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Varda Goldman Joins PCTEL as Vice President and General Counsel

CHICAGO, Dec 17, 2002 /PRNewswire-FirstCall via COMTEX/ -- PCTEL, Inc. (Nasdaq: PCTI), a leading provider of Internet access products and 802.11 mobility software, announced today that Varda Goldman accepted the position of vice president and general counsel. This is a new position at PCTEL.

"We are fortunate to have attracted an attorney with Varda's experience in the high-tech arena," said Marty Singer, PCTEL's Chairman and CEO. "She has a strong history in the types of transactions related to our business and we are all delighted to have her on board."

Before joining PCTEL, Goldman served as a vice president and director of legal services for Motorola's growing Commercial Government and Industrial Solutions Sector, prior to announcing her retirement earlier this year. She served in a similar capacity in other Motorola businesses, including its Cellular Infrastructure Group. Goldman began her career at Motorola in 1977 supporting the automotive and electronics group. She received her undergraduate and law degrees at Northwestern University and DePaul University College of Law, respectively.

"It is very exciting to be part of a growing and highly-focused company," said Goldman, PCTEL's new general counsel. "I am looking forward to working with Marty and his talented team and to making important contributions to an innovative company," she added.

About PCTEL

PCTEL, founded in March 1994, is a leading provider of innovative and cost-effective Internet access solutions. PCTEL's products include analog soft modems, DSP-based modems and WLAN software products that simplify installation, roaming, Internet access and billing. The company maintains a portfolio of more than 80 analog and broadband communications and wireless patents, issued or pending, including key and essential patents for modem technology. The company's products are sold to PC manufacturers, PC board and card manufacturers, wireless carriers, wireless ISPs, software distributors, and system integrators. PCTEL headquarters are located at 8725 West Higgins Road, Suite 400, Chicago, IL 60631. Telephone: 773-243-3000. For more information, please visit our web site at: <http://www.pctel.com>.

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