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Call a Local Telephone Number, Ring a Phone Overseas

*Port-of-Call service deconstructs the traditional telephone network,
effectively separating inbound services from outbound services*

Consumer Electronics Show, Las Vegas, NV, January 6, 2005 – FWD Communications announced today that the Port-of-Call™ service now being offered by its LibréTel™ subsidiary (www.libretel.com) is successfully separating inbound telephone services from outbound telephone services.

Port-of-Call enables users to seamlessly route calls from a traditional telephone number operating on the PSTN (Public Switched Telephone Network) to a VoIP (Voice-over-Internet Protocol) telephone number. Subscribers first purchase a regular local telephone number from LibréTel at a cost that ranges from \$6 to \$16.95 per month (depending on the number's landed location), and thereafter they can easily configure the service to route all calls made to that number directly to their VoIP number. LibréTel telephone numbers only handle incoming calls, thus no other costs are associated with the Port-of-Call service and users are allowed an unlimited number of incoming minutes.

“Port-of-Call is a so-called killer app for the broadband Internet,” said Jeff Pulver, chairman of FWD Communications. “It has applications for both businesses and individuals. For instance, a software developer in India can now offer a local New York number...an Italian expat living in Miami can provide a local Rome number to their friends and family that will ring in their South Florida home. And the service is seamless and carries no delay, meaning that callers won't be able to tell that their call is being re-routed. To the caller it is just as if they are placing a call to the landed location of the LibréTel phone number.”

Dial Locally, Call Globally™

Port-of-Call telephone numbers are currently available for numerous localities throughout the U.S., as well as for localities in Brazil, Russia, Israel, Italy, England, Northern Ireland, Scotland, and Wales, and

more

numbers are being added to the mix on a weekly basis. Now, anyone with SIP-based broadband VoIP telephone service can benefit from Port-of-Call, with no prerequisite other than broadband Internet access.

With LibréTel companies can enhance their global presence by offering local phone numbers in various cities, worldwide. And there is no limit to the amount of Port-of-Call phone numbers that can be routed to a single VoIP telephone number. For example, a businessman in Japan who wanted local phone numbers in London, Boston, Washington D.C., New York, Madrid, Rome, and Jerusalem could purchase phone numbers from all of these places and have them all routed to the same location...or to different locations. For more information on Port-of-Call, or to sign up for the service, please visit www.libretel.com.

About LibréTel, Inc.

LibréTel is a subsidiary of Pulver.com, working to bring advanced, IP-powered communications solutions and services to any and all voice-enabled networks, such as Free World Dialup. The company's expert staff is comprised of leading VoIP experts with over 50 years of combined experience in the nascent industry.

About FWD Communications

A division of the Pulver.com group of companies headed by IP Communications entrepreneur and globally renowned thought leader Jeff Pulver, FWD Communications is working to develop innovative IP Communications technologies that change the way in which people communicate.

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