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## DURECT Corporation Presenting at the Securities Research Associates Technology Conference

CUPERTINO, Calif., Aug. 4 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ — DURECT Corporation (Nasdaq: DRRX) announced today that it will present a corporate overview at the Securities Research Associates Technology Conference on Monday, August 7th at 8:40 a.m. PST. The conference is taking place at the Westin St. Francis Hotel in San Francisco, CA.

(Logo: http://www.newscom.com/cgi-bin/prnh/20020717/DRRXLOGO )

A live audio webcast of the presentation will be available by accessing DURECT's homepage at http://www.www.durect.com and clicking "Investor Relations".

About DURECT Corporation

DURECT Corporation is an emerging specialty pharmaceutical company focused on the development of pharmaceutical systems based on its proprietary drug delivery platform technologies. The company is developing pharmaceutical systems to deliver the right drug to the right place in the right amount at the right time to treat chronic and episodic diseases and conditions.

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