



**European Computer Telecoms (ECT) Provides
INtelLECT® Next-Generation Intelligent Network
on Behalf of BT Group for Demonstration at
Global MSF Interoperability 2008**

*BT to demonstrate solution to location information problem
via ECT technology*

Munich, Germany & London, UK, September 29, 2008 – European Computer Telecoms, a value-added service provider for telecom operators around the world, will provide the technological basis for a demonstration by BT at the Global MSF Interoperability 2008. One of the world's leading providers of communications solutions and services operating in 170 countries, BT will demonstrate location information services used with emergency calls. Specifically, when calling an emergency number, the call should be routed to the nearest emergency facility based upon the location of the caller. As the physical origination in fixed-line TDM networks is known based on the telephone number of the caller, this is a simple process. However, if a caller is using a SIP telephone (for example a soft-phone on his/her PC), you have to determine the caller's location based upon the IP address. This requires a database query which then provides the information to route the call to the nearest emergency facility. The solution to be demonstrated also includes call queuing functionality. When there are multiple simultaneous calls, in a queue (for example to a police switchboard), the solution pushes calls to emergency numbers to the front of the queue.

ECT is an active member of the MultiService Forum, which is the coordinating organization for GMI 2008. The MultiService Forum is a global association of service providers, system suppliers and test equipment vendors committed to developing and promoting open-architecture, multiservice Next Generation Networks.

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About ECT (European Computer Telecoms):

As a leading provider of technology for voice and multimedia value-added services, ECT enables telecoms providers to maintain cost leadership while offering products that optimally fulfil market demands.

Based on its open **ECTXML**® programming language, an extension of the industry standards VoiceXML and CCXML, ECT provides complete solutions for Network-Based Contact Centers, Ring Back Tone Service, Virtual PBX / IP Centrex, Televoting, Multimedia Advertising, Interactive Multimedia Response, etc. The company is also specialized in migrating services from legacy platforms to next-generation solutions.

Major carriers and providers worldwide offer profitable telecoms products based on ECT technology, including at&t, BT, Belgacom, Deutsche Telekom, DTMS, Etisalat, mcell, MTN, Muzicall, OnePhone, Orange, Rogers, Saudi Telecom Company, Swisscom, TDC, Teliasonera, Telenor, Tele2, Versatel, Virgin Media, Vodafone and Zain.

Founded in 1998, ECT is an unlisted German public company with its headquarters in Munich, Germany and wholly owned sales and service subsidiaries in England, France, Germany, The Netherlands, and the USA.

For more information visit: www.ect-telecoms.de

About BT:

BT is one of the world's leading providers of communications solutions and services operating in 170 countries. Our principal activities include networked IT services, local, national and international telecommunications services, and higher-value broadband and internet products and services. BT consists principally of four lines of business: BT Global Services, Openreach, BT Retail and BT Wholesale.

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About GMI 2008

GMI 2008 – the Global MSF Interoperability event – will link major carrier, government, and academic labs on three continents in a major demonstration of multi-vendor interoperability between a significant number of NGN elements supporting Implementation Agreements developed in support of the MSF Release 4 Architecture and practical deployment scenarios of interest to major carriers. GMI 2008 will be held from October 20-31, 2008.

<http://www.msforum.org/interoperability/GMI.shtml>

About the MSF

The MultiService Forum is a global association of service providers and system suppliers committed to developing and promoting open architecture, multiservice networks. Founded in 1998, the MSF is an open membership organization comprised of the world's leading telecommunications companies. The MSF's activities include developing Implementation Agreements, promoting worldwide compatibility and interoperability, and encouraging input to appropriate national and international standards bodies.

For more information about the MSF and its members, visit the MSF web site at <http://www.msforum.org/>.

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