Kenexa Completes Webhire Acquisition

- Operational Efficiencies and Additional Solutions to Benefit Growing International Customer Base -

WAYNE, Pa. (January 13, 2006) -- Kenexa® (NASDAQ: KNXA), a leading provider of talent acquisition and retention solutions, today announced that it has completed its acquisition of Webhire, a pioneer in the recruiting software category. Originally announced December 21, 2005, the acquisition of Webhire extends Kenexa's ability to deliver market leading human capital management (HCM) products and services.

"We believe that this acquisition brings together a team that will provide Kenexa's customers with the most comprehensive talent management offering and extreme service available in our served markets," said Rudy Karsan, Kenexa's Chief Executive Officer. "Kenexa will continue to support and invest in the Webhire product suite under the Kenexa brand name. Customers will experience only enhancements in service and delivery of the products and have access to additional technology and customer service resources." Karsan iterated.

Financial details are archived in the Kenexa call dated December 21, 2005, and accessible at http://www.kenexa.com/invest_webcast.htm.

About Kenexa

Kenexa Corporation (NASDAQ:KNXA) provides outsourcing, employee research and software to help organizations more effectively recruit and retain a productive workforce. Kenexa solutions include applicant tracking, employment process outsourcing, phone screening, skills and behavioral assessments, structured interviews, performance management, multi-rater feedback surveys, employee engagement surveys and HR Analytics. Headquartered in Wayne, Pa. (outside Philadelphia), Kenexa employs more than 600 people worldwide. More information about Kenexa and its global locations can be accessed at www.kenexa.com.

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