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Vocus Sponsors NZNOG 2009

Sydney (15/01/09) – Australian Wholesale Voice and Internet provider Vocus has signed as Gold Sponsorship of the next meeting of the New Zealand Network Operators Group (NZNOG) to be held in Auckland later this month.

James Spenceley, Vocus CEO, outlined that since launching its New Zealand Operation in November the company has had much success in the New Zealand market.

Vocus recently launched both International Ethernet and IP Transit products to the NZ market. “We’ve had great success and support from the NZ ISPs and as a result we’ve taken the opportunity to support the community that has so strongly supported us.” Spenceley said.

In addition to launching it’s flagship products Vocus began Peering and exchanging its IP traffic locally.

“Not only have we increased the market for our core products, we have also increased the quality of IP connectivity for our Australian customers, with Vocus now the only Australian company peering at Internet exchanges in New Zealand.”

“Our customers have seen much lower latency and fewer hops for New Zealand traffic, and they in turn have had positive feedback from their own customers. A very satisfying result”, Spenceley remarked.

Vocus has become a regular supporter of Industry events over the past 18 months, sponsoring multiple AusNOG conferences, APNIC events, the inaugural CommsDay dinner and now NZNOG.

The NZNOG conference features international speakers with Australians Vocus’ James Spenceley and Cisco’s Phillip Smith confirmed amongst other International guests.

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