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### **Netscribes and New-York based MB Research Advisors, LLC to Form Partnership on Credit/Equity Research**

*Netscribes and MB Research Advisors aims to develop new opportunities relating to fundamental research, independent, timely views on credit/equity sectors, on-going analyst coverage to monitor investments and advisory services.*

**June 2, 2009:** Netscribes, a pioneering consulting and solutions firm based out of India, and New York based MB Research Advisors, LLC, a provider of outsourced credit research solutions, announce a partnership to combine their respective capabilities to develop business opportunities involving global credit/equity research.

The partnership will draw upon each company's core competency with an aim of developing new opportunities relating to fundamental research, independent, timely views on credit/equity sectors, on-going analyst coverage to monitor investments and advisory services. To initiate this relationship, MB Research, in collaboration with Netscribes, is coming up with loan research coverage of the entire LCDX universe. To know more about these reports [click here](#). These reports are also available on the Investext platform of Thomson Reuters.

Sourav Mukherjee, Founder & CEO of Netscribes, says "Forging partnerships in today's world is an imperative. In MB Research Advisors, Netscribes found a partner with deep knowledge of the US markets, especially the leveraged loan space. We believe that the dynamics of credit risk assessment and due diligence will change with the current financial crisis and call upon the financial sector to look at deeper and more independent research before investing or creating assets".

Sanjai Bhonsle, founder of MB Research Advisors comments "Our partnership with Netscribes (India) allows us to gain greater access to resources, including talent to deliver a high quality, cost effective research service. MB Research Advisors was founded to address the needs of asset managers in the current environment. An environment that can be characterized as one with budgetary constraints however, coupled with the need of research expertise to continue monitoring portfolios due to a rise in default rates. MB Research Advisor's outsourced research services are tailored to address the needs of asset managers looking to maintain a streamlined infrastructure without sacrificing research capabilities and want the flexibility of adjusting their needs in the future. Asset managers can rely on our team of seasoned analysts that have significant buy side experience in the par and distressed leveraged loan market.

Mr. Bhonsle additionally stated “With Netscribes’ long history of coverage on 200+ leverage loan issuers and MB Research Advisor’s overall expertise in the leverage loan universe, the partnership is well positioned to deliver a timely research service for today’s credit environment.”

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**About MB Research Advisors, LLC**

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