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**ANT plc**  
("ANT" or "the Group")

**Licence Agreement with Chunghwa Telecom Laboratories**

*ANT Galio Browser selected for development of expanding Taiwanese TV Service*

ANT (LSE AIM: ANTP), the provider of software and services for the delivery of digital TV, is pleased to announce that Chunghwa Telecom Laboratories, the Research and Development division of Chunghwa Telecom, has chosen the ANT Galio Browser as the user interface platform upon which to develop a successor to Chunghwa Telecom's successful Multimedia on Demand (MOD) service.

The decision by Chunghwa Telecom Laboratories to select the ANT Galio Browser for the next generation of its IPTV platform builds on a long standing relationship between ANT and the leading Taiwanese operator. The relationship dates back to 2004 when Chunghwa Telecom first launched its Multimedia on Demand service.

The existing MOD service provides Taiwanese consumers with a range of multimedia services such as broadcast TV channels, on-demand movies and interactive services using ANT's first generation browser, ANT Fresco. To date the existing service has attracted more than 695,000 subscribers.

The ANT Galio Browser is being used to develop Chunghwa Telecom's next-generation user interface delivering enhanced presentation and control of future TV applications. The ANT Galio Browser will transform the user interface design of the service by enhancing the look and feel of the service offering.

**Yinhwa Huang, Researcher, Chunghwa Telecom Laboratories, commented** "ANT has consistently shown its dedication to pioneering technology for the IPTV market. The addition of the new ANT Galio Browser will enable Chunghwa Telecom to continue to innovate and provide cutting edge TV services to our customers."

**Simon Woodward, Chief Executive Officer of ANT plc, commented,** "We are delighted that Chunghwa Telecom Laboratories has chosen to build on the existing partnership with ANT. As a leading Taiwanese operator it is great to see Chunghwa continuing to demonstrate a commitment to improving its digital TV service and delivering the most advanced end-user experience. The Asian market is of strategic importance to ANT's growth and we continue to sign major deals with both telecom operators and device manufacturers in the region."

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**About ANT**



ANT plc ([www.antplc.com](http://www.antplc.com)) is the leading provider of client software solutions and services to the digital media industry. It develops open-standards-based client software and applications to enable operators to exploit digital media across a broad range of consumer devices from TV's set-top boxes and DVD players, to portable media devices such as mobile phones and personal media players, regardless of content delivery platform.

ANT enables media driven organisations to quickly create and roll-out innovative and successful applications and TV services on any consumer device, enabling operators to attract new subscribers, reduce churn and increase average revenue per user.

ANT's software has been extensively deployed by customers throughout the world including Cisco, Chunghwa Telecom, Foxconn, France Telecom, Humax, LG/Nortel, Philips, Sagem, Samsung, SaskTel, Telecom Italia and Thomson.

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