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SS8 NETWORKS NAMES NEW ENGINEERING VICE PRESIDENT

Dr. Bülent Erbilgin brings over two decades of industry experience to global supplier of unified messaging and lawful intercept solutions

SAN JOSE, Calif., September 28 2006 – SS8 Networks®, a leading provider of lawful intercept and unified communications solutions, announced today that Dr. Bülent Erbilgin has joined the company as vice president of engineering. In this new role, he will direct development of the company’s lawful intercept portfolio, multimedia messaging platforms and signaling products for IMS and AIN applications

Prior to joining SS8, Erbilgin was vice president of platform engineering at Brocade where his team developed and delivered best-in-class, multi-protocol switching platforms. A 21-year veteran of the computer industry, Erbilgin has held technology leadership and management positions at several companies including Pluris, Zycad, NetFrame and HP Labs.

“Bülent has managed a wide range of successful technology development projects, from software applications and ASIC chip sets to large-scale computer systems and core routing switches,” said Dennis Haar, president and CEO at SS8 Networks. “His telecommunications knowledge and broad technology expertise, as well as his understanding of both developing and mature companies, are a perfect fit for our management team.”

Erbilgin, who holds a master’s degree in Computer Science and a doctoral degree in Electrical Engineering from Stanford University, also served as vice president for engineering at MasPar, where he was responsible for product development of a Massively Parallel Computer.

“With a tremendous history of telecommunications innovation and proven leadership in the market, SS8 is cementing a position in unified communications while simultaneously continuing the urgent mission of enabling our customers to comply with government mandated deadlines for lawful intercept compliance,” said Erbilgin. “I look forward to working with this talented group on developing best of breed products for an ever-evolving technology landscape. This is a very exciting time to be joining SS8.”

About SS8 Networks

SS8 Networks provides a complete range of messaging, lawful intercept, and signaling solutions that enable network operators to optimize their investment in traditional, legacy networks while smoothing the transition to 21st century architectures. Through a series of extended relationships, lawful intercept solutions are now also available for government and law enforcement agencies worldwide. SS8 Networks' solutions are installed in global tier one wireless, wireline, VoIP and cable networks and are also available through a channel of major international switch vendors. SS8 Networks has been recognized and named a Red Herring 100 and AlwaysOn company in North America in 2005, for its innovation, quality of management, execution of strategy, and dedication to research and development. SS8 Networks is headquartered in San Jose, Calif., with offices worldwide. www.SS8.com.

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