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HCL wins Brocade's 2012 Service Excellence Award

Sunnyvale, Calif., Oct. 19th, 2012 – HCL Technologies (HCL), the global IT services provider, today announced that it has received the 2012 service excellence award from Brocade (NASDAQ: BRCD), the leader in data center networking solutions. HCL received the award at Brocade Supplier Summit in San Jose, in recognition of its significant contribution and commitment to providing multi-domain services to Brocade.

"HCL has earned the service excellence award through its dedicated focus supporting key projects at Brocade. As our strategic and long term partner, HCL has played a pivotal role in multiple initiatives across many organizations within Brocade." **said Lisa Loscavio, VP Supply Chain Operations, Brocade.**

GH Rao, President, Engineering and R&D services, HCL Technologies said, "We are pleased to receive this award and be a part of Brocade's business success. By leveraging our engineering DNA, we will continue to share responsibility with Brocade in building innovation and excellence in engineering services and solutions."

"We take pride in providing the highest levels of service to our partners. Our deep domain expertise, innovative solutions and global IT delivery credentials have made us a true transformation partner to Brocade. This recognition demonstrates that we are in line with Brocade's expectations", said **Sanjeev Nikore, Senior Corporate Vice President and President, Consumer and Manufacturing Services for HCL Technologies.**

HCL's relationship with Brocade goes back more than 9 years and includes multiple areas such as Product Development, Customer Support and IT Applications.

About HCL Technologies

HCL Technologies is a leading global IT services company, working with clients in the areas that impact and redefine the core of their businesses. Since its inception into the global landscape after its IPO in 1999, HCL focuses on 'transformational outsourcing', underlined by innovation and value creation, and offers integrated portfolio of services including software-led IT solutions, remote infrastructure management, engineering and R&D services and BPO. HCL leverages its extensive global offshore infrastructure and network of offices in 31 countries to provide holistic, multi-service delivery in key industry verticals including Financial Services, Manufacturing, Consumer Services, Public Services and Healthcare. HCL takes pride in its philosophy of 'Employees First, Customers Second' which empowers our 85,335 transformers to create a real value for the customers. HCL Technologies, along with its subsidiaries, had consolidated revenues of US$ 4.3 billion (22,471 crores), as on 30th September 2012 (on LTM basis). For more information, please visit www.hcltech.com

About HCL

HCL is a $6.2 billion leading global technology and IT enterprise comprising two companies listed in India – HCL Technologies and HCL Infosystems. Founded in 1976, HCL is one of India's original IT garage start-ups. A pioneer of modern computing, HCL is a global transformational enterprise today. Its range of offerings includes product engineering, custom & package applications, BPO, IT infrastructure services, IT hardware, systems integration, and distribution of information and communications technology (ICT) products across a wide range of focused industry verticals. The HCL team consists of over 90,000 professionals of diverse nationalities, who operate from 31 countries including over 500 points of presence in India. HCL has partnerships with several leading global 1000 firms, including leading IT and technology firms.

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