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CTM COLLABRATES WITH CISCO TO DEVELOP CLOUD COMPUTING IN MACAU

CTM, Cable & Wireless Communications' business in Macau, is collaborating with Cisco to develop cloud computing services to help pave the way for the territory's digital future.

Cloud computing is a new IT service delivery model that uses the internet to deliver infrastructure, platforms, and software as a service.

CTM is Macau's sole broadband provider and has installed one of the world's fastest high-speed fibre broadband networks in the territory, delivering download speeds of up to 250 megabits per second (Mbps).

With its well-established telecom infrastructure, together with Cisco's extensive experience in cloud technology, CTM is well-prepared to develop cloud based value-added services catering for the needs of the Macau community.

Donald Shaw, vice president of sales & marketing for CTM said:

"Cloud computing is evolving as a mainstream component of the IT industry. The collaboration between CTM and Cisco lays a solid foundation for Macau to march towards a new era of cloud computing."

Fiona Siu, head of commercial sales for Cisco Hong Kong and Macau, said:

"Cisco is very pleased to collaborate with CTM, and help CTM to deliver a cloud-computing experience to Macau businesses that enables their employees to work together more effectively and efficiently, anywhere and anytime."

"Cloud computing is profoundly transforming the way information and services are provided and consumed. Cisco is confident about the capacity of its networking technology being able to facilitate the provision of cloud computing services by CTM."

About Cable & Wireless Communications

Cable & Wireless Communications is a global full-service communications business. We operate leading communications businesses through four regional units – the Caribbean, Panama, Macau and Monaco & Islands. Our services include mobile, broadband and domestic and international fixed line services in most of our markets as well as pay-TV, data centre and hosting, carrier and managed service solutions. Our operations are focused on providing our customers – consumers, businesses, governments – with world-class service. We are the market leader in most products we offer and territories we serve. For more information visit www.cwc.com.

About CTM

CTM is the only full-service telecommunications provider in Macau and so plays a leadership role in delivering world-class telecom services to residents and continuing to develop Macau's infrastructure. We are jointly owned by Cable & Wireless Communications (51%), Portugal Telecom (28%), CITIC Telecom International Holdings Limited (20%) and the Government of Macau (1%).

We have a solid track record for technical achievement, having recently introduced both innovative mobile data services and 250 Mbps fibre optic broadband, one of the fastest rates available to residents anywhere in the world.

We also contribute to the Macau community in many ways, such as investing to increase the use of IT in schools and strongly supporting colleagues to take part in community events.

For more information, please visit: http://www.ctm.net

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