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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

GE INDUSTRIAL SYSTEMS EXTENDS TENDER OFFER FOR SHARES OF INTERLOGIX, INC.

JANUARY 24, 2002—PLAINVILLE, CT— GE Industrial Systems, a division of General Electric Company (NYSE: GE), today announced that the tender offer for shares of Interlogix, Inc. (NASDAQ: ILXI), which was commenced on December 28, 2001 and is currently scheduled to expire at midnight, New York City time on January 28, 2002, will be extended to expire at 6:00 p.m., New York City time, on February 11, 2002, to allow for the expiration of foreign regulatory review periods. The proposed transaction received early termination under the HSR Act on January 14, 2002. As of the close of business on January 23, 2002, 16,017,590 Interlogix shares (approximately 82% of the total outstanding) had been tendered into the offer. GE continues to expect the transaction to close in the first quarter of 2002.

ABOUT GE INDUSTRIAL SYSTEMS

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WE URGE YOU TO READ THE PROSPECTUS, WHICH GE FILED WITH THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION AS PART OF A REGISTRATION STATEMENT ON FORM S-4 ON DECEMBER 28, 2001, BECAUSE IT CONTAINS IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT THE OFFER. THE PROSPECTUS WAS SENT TO

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THIS RELEASE INCLUDES CERTAIN FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS. THESE STATEMENTS ARE BASED ON MANAGEMENT'S CURRENT EXPECTATIONS AND ARE SUBJECT TO UNCERTAINTY AND CHANGES IN CIRCUMSTANCES. ACTUAL RESULTS MAY DIFFER MATERIALLY FROM THESE EXPECTATIONS DUE TO CHANGES IN GLOBAL POLITICAL, ECONOMIC, BUSINESS, COMPETITIVE, MARKET AND REGULATORY FACTORS. MORE DETAILED INFORMATION ABOUT THOSE FACTORS IS CONTAINED IN GE'S FILINGS WITH THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION. GE DOES NOT ASSUME ANY DUTY TO UPDATE FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS. SUCH STATEMENTS ARE BASED ON INFORMATION AVAILABLE AS OF THE DATE HEREOF, AND ARE MADE ONLY AS OF THE DATE HEREOF.