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## **CHANGEBASE AOK ANNOUNCES GLOBAL PARTNERSHIP WITH GETRONICS**

London, UK - 12<sup>th</sup> October, 2009, ChangeBASE AOK, the world leader in automated application compatibility testing and remediation today announces the signing of a global partnership agreement with Getronics.

Getronics has been working with ChangeBASE on implementing AOK technology into its RDX (Rapid Deployment eXperience) methodologies to help clients upgrade to new operating environments such as Windows 7 and Application Virtualisation.

This integration has now been completed and Getronics is in the process of rolling out this new service offering into its 18 countries and from its international remote management centers

Coen Olde Olthof, Vice President of Marketing & Portfolio Getronics, comments: "As a global leader in helping organisations migrate to new technologies, Getronics is committed to offering our customers the best solution to migrate to Windows 7. Our customers regard application compatibility as the main hurdle in making this transition. ChangeBASE AOK delivers one of the critical parts of Getronics' Windows 7 readiness assessment. We have integrated both our technologies, resulting in a valuable service around Windows 7 readiness testing. This offering quickly provides our customers with concrete information on their application readiness and reports

how ChangeBASE AOK can remediate most of the detected issues. In our experience, using this significantly reduces the application remediation effort for our customers. We are excited to work with ChangeBASE in delivering this unique service which helps improve our customers personal performance and increase their business results.”

John Tate, Managing Director of ChangeBASE adds. ‘We are delighted that Getronics has selected AOK as their global tool of choice to report on and resolve application compatibility issues. With Windows 7 due to be launched very shortly, we are seeing a huge interest from organisations wanting to sort out application compatibility issues quickly and cheaply. Getronics has a strong track record in desktop migrations and its global reach puts the company in a great position to offer AOK as part of its service to clients.”

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### **About ChangeBASE**

ChangeBASE AOK is the market leader in automated compatibility software enabling organizations to simplify and speed up the time it takes to test, remediate and manage the migration process between operating systems or deployment environments. The company has developed a suite of software applications which bring tangible benefits and reduced costs to organizations across the globe. For more information, please visit; [www.changebase.com](http://www.changebase.com)

### **About Getronics**

With worldwide revenues of € 2.2 billion in 2008 and about 14,000 employees (FTE) at HY 2009, Getronics is a leading ICT service-provider in the world and the largest ICT service-provider in the Benelux. As expert in workspace management services, connectivity, datacenters, and consultancy, Getronics helps organisations and its employees to improve performance. To do this, Getronics has a complete portfolio of integrated ICT services for the large enterprise market and works according to a Global Service Delivery Model ensuring that services are provided for clients throughout the world that are of consistent quality. Since 23 October 2007, Getronics is part of KPN, the main provider of telecommunication services in The Netherlands.

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