsystems.com).

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