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**itelligence Joins SAP® Business All-in-One Fast-Start Program**

Supports midsize companies with new configurable business software offering that enables faster implementation, online optimization planning tools

**CINCINNATI, Oct. 7, 2008** —itelligence, an SAP channel partner, today announced it is supporting the SAP® Business All-in-One fast-start program. The program provides midsize companies in the manufacturing, services and trade industries with tools and methodologies to improve software acquisition and shorten implementation times. Companies can configure a solution online and get cost estimates before starting. They get an SAP Business All-in-One solution pre-configured with the industry-specific processes needed to define and shape their core business operations.

The SAP Business All-in-One solution is an ideal software solution for midsize companies that require a comprehensive, integrated, and configurable on-premise business solution with deep industry capabilities built-in. Based on the state-of-the-art SAP ERP application, SAP Business All-in-One easily scales to customers' changing business needs.

The SAP Business All-in-One fast-start program enables companies to get industry-specific business solutions up and running quickly so that they make better-informed business decisions based on greater visibility across their operations. With a clearly defined set of pre-configured industry processes and best-practices, implementation is fast and more predictable.

The solution configurator is a self-service, online tool designed to enable midsize companies to review the scope and cost of an SAP solution for their organization. Prospects can customize SAP Business All-in-One for their own business process scope and industry grouping. Business process offerings can be switched on or off depending on a prospect's functional needs. After selecting their scope and entering their license requirements, prospects immediately receive a cost estimate\* for software licenses, service and implementation, and required hardware.

"The SAP Business All-in-One fast-start program creates an opportunity for itelligence to provide immediate business value to our midsize customers who, no matter their business model, industry or geography, share a common need for affordable total cost of ownership for software investment decisions," said Steve Niesman, itelligence president

and CEO. “This innovative program provides companies the flexibility to tailor a solution to their business requirements even as they change and expand. itelligence provides ongoing counsel to help these companies quickly select their most advantageous business decisions and maximize the impact on their business.”

As a leading gold-level SAP channel partner in the small and midsize enterprise (SME) segment, itelligence is working closely with SAP to fine-tune the solution, the go-to-market approach, and the partner program for the SAP Business All-in-One fast-start program. SAP will rely significantly on its partner ecosystem to drive this offering.

With the new fast-start program, SAP takes an additional step toward providing innovative ways for customers to easily access leading-edge enterprise resource planning (ERP) technology and achieve faster time to value, all while providing long-term protection of customers’ investments. Coupled with the SAP MaxDB™ database and an operating system, the offering even helps to lower total cost of ownership (TCO) for an on-premise business solution. Customers are free to choose their operating system—whether the preferred SUSE Linux Enterprise Server from Novell or other options per individual customer—to help ensure maximum compatibility with overall IT architecture.

itelligence is one of 10 companies in the world that is a certified SAP global hosting partner. itelligence also received the “Top Producing Partner of the Year Award” from SAP, as part of SAP’s 2006 U.S. SME Business Partner Awards presented to the top-performing partners within the SAP PartnerEdge™ program. Additionally, in 2007, itelligence attained gold-level status as an SAP channel partner in the U.S., the highest level of recognition within SAP PartnerEdge. itelligence earned this prestigious honor by meeting stringent criteria for product quality, proven industry experience and high levels of customer satisfaction and sales team proficiency.

For more information please visit: <http://www.itelligencegroup.com>

### **About itelligence**

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\*Cost estimate is an SAP estimation only and not valid for partners; partners cost estimation may differ

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