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SENIOR GE EXECUTIVE TO LEAD IMRIS SALES TEAM IN THE U.S.

WINNIPEG, Manitoba, May 30, 2008 -- Rami Liebenthal, Executive Vice President of IMRIS, a global leader in surgical imaging, is pleased to announce the appointment of Don Rice as Vice President, responsible for Sales in the U.S. market.

Don joins IMRIS after spending 23 years with GE Healthcare, where he led sales efforts focused primarily on medical imaging equipment. His expertise includes senior sales management as well as the business development of targeted healthcare sectors.

"Don's broad range of skills and strategic capabilities will definitely assist IMRIS as we continue our rapid growth in the U.S. marketplace," said Mr. Liebenthal. "His in-depth understanding of the healthcare environment combined with his leadership ability is a great addition to our already strong team."

In addition to the company's growing penetration in the North American market, IMRIS now has offices in China, Australia, India and Europe.

About IMRIS

IMRIS (TSX: IM) is a global leader in providing fully integrated, advanced surgical imaging solutions designed to measurably improve patient outcomes. The company's flagship product, *IMRISneuro*, utilizes patented technology that allows a high field MRI scanner to move in to the operating room on demand, providing imaging during the surgical procedure without compromising patient safety. This unique and innovative system has been validated by leading neurosurgeons around the world for use in world-class neuroscience centers.

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