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NXDN™ Forum and dPMR MoU Collaboration

Suwanee, GA – **January 20, 2010** - The Chairman of the NXDN™ Forum recently announced that the NXDN™ Forum and the dPMR MoU have agreed to collaborate on issues of common interest in the promotion of 6.25 kHz FDMA technology.

While the two protocols are not compatible with each other, they share the “basic DNA” of being 6.25 kHz FDMA technologies with the purpose of providing spectrum efficiency and the advantages of digital two-way radio.

The NXDN™ Forum was primarily formed to promote and maintain interoperability of the NXDN™ digital protocol in North America. The dPMR MoU was formed for a similar purpose in Europe. There has been some confusion in the media and the market regarding the differences between these two industry groups and the technology. Some basic clarifications are as follows.

- NXDN™ and dPMR (digital Private Mobile Radio) are BOTH 6.25 kHz FDMA technologies.
- NXDN™ and dPMR are not compatible with each other, as the basic air interface format is different.
- NXDN™ is an open-proprietary protocol supported by the members of the NXDN™ Forum.
- dPMR is a European Telecommunications Standards Institute (ETSI) open technical standard supported by the members of the dPMR MoU Group.
- A number of leading LMR industry companies are members of both groups.

Further details of each organization and the respective protocols can be found on the homepage of each group.

The NXDN™ Forum website : www.nxdn-forum.com .

The dPMR MoU website : <http://www.dpmr-mou.org/> .



The Chairman of the NXDN™ Forum, Mr. Mark Jasin and the Chairman of the dPMR MoU, Mr. Peter Hizzey meet in New York.

The NXDN™ Forum was established in July, 2008, and currently has a membership of 13 companies from the Land Mobile Radio industry. These members include Kenwood Corporation, Icom Incorporated, Kenwood USA Corporation, Icom America Incorporated, Aeroflex Wichita Inc., Daniels Electronics Ltd., Ritron Inc., Trident Datacom Technologies, Inc. d/b/a Trident Micro Systems, Anritsu Company, CML Microsystems Plc, Etherstack Ltd., General Dynamics SATCOM Technologies and Meteor Communications Corporation, Inc.

The dPMR MoU was establish in February, 2007, and currently has a membership of 10 companies from the Land Mobile Radio industry. These members include Kenwood Corporation, Icom Incorporated, Aeroflex Wichita Inc., CML Microsystems Plc, CTE International, Etherstack Ltd., Fylde Micro Ltd., Shenzhen HYT Science & Technology Co., Ltd, Sicomm and Unication.

About Kenwood Corporation (<http://www.kenwood.co.jp/en/>)

About Kenwood USA Corporation (<http://www.kenwoodusa.com/>)

Kenwood, founded in 1946, has been a global leader in the business domains of sound and wireless communication. Kenwood USA Corporation, founded in 1961, is the largest sales subsidiary of Kenwood Corporation and its communications sector is a provider of Land Mobile Radio and amateur radio equipments. On October 1, 2008, Kenwood Corporation became a wholly-owned subsidiary of JVC KENWOOD Holdings Inc., a joint holding company, following the management integration with Victor Company of Japan, Limited.

About Icom Incorporated (<http://www.icom.co.jp/world/index.html>)

About Icom America Incorporated (<http://www.icomamerica.com/>)

ICOM Inc. has been a world leader in radio communications for over 40 years. One of a few organizations that manufacture a total radio line-up of Land Mobile, Marine, Amateur, Air Band and Communications Receivers, ICOM's technological prowess is legendary. ICOM continues to lead the industry with the development of digital technologies to provide the future in radio communications to the world.

About Aeroflex Wichita Inc. (<http://www.aeroflex.com/>)

Aeroflex Inc. is a global provider of high technology solutions to the aerospace, defense, cellular and broadband communications markets. The company's diverse technologies allow it to design, develop, manufacture and market a broad range of test, measurement and microelectronic products. Aeroflex Incorporated was founded in 1937 and today has more than 2,600 employees worldwide.

About Daniels Electronics Ltd. (<http://www.danelec.com/>)

Daniels Electronics Ltd. designs and manufactures base stations, repeaters and lightweight transportable radio systems for public safety, land-mobile, marine station and ground-to-air communications systems. These designs are environmentally robust, allowing operation in extreme temperature conditions and in situations where low primary power consumption is a key requirement. Daniels was incorporated in 1950 and is a privately held company.

About Ritron Inc. (<http://www.ritron.com/>)

Founded in 1977, Ritron, Inc., is a privately held U.S. company specializing in the design and manufacture of RF wireless voice and data communication products. The company offers a variety of wireless solutions for business and industry. Products include: portable and mobile 2-way radios; repeaters; radio callboxes; base stations and wireless PA systems. The company also offers a range of customized RF transceivers and radio modems for the OEM and integrator marketplace.

About Trident Micro Systems (<http://www.tridentms.com/>)

Trident Micro Systems, headquartered in Arden, North Carolina, has been designing and manufacturing high quality products for conventional and trunked radio systems since 1985. Developing products for a worldwide audience, Trident is the developer of the PASSPORT® trunking protocol and the NTS® digital infrastructure that offers wide area dispatch networking capability with mission critical features for public safety and other private applications.

About Anritsu Company (<http://www.us.anritsu.com>)

Anritsu Company is the American subsidiary of Anritsu Corporation, a 100 year old global provider of innovative communications test and measurement solutions. Anritsu provides wireless, optical, microwave/RF and digital testing solutions for existing and next-generation wired and wireless communication systems and operators.

About CML Microsystems Plc (<http://www.cmlmicroplc.com>)

CML Microsystems Plc (CML) is a global company with over 40 years experience in the design, manufacture and marketing of integrated circuits for industrial, professional and consumer applications in wireless communication, wireline communication, storage and networking areas. Products include ICs for digital, analog and multimode Land Mobile/PMR radio applications. CML's eight operating subsidiaries are located in the UK, the United States, Germany, Singapore and Taiwan.

About Etherstack (<http://www.etherstack.com/>)

Etherstack is a radio communications software company. We have been developing PMR protocol stacks and wide area all-IP core networks for over ten years and our software is now used on fielded radio systems around the world. As an engineering company we work closely with our

clients to achieve technical excellence and reduce their risk, costs and time to market. Software is an underlying component of a radio; working with Etherstack allows our clients to concentrate on those components visible to users: radio design, packaging, form-factor, features, user interface, and system architecture.

About General Dynamics SATCOM Technologies

<http://www.gdsatcom.com/index.php>

General Dynamics SATCOM Technologies is a leading supplier of satellite and wireless communications products and services for video, voice and data worldwide. The Company's Communications Test Equipment (CTE) product line offers a complete line of communications test equipment for analog and digital, conventional and trunked radios and radio systems including a comprehensive line of full-featured communication system analyzers.

About Meteor Communications Corporation, Inc. <http://www.meteorcomm.com/>

MeteorComm is a leader in the design and manufacture of reliable wireless data and voice communication solutions for the rail transportation and environmental monitoring industries. Since 1975, MeteorComm has served customers who require real-time situational awareness by remotely monitoring, coordinating and tracking resources.



NOTE

This news release is the presentation of matters regarding NXDN™ Forum and above-mentioned thirteen members to the general public, and was not prepared for the solicitation of investments.

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