



Appointment of Chief Executive Officer & Director

Sydney, Australia Tuesday 11th July 2006. The Directors of People Telecom are pleased to appoint Mr John Stanton as Chief Executive Officer and Director of the People Telecom group of companies.

Mr Stanton has been appointed as the successor to Mr Ryan O'Hare, who will remain a Non-Executive Director of the Group.

Mr Stanton returns to Australia from the UK after 6 years at Intelsat – one of the world's largest satellite communications operators - where he was the President of Intelsat Global Sales & Marketing Ltd and President of Intelsat's Data, Carrier & Internet Business Unit. Intelsat has distributors in approximately 200 countries and territories, and annual revenues of more than US\$1 billion. Mr Stanton was also Chairman of numerous subsidiaries within the Intelsat group and is a former Chairman of the Intelsat Board of Governors.

Mr Stanton arrives with a wealth of experience, having held senior management positions since his telecommunications career began in 1990 at OTC Limited. Following the creation of Telstra Corporation, Mr Stanton held a succession of senior roles responsible for corporate relations, international carrier relations and satellite and cable investments. He was Managing Director of Telstra Payphones & Card Services prior to his departure to Intelsat in 1999.

Chairman of People Telecom Barry Hamilton said, "We are extremely happy to have a person of John's calibre accept the role of CEO of People Telecom. He brings to our company a depth of skill in business development and growth creation that will enable People Telecom's continued success as a customer-focused, innovative leader in communications services in Australia and beyond."

Mr Stanton will commence at People Telecom on 7 August 2006.

About People Telecom:

As one of Australia's largest telecommunications groups, People Telecom offers a comprehensive range of telecommunications products and services for businesses.

The group is a leader in service within the telecommunications landscape, offering high customer service levels accompanied by a full suite of standard and cutting edge telecommunications products such as Voice-Over Internet Protocol (VoIP).

Over the five year period the group has grown significantly. In the 2004 financial year pro-forma revenues reached \$73m and in the 2005 financial year the revenue achieved was \$100 million.

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