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APEX CoVANTAGE CEO RECOGNIZED AS SMART GRID PIONEER IN 2013 FOR ITS PROFIELD TECHNOLOGY

HERNDON, VA – November 12, 2013 – Smart Grid Today, a trusted news source for emerging trends, applications and policies driving the utility industry, recently announced that Shashi Gupta, CEO has been named one of the 50 “Smart Grid Pioneers for 2013”.

Smart Grid Today has published a 106-page report containing interviews and background of the select group of men and women who have made significant contributions to the modernization and digitization of the electricity industry.

Dr. Gupta’s selection was based on an exclusive interview with Smart Grid Today in which he described the origins and development of ProField[®], Apex’s pioneering meter deployment technology. The interview also reveals the forces that make the move to Smart Grids an international phenomenon.

ProField – a Mobile Workforce Optimization software – is being licensed in the USA and abroad, including Brazil where ProField is proving to be an effective tool in reducing non-technical revenue loss.

“The people recognized in this year’s list is very impressive indeed,” says Dr. Gupta, “and it is a distinct honor and privilege to be included in this group of industry trailblazers.”

Apex takes pride in delivering the most advanced solutions and technologies to address the complex requirements of today’s Smart Grid initiatives and remains focused on driving innovation and staying *One Solution Ahead*. The present recognition builds upon Apex’s earlier award of “The 10 best outsourcing companies in the utility space” by the International Association of Outsourcing Professionals.

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About Apex Smart Grid Solutions

Apex CoVantage, a private, employee-owned company, helps businesses develop and execute strategies in the information and knowledge fields. Based in Herndon, Virginia, Apex employs over 2,500 globally.

Apex’s service offerings, which include Meter Replacement and Network Equipment Installation, are powered by ProField[®] - the industry’s only integrated ERP system for mobile workforce optimization.