



Stratus Telecommunications Upgrades ENTICE Solutions Portfolio with New VoIP and Converged Services for Carriers Includes FMC, LNP, Advanced Routing for Converged Networks & More

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MIAMI, Feb 03, 2009 (BUSINESS WIRE) -- Stratus Telecommunications, LLC today announced a series of major enhancements to its ENTICE(TM) platform and the general availability of its ENTICE Converged Application Server. The Converged Application Server supports local number portability (LNP) and the market's first jurisdictional routing capability for converged SIP and SS7 networks.

Upgrades to ENTICE include subscriber-based advanced call forwarding and new fixed/mobile convergence features such as the ability to switch calls between cellular and WiFi networks.

The ENTICE Converged Application Server as well as the ENTICE upgrades, which are available across the ENTICE portfolio of applications, are being showcased at Stratus' Booth 332 at the IT Expo this week in Miami.

The ENTICE Converged Application Server provides number portability and new routing capabilities for currently deployed switching infrastructures across a wide variety of vendors. This allows customers such as recent ENTICE adoptees Marcatel and Bestel (Mexico), Smile Content (Netherlands) and Dial Telecom/DCS (Romania) to capitalize on existing investments in order to generate new business.

In the LNP arena, sales of Stratus Telecommunications solutions are being fueled by regulatory mandates around the world. In Mexico local number portability was mandated by Mexico's La Comision Federal de Telecomunicaciones (COFETEL) with implementation required by July 5, 2008. Mexico is the first Latin American country to enable phone service customers to keep their phone numbers when changing carriers. Mexico's implementation followed an earlier Latin American implementation in Puerto Rico which followed U.S. requirements.

"ENTICE's converged architecture - reflecting Stratus' unique ability to handle both SS7 and SIP traffic with a single solution - has been a key factor driving sales of Stratus Telecom solutions, along with the ability of the ENTICE platform to support revenue-generating services such as prepaid/postpaid programs and intelligent call screening," said Nathan Franzmeier, President of Stratus Telecommunications.

About Stratus Telecommunications, LLC Stratus Telecommunications is a leading provider of VoIP and converged service solutions for telecommunications service providers around the globe. The company's ENTICE solutions are used by many of the world's largest carriers and

hundreds of small and mid-sized service providers that require solutions for integrating current and emerging network technologies, making it possible to leverage their existing infrastructure investments as they move to VoIP and other emerging standards. For more information, visit www.stratustelecom.com.

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