

Renaissance Services Partners with Telelogic as Preferred Channel Partner for Aerospace and Defense Industry PLM Solution

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- DOORS(R) to be implemented as Part of PLM Solution for Design and Manufacturing Processes -

SPRINGFIELD, Ohio--(BUSINESS WIRE)--March 23, 2004-- Renaissance Services, a pioneer in the approach of managing detailed product characteristics as part of Product Lifecycle Management (PLM), announced today that it has been selected as a Preferred Channel Partner for Telelogic products in the aerospace and defense industry.

As part of the agreement, Renaissance Services will integrate DOORS as part of its PLM solutions to private industry and government customers, focusing on the flow down support of requirements into the design and manufacturing processes for major aerospace and defense projects.

"DOORS is the de facto standard for requirements management in aerospace and defense," said Dan Z. Sokol, CEO of Renaissance Services. "We see it as an excellent tool for addressing the details necessary to design complex parts for engines, missiles, and airplanes."

According to Sokol, many of the Renaissance clients have adopted DOORS as their method for handling customer requirements. The actual penetration and application of the tool in the production of aerospace hardware, however, has much more potential than currently experienced. Renaissance, which has an excellent reputation in the industry on the subject of requirements flow down and design-to-manufacturing transition, has been asked by its clients to help integrate DOORS into an overall requirements flow down solution as part of PLM.

"We are very impressed with Renaissance Services and their knowledge of applying requirements management to the production of aerospace hardware," said Frank Araby, Telelogic Senior Manager of Channel sales. "With their focus on applying DOORS to the manufacturing environment, we feel that our users have an excellent resource to enhance their implementation of requirements management."

Telelogic DOORS, the world's leading requirements management tool, is a multi-platform, enterprise-wide system designed to capture, link, trace, analyze and manage information to ensure a project's compliance to specified requirements and standards. The release of DOORS 7.0 introduced the world to Dynamic Requirements Management, providing the highest levels ever of requirements visibility, collaboration and validation. DOORS 7.0 goes beyond existing requirements management capabilities to provide a historical record of traceability and a complete audit trail during incremental development and test, and supports parallel development by teams working on different versions or variants.

About Renaissance Services

Renaissance Services provides advanced technology and services to companies creating highly engineered products in industries such as aerospace & defense. Renaissance is a pioneer in the approach of managing detailed product characteristics as part of Product Lifecycle Management (PLM). The Renaissance approach recognizes that by focusing on requirements at the characteristic level, and the seamless transition of those requirements to each level of the supply chain, we can help our customers achieve their quality and productivity expectations over the lifecycle of their products. Renaissance is teamed with a number of software companies that are addressing various parts of this PLM vision. The company is headquartered in Springfield, Ohio. Visit the Renaissance web site at www.ren-services.com.

About Telelogic

Founded in 1983, Telelogic® is a leading global provider of solutions for advanced systems and software development. Telelogic's intuitive, best-in-class software tools automate and support best practices throughout the application development lifecycle, leaving development teams free to concentrate on core competencies and apply their skills and energy to value-added tasks. By optimizing each phase of development, Telelogic enables companies to deliver higher quality systems and software with greater predictability, reduced time-to-market and lower overall costs.

To ensure interoperability with third-party tools, Telelogic's products are built on an open architecture and standardized languages. As an industry leader and technology visionary, Telelogic is actively involved in shaping the future of advanced systems and software development by participating in industry organizations like ETSI, INCOSE, ITU-T, OMG and others.

Headquartered in Malmo, Sweden with U.S. headquarters in Irvine, California, Telelogic has operations in 17 countries worldwide. Customers include Alcatel, BAE SYSTEMS, BMW, Boeing, DaimlerChrysler, Deutsche Bank, Ericsson, General Motors, Lockheed Martin, Motorola, NEC, Nokia, Philips, Siemens, Thales and Vodafone. For more information, please visit www.telelogic.com.

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