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**NORTEL NETWORKS SELECTS PRIME CARRIER SOFTWARE TO
DELIVER SOLUTION TO THUS PLC**

**Nortel Networks delivers UK leading provider of voice, data, video and
Internet services a managed software solution for its Wholesale business**

Dublin, Ireland — June 25th, 2007 — Prime Carrier Ltd., the market leader in the provision of ‘On Demand’ solutions for the global telecommunications and media industries, today announced that Nortel Networks, (NYSE/TSX: NT) is delivering a managed service solution to THUS plc, one of the UK’s leading network operators, specializing in the corporate and SME markets. This solution is based on Prime Carrier’s market leading software solution for Wholesale Telecommunication carriers and has been operational for the last 9 months.

Nortel deliver this solution using secure Internet connections from a managed application environment in their service centre in Birmingham, UK to all of THUS’s UK operations. Nortel will receive all the relevant traffic information from THUS’s network operations.

The overall service provides THUS with a comprehensive service for their Wholesale business process allowing THUS to focus on providing high-quality, integrated services providing a range of voice, data and internet services operating through the THUS and Demon brands.

Prime Carrier’s modular software suite for the wholesale market automates and streamlines carrier-to-carrier business operations. It supports a wide range of complex business functions including management of dial codes and rates, purchasing, sales, bilateral agreements, route optimization, call quality and switch management. These solutions enable carriers to more efficiently and cost effectively manage inter-carrier trading relationships. Prime Carrier extends this with real-time processing of actual traffic data to provide quality, cost and margin management with an ‘actual vs. forecast’ analysis to reduce costs, improve margins and measure

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call and carrier quality through a range of metrics and statistics, as network information is made available.

"The benefit of identifying the most high-quality service for our customers is self evident, but the cost of building this capability into the network is not always feasible," said Phil Male, chief operating officer, THUS plc. "Nortel offered an alternative that made economic sense for us - a managed services solution that delivers all the benefits without much of the upfront cost."

"By implementing value-based routing as a managed service, THUS has helped to make business simpler for its customers," said Urban Hofstrom, vice president, EMEA Global Services, Nortel.

"Prime Carrier is delighted that Nortel Networks is delivering this solution to THUS in this way. We are pleased that Nortel have seen the significance and the benefit our software solution can deliver to a Wholesale carrier, from Dial Code and Rate Management, Real-Time traffic information and Advanced Route planning." stated Geoff Butcher, CEO, Prime Carrier. "We believe that the MOST Products are market leading in this area, delivering organizations real margin benefits and saving significant manpower. These benefits are only magnified when delivered as a service, whether managed or through an Application hosting environment, that removes installation, licensing, hardware and on-going maintenance costs."

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About Prime Carrier

Prime Carrier is the proven leader in 'On Demand' real time trading solutions for the Telecommunications and Media industries. The MOST solution is established as the industry standard platform for supporting inter-carrier trading. Uniquely delivered through Prime Carrier's on-demand service, our solutions empower customers world-wide to fundamentally differentiate and enjoy a sustainable competitive advantage in a highly competitive industry. For further information see www.primecarrier.com

About Nortel

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Nortel is a recognized leader in delivering communications capabilities that make the promise of Business Made Simple a reality for our customers. Our next-generation technologies, for both service provider and enterprise networks, support multimedia and business-critical applications. Nortel's technologies are designed to help eliminate today's barriers to efficiency, speed and performance by simplifying networks and connecting people to the information they need, when they need it. Nortel does business in more than 150 countries around the world. For more information, visit Nortel on the Web at www.nortel.com. For the latest Nortel news, visit www.nortel.com/news.

About THUS plc

THUS plc provides communications solutions to business customers throughout the UK under the THUS and Demon brands. In an industry punctuated by inexperience THUS can draw upon a knowledge base established over more than a decade in the delivery of data, telecoms and Internet services. Delivering both standard and bespoke solutions, THUS addresses customers' existing business needs and works hand in hand with customers to develop new business opportunities. The Company's record in the creation of innovative new services is complemented by an award winning focus on quality and full certification under the ISO9001:2000 standard. THUS is listed on the London Stock Exchange. For further information visit www.thus.net and www.demon.net.

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