



News Release

UTAC Appointed as BridgeCo's Partner for Full Turnkey Test and Assembly Services

- **UTAC to provide full turnkey support for BridgeCo's new generation of Digital Entertainment Network semiconductor products**

SINGAPORE, February 15, 2005 – United Test and Assembly Center Ltd (“UTAC”) a leader in semiconductor assembly and test services, has been selected by BridgeCo as a turnkey service provider for its new generation of digital entertainment network semiconductor products.

BridgeCo is a pioneer of digital entertainment networking solutions. The company's Entertainment Network Adapters™ (ENAs) are the world's most comprehensive, cost-effective and highly integrated silicon and software platforms for connecting Internet media sources, PCs and consumer electronics throughout the home. BridgeCo ENAs are used in a wide range of innovative and legacy products produced by the multi-billion dollar global consumer electronics industry, including Digital Media Players, Audio/Video receivers, DVD players, musical instruments and breakout boxes.

Underlying all BridgeCo solutions are proprietary, integrated semiconductor and software technologies that network PCs to CE devices via widely-used standards and



protocols for network and signal processing, including IEEE 802.11b, IEEE 1394, UPnP, WiFi, and designed to DLNA guidelines.

BridgeCo is an ISO 9001-certified company based in Zurich, Switzerland. Its key investors include Fidelity Ventures, Benchmark Capital, Earlybird, Infineon Ventures, and Intel Capital. For more information, please visit www.bridgeco.net.

“We are very pleased to be selected by BridgeCo as its preferred turnkey partner,” said Ms. June Chia, Executive Vice President at UTAC. “The digital entertainment networking market is one with tremendous potential for growth, we are very excited to be in partnership with the pioneer of this market. This partnership takes us a step further into the digital entertainment arena which is a natural extension for our Broadband, Mobile/Wireless strategy.”

UTAC’s full turnkey solution includes test program and hardware development, wafer sort, packaging and final test for BridgeCo’s products.

“We have been working with UTAC on the packaging and test development for our portfolio of new digital entertainment networking products,” said Mr. Gerhard Sattel, Vice President for Procurement at BridgeCo. “We are very impressed with UTAC’s consistent demonstration of strong technical capabilities and commitment to customer service.”

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About United Test and Assembly Center Ltd (UTAC)

UTAC, listed on the Main Board of Singapore Exchange, is a leading independent provider of total semiconductor test and assembly solution to its customers, which comprise Integrated Device Manufacturers ("IDMs"), fabless companies and wafer foundries. The company provides wafer probing and final testing services on a diverse selection of test platforms for a range of semiconductors including memory, logic, mixed-signal and radio frequency ICs. Besides testing services, UTAC also provides assembly services for a broad range of leadframe and array packages.

In addition to its manufacturing and engineering operations in Singapore and Shanghai, China, UTAC also has an established global network of sales offices in the United States, Europe, China and Japan. For more information, visit www.utac.com.sg.

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