

## **BEARINGPOINT INFONOVA TO LAUNCH RELEASE 6 OF ITS SUCCESSFUL NEXT GENERATION BSS STACK AT TMF MANAGEMENT WORLD IN NICE**

**THE LATEST RELEASE INTRODUCES END TO END VIRTUALIZATION, WHITE LABELING AND "ORDER-TO-CASH 2.0" CAPABILITIES IN ORDER TO PROVIDE THE OPERATOR WITH THE POWER TO EXPLOIT THE LATEST INDUSTRY TRENDS**

**Unterpremstätten, Austria, May 8th, 2008** – BearingPoint INFONOVA, BearingPoint's Near Shore Telco Solution Center based in Austria, today announced that it is going to launch Release 6 of its successful Infonova Next Generation BSS stack at TMF Management World 2008 in Nice.

Telco's are under siege from all directions: operational / functional separation into netco/servco/salesco; margin squeeze; new services from all types of competitors: fixed, wireless, cable & Webco's; & convergence expectations of customers. According to **Telco 2.0**, telco's need to adapt rapidly to exploit and integrate their core capabilities - communications, intelligence and information - with enterprise business processes, delivering high value through improved workflow and increased productivity.

According to **IDC**, "It's likely that Telco 2.0 will be the engine to drive the industry's growth over the next several years, but without the right BSS to support these initiatives, service providers may stall right out of the gate."

### **Infonova's BSS Release 6 is ready now to deliver Telco 2.0 functionality.**

The latest version of the proven software suite delivers end-to-end Virtualization and White-Labeling of the Infonova Order-to-Cash environment. This provides the operator with the power to address the myriad of business opportunities created by the dramatically converging value chains of telco, media, ICT and e-commerce. Release 6 enables multiple independent brands to operate on one single BSS stack and includes highly automated functionality to add new brands & new sales channels.

The Infonova BSS Release 6 stack is a highly pre-integrated solution sitting on top of a SOA-aligned integration platform. The proven product family components cover the enhanced "Order-to-Cash 2.0" lifecycle: Platform and Business Management, Product Management, Customer Management, Order Management, Billing and Finance.

### **At the TMF Management World in Nice 2008**

- BearingPoint INFONOVA will be presenting the latest Infonova Next Generation BSS Release 6 at our Booth # 86
- Five Infonova client case studies have been published in the TMF Case Study Handbook illustrating how Infonova deployments closely correlate with TMF key concepts including eTOM and SID.
- Three case studies from Telekom Austria illustrate how an incumbent has used Infonova to deliver triple play and quad play solutions.
- City carriers MDCC in Germany & Salzburg AG in Austria also illustrate how the Infonova BSS capabilities have delivered triple play solutions for cable.

### **About BearingPoint INFONOVA GmbH**

BearingPoint INFONOVA is a wholly owned subsidiary of BearingPoint, Inc., and was founded in Graz, Austria in 1989.

Infonova's BSS solution has been implemented in both incumbent, attacker and cable configurations supporting triple/quadruple play service portfolios including voice, data, and content services.

For more information, visit the company's Web site at <http://infonova.bearingpoint.com>.