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PCTEL, Inc. Names Biju Nair to Lead Wireless Programs

MILPITAS, Calif., Feb. 28 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ -- PCTEL, Inc. (Nasdaq: PCTI), a leading provider of personal connectivity and Internet access technology, today announced that Biju Nair has joined the company as its Director and General Manager of Wireless Programs. In his new capacity, Mr. Nair will report directly to Jeff Miller, PCTEL's Vice President of Development.

Before joining PCTEL, Mr. Nair served as the Global Manager of Wireless Planning, Design and Management solutions at Agilent Technologies. Prior to its acquisition by Agilent Technologies, Mr. Nair served as Vice President and General Manager of Global Software Products at SAFCO Technologies in Chicago. In that capacity, he designed OPAS, the industry's leading wireless post processing software and led the company's launch of its VoicePrint test and measurement product. In addition, Nair directed the development of SAFCO's wireless design and frequency planning tools.

"We are all really excited about Biju joining our team," commented Marty Singer, Chairman and CEO at PCTEL. "He's an impact player with a history of success in launching new and challenging programs. His focus is to have us firmly established as a wireless access supplier by the end of this year."

Nair holds B.S. and M.S. degrees in Electronics and Computer Engineering and an advanced degree in Computer Science from Illinois Institute of Technology in Chicago.

ABOUT PCTEL

PCTEL, founded in March 1994, is a leading provider of innovative, cost-effective Internet access solutions, including analog soft modems, and embedded DSP-based modems. The company is built upon a wide-ranging and comprehensive portfolio of more than 80 analog and broadband communications patents, issued or pending, including the key and essential patents for Host Signal Processing (HSP) modem technology. PCTEL products are available to PC and data communications equipment manufacturers. For more information, please visit our web site at: <http://www.pctel.com> .