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Valley Oak Systems Honored as “Innovation All-Star”

*Governor’s Commission for Jobs and Economic Growth Provides California
Innovation Awards Honoring Top Businesses*

SAN RAMON, May 15, 2007 – Valley Oak Systems, Inc., an Aon company (NYSE: AOC), today announced it was honored as an “Innovation All-Star,” representing the most innovative businesses in California. The company was selected based on several factors, including uniqueness of innovation, competitive advantages, and economic impact on jobs for California today and in the future.

Valley Oak Systems (VOS) is the leader in claims management software, services, and support for the insurance industry, and acts as an independent subsidiary within Aon’s eSolutions Group. Over the last five years, VOS has grown 493 percent, driven in large part by demand for its flagship product, iVOS®, the “one-system” claims management solution that integrates core insurance processes, including medical bill review, policy underwriting, case management, billing, events management, and other related functions for multiple lines of insurance.

“We’re honored to have been nominated by our clients and business partners,” said Randy Wheeler, founder and chief executive officer of Valley Oak Systems. “This award is a tribute to our ongoing commitment to aggressively pursue technological innovation and to aggressively grow our company under our new Aon eSolutions leadership.”

“We believe innovation and entrepreneurship are the drivers of economic growth in California,” added Mark Mosher, Executive Director for the California Commission for Jobs and Economic Growth—a nonprofit corporation whose members are chosen by the Governor to advise him on how to expand jobs and economic growth in the state. “These Innovation All-Stars are models for our state.”

Managed by the California Space Authority (CSA), and administered through the California Labor & Workforce Development Agency (LWDA), the California Innovation Corridor is one of the state’s initiatives to foster innovation and includes more than 60 partner organizations throughout 13 counties. It was Corridor partners that reviewed nearly 300 nominees before reducing the list to the 75 Innovation All-Stars.

About Aon

Aon Corporation (www.aon.com) is a leading provider of risk management services, insurance and reinsurance brokerage, human capital and management consulting, and specialty insurance underwriting. There are 43,000 employees working in Aon’s 500

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offices in more than 120 countries. Backed by broad resources, industry knowledge and technical expertise, Aon professionals help a wide range of clients develop effective risk management and workforce productivity solutions.

About Valley Oak Systems, Inc.

Founded in 1994, Valley Oak Systems (www.valleyoak.com) provides high quality software that enables its clients to achieve outstanding claims management performance. Due to its client-focused approach, Valley Oak Systems has established itself as an industry leader, and its iVOS claims system has been recognized for its business impact with the 2006 IASA Technology Achievement Award.

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