

Contact Information:
Public Relations
Phone: 763-230-1041
Fax: 763-421-6454

Barrier1 and Mid-State Educational Service Cooperative Announces a Scholarship for a Senior Student Interested in Pursuing Computer Networking and Security

MINNEAPOLIS, MN – April, 2010 – Barrier1, a Minneapolis Minnesota based network security manufacturer, along with Mid-State Educational Service Cooperative located in Little Falls, Minnesota announces its participation in a scholarship program for one of the graduating high school students. The scholarship is intended to help support a spring 2010 graduating high school student who will be attending post-secondary education majoring in Networking and Network Security. Students will be submitting their registration through their local High School. A review panel has been established to review all applications. The selection committee has set guidelines based on

- A. Day to Day Activities as they related to a student's involvement in computer networks
- B. Essay explaining why they would make a good candidate for the award
- C. Letter of Support Applications for the Scholarship

Barrier1 believes in giving back to our State and our communities in which we serve.

About Mid-State Education Service Cooperative

As part of our agreement with participating school districts, Mid-State provides a number of social, educational, and health related services. In addition, Mid-State provides various IT services, including internet access, email, locally hosted video streaming curriculum content, interactive television courses, and general network support through our technology department.

More information about Mid-State Education Service Cooperative can be found on the internet at www.midstate.k12.mn.us

About Barrier1 (www.thebarriergroup.com)

Barrier1 is a leading provider of Intelligent Network Security appliances or (ITM). Barrier1 is the only "Intelligent Network Security Appliance that inspects all layers in near real time. Barrier1's Patent Pending "AARE" engine enhances inspection and event correlation that give Barrier1 the ability to stop never before seen viruses before they infect ones network. Barrier1 is based in Minneapolis Minn.

More information about Barrier1 can be found on the internet at www.thebarriergroup.com or by calling (763) 230-1041.