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**SYAGEN SIGNS LICENSE AGREEMENT WITH SANDIA FOR PORTAL
SCREENING TECHNOLOGY**

Tustin, CA — June 2005 — Syagen Technology, Inc., an analytical instrumentation company focused in Homeland Security markets, announced that it has signed a licensing agreement with Sandia National Laboratories for its personnel screening portal and preconcentration technologies. Syagen will incorporate these technologies into its new Guardian™ Explosives Trace Detection (ETD) Portal, acknowledged as the most accurate and non-intrusive portal available today.

Syagen and Sandia have worked in collaboration for six years, partly under FAA and TSA funding to develop this advanced portal capability. “We have had a strong working relationship with Sandia for many years and are pleased to be able to combine two leading technologies -- Sandia’s air handling and preconcentration technologies with Syagen’s leading ETD mass spectrometry detection system,” said Dr. Jack A. Syage, Chief Executive Officer.

Syagen’s Guardian portal is entering testing to qualify it for domestic and international markets as the demand for improved screening technologies for concealed explosives on people is growing. The U. S. National Academy of Sciences recently reported that MS has a resolving power up to 10,000x greater than ion mobility spectrometry (IMS) and recommended making MS the core ETD technology for aviation security. The TSA is currently deploying personnel portals based on the older IMS detection technology.

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