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TeamDirection Pledges Support for Microsoft Office Groove 2007

Bellevue, WA. – February 21, 2006 – TeamDirection, creator of the project management and dashboard tools for Groove Virtual Office Project Edition, today announced support for Microsoft Office Groove 2007, as well as continued support for TeamDirection Project and Dashboard for Groove Virtual Office version 3.1 customers. Together the TeamDirection tools and Groove Virtual Office allow distributed teams to coordinate their activities in a digital project workspace.

“Customers are pleased by TeamDirection’s commitment to Office Groove 2007, allowing implementations to proceed with confidence as Microsoft continues to integrate Groove into its Microsoft Office system line-up,” said Jean-Michel Davault, managing director and founder of Hommes & Process. Headquartered in France, Hommes & Process has been re-selling a localized version of the tools to French-speaking private and public sector customers since 2003. “The benefits of using software to enable cross-firewall collaboration are being recognized by organizations of all sizes, and this will continue to accelerate the adoption of this secure efficient project management environment” he added.

Office Groove 2007 will be part of the 2007 Microsoft Office release for Beta 2, available within the first half of 2006. Current plans are for the TeamDirection tools to be available for Beta 2, and generally available for Office Groove 2007 and Microsoft Office Live Groove when these products are made available later in the year.

“We are pleased that TeamDirection will continue to deliver project productivity to our customers,” said David Scult, general manager of the Groove Networks subsidiary of Microsoft Corp. “The TeamDirection tools are key to helping workgroups execute and track project work in Groove workspaces.”

About TeamDirection

Located in Bellevue, WA, TeamDirection Inc develops project productivity products for distributed teams. Founded in January 2002 by a group of industry veterans experienced in document management, real-time communications and collaboration, its mission is to provide effective project collaboration to businesses of any size with products that are easy to use and lower the total cost of ownership. TeamDirection has over 300 customers in more than 30 countries. For more information, visit <http://www.teamdirection.com>.

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