

## **PRESS RELEASE**

### **IRISH TECHNOLOGY COMPANY AZOTEL EXPANDS US PRESENCE**

#### **AZOTEL PARTNERS WITH IMAGESTREAM FOR INTERNET SERVICE PROVIDER (ISP) PROVISIONING AUTOMATION**

St. Louis, Missouri and Cork, Ireland, July 21, 2010: Irish technology company Azotel today announced that it will partner with US Internet solutions company ImageStream®. ImageStream® manufactures Linux-based routers for business premise and service provider networks. The two companies will partner to deliver a network provisioning solution for wireless broadband operators that uses ImageStream routers and the Azotel SIMPLer Platform (OSS - Operations Support System).

The announcement was made at the WISPA Conference in St Louis, Missouri, USA. The companies are also discussing options to support DSL provisioning and other advanced features. Azotel recently announced partnerships with leading US distributors to broadband operators, reinforcing its presence in the US market.

The Azotel SIMPLer OSS is a full-featured service provider management platform that can be used to manage single or multiple ISP businesses from sign-up to disconnect. Important SIMPLer OSS features include provisioning with ImageStream routers, customer portal with automated sign-up, monthly billing and credit card processing, technical support trouble tickets, installation scheduling, inventory management, sales promotions, management reports, and more.

John O'Hare, CEO, Azotel commented: "This latest announcement marks another milestone for Azotel in the US market, where we are partnering with a US manufacturer alongside recent successful partnerships with leading distributors to the US broadband market."

He continued: "We have been working with ImageStream for almost a year now, after being introduced by Solutions4ebiz" to deliver a complete and proven management and provisioning solution for service providers. Our experience with provisioning and billing for cable networks also gives cable operators a better way to enter the wireless market with everything under one roof."

"Most service providers need an integrated billing and provisioning solution," said J.C. Utter, President of ImageStream. "We've acquired a lot of experience working with other OSS vendors over the last three years, and Azotel has been very careful to avoid the kinds of pitfalls that hamstring other systems." Utter continued, "Azotel has one of the best-engineered billing and provisioning

systems on the market today, and our partnership with Azotel is important news for our customers in the ISP and carrier markets.”

The Azotel provisioning module for ImageStream routers is now available. For more information, please contact ImageStream.

**About ImageStream**

ImageStream Internet Solutions, Inc. manufactures Linux-based routers for business premise and service provider networks. ImageStream routers are purpose-built to provide a flexible services delivery platform that supports a wide range of services and revenue streams. The company is headquartered in Plymouth, Indiana. For more information, go to [www.imagestream.com](http://www.imagestream.com).

**About Azotel**

Azotel Technologies develops integrated customer and network management solutions that help Internet Service Providers improve their business operations, services, and profitability. Azotel has its headquarters in Cork, Ireland with regional offices in Canada and Poland. For more information on Azotel products and services please contact your local Azotel distributor/reseller at [www.azotel.com](http://www.azotel.com).

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