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## Azotel WISPer platform now available from Motorola

Wednesday Jan 16<sup>th</sup> 2008: Azotel, today announced that its WISPer platform is now available to Wireless Broadband Operators in conjunction with Motorola's Wi4 wireless broadband portfolio which is available through the Motorola distribution channel.



Left to Right: Mr. Ronnie Seeber (Government Relations Manager, Motorola SA), Mr. John O'Hare (CEO, Azotel), Mr. Micheál Martin (Minister for Enterprise, Ireland), Ms. Judi Nwokedi (Country Manager, Motorola SA), Mr. Frank Ryan (CEO, Enterprise Ireland)

The Azotel WISPer platform is a complete management system that allows a wireless broadband operator or Wireless Internet Services Provider (WISP) to run all aspects of their business – using a single solution. The platform includes: Core Network, Automated Provisioning System, Network Operations Centre, Alerts System, Billing, Accounting, Cash Collection and Tracking, Customer Relationship Tracking, Issue Tracking, Metrics, Technical and General Administration. A comprehensive suite of integrated VoIP solutions is also available.

Simplicity is the key philosophy behind the Azotel approach. All of the above functionality is made available to the Operator via a scalable, single box platform - the Azotel WIB-

Client device. The WIB-Client device acts as the gateway between the radio network and the upstream connection to the Internet (i.e. Fibre, Copper, Cable or Satellite). All equipment that is deployed in the field is remotely monitored and can be remotely diagnosed – greatly reducing operational costs. This means that an Operator who chooses the Azotel WISPer platform and any of the Motorola Wi4 portfolio of equipment (e.g. Motorola Canopy or MotoMesh Duo) – has everything required to operate a carrier grade broadband business.

Azotel CEO, John O'Hare stated "The Azotel/Motorola combination offers WISPs a compelling business proposition by providing a proven standardized means of delivering broadband services. We are particularly delighted to be making this announcement here in Johannesburg, as we see the enormous need and potential throughout Africa for simple, remotely diagnosed, easy-to-deploy broadband delivery solutions. From today, any new or existing Wireless Internet Service Provider who wants to rapidly grow and enhance the value of their business, will be able to go to an authorized Motorola dealer and design a complete end-to-end solution for their business."

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## About Azotel:

Azotel Technologies equips broadband Wireless Internet Service Providers (WISPs) with the technology and management services required to build out commercially successful broadband networks anywhere in the world. The company has developed both the Core Network and Backoffice technology required by Service Providers, known as the Azotel WISPer platform.

Azotel's research and development team located in Cork, Ireland, is committed to ensuring that Azotel operators have the benefit of proven leading edge technology over their networks. The Azotel core network is capable of operating many advanced broadband services, for example, Voice over IP telephone services. Azotel currently powers several broadband networks in Ireland, Europe and Africa.

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