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## **NEC's UNIVERGE SV8000 Release 2 equips Small and Medium Enterprises with fully converged all-in-one IT platform**

*In-skin router and switch integrated with communications server*

**Hilversum, The Netherlands** – With the latest Release 2.0 (R2) of its UNIVERGE SV8000 communications servers, NEC is introducing hardware and software enhancements that make it true IT servers delivering secure voice communications as well as router and switch functionality integrated in one single platform. As a result, the SV8000 becomes an integral component of a company's data (IT) network.

The powerful Power over Ethernet in-skin Gigabit switch embedded in the SV8000 servers supports 8 Gigabit Ethernet ports, while the in-skin Router acts as a 4-port switching hub for T1 or 10/100 Mbps Ethernet WAN connectivity.

### **Vertical market focus strengthened with Hospitality enhancements**

Integration with the middle-ware call accounting and management applications of Tiger Communications, strategic partner of NEC Philips in Hospitality solutions, is just one of the R2 enhancements that strengthen the system's proposition to the hotel market.

A PMS (Property Management System) adapter provides Fidelio open standard interfacing allowing a variety of hotel features, while the in-skin UM8000 Voicemail/Unified Messaging solution is also ideal for application in hotels. Catering for up to 16 voice ports and 4 fax ports, the UM8000 supports 24 system languages.

### **Bluetooth provides freedom of choice in Mobility solutions**

By adding a Bluetooth handset and hub option to the powerful mobility solutions provided by the SV8000 series, enterprises are offered further freedom of choice in implementing their preferred wireless infrastructure.

Besides built-in applications such as Voicemail, ACD and Mobile Extension, SV8000 servers equipped with R2 system software support the latest version of NEC's UC application Business Connect 4.1, while the system also supports the MyCalls call control and management application.

## **Compact 9.5 inch chassis ideal for IP based branch-offices and networking**

Release 2 also includes a new 9.5 inch chassis version of the SV8100. This compact unit provides Smaller Businesses with a powerful standalone IP solution, typically supporting up to 100 IP phones.

Requiring minimal space, minimal power and minimal support, this compact unit is ideal in standalone situations as well as in networks, linking remote IP-based locations to a central site, extending an organisation's reach to its remote branch-offices whilst providing increased efficiency, enhanced security and feature transparency – regardless of the primary unit's physical location.

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