



Press release

IpsCA forms an alliance with Neoris to develop electronic billing projects in Latin America

This agreement covers the introduction in Neoris of ipsCA's electronic billing solutions, which will allow to save time and money.

Madrid, 18th October 2005. IpsCA, a Spanish company specializing in digital certificates and electronic signature, has signed an agreement with Neoris, one of the largest IT consulting and systems integration company in Latin America. The multinational, which was created as a result of the development of technological solutions for one of the biggest cement factories in the world, is present in Latin American and North American markets with its offices in Miami and Spain. Some of its clients are FCC, Bimbo, BASF, Michelin, Cisco and Suzuki.

With this alliance, ipsCA aims to expand its business into Latin America and United States, and to promote the use of electronic billing in Spanish companies and in Spanish-speaking countries. This agreement covers the introduction in Neoris of electronic billing solutions from ipsCA. Electronic billing allows companies -no matter how big they are-, to save time and money, because paper invoices, transport costs and messenger companies are no longer necessary. Electronic invoices allow to visualize the document through a Windows or web interface, to print it or to immediately send it either by e-mail or fax. Moreover, it is possible to write detailed reports about the bills that have been issued and to classify them.

Eduardo Sáez, Commercial Director at ipsCA states that *“the main advantages of electronic billing are flexibility –that allows to modify the document without paying more– and the safe distribution and storage process, due to the digital signature and the PDF format. The signature is encoded and protected with a password, so that it cannot be manipulated”*.

NEORIS

Neoris is a Global IT Consulting firm with proven leadership on emerging technologies, ranked by IDC as the 4th largest IT Consultancy and 5th largest Custom Application Development firm in Latin America. Neoris continues to establish leadership in the U.S. and Europe by offering systems integration, custom application development, IT consulting and software deployment and support. Its roster of more than 180 clients include: BASF, Cisco, GlaxoSmithKline, Lockheed Martin, Luchetti, Michelin,

OfficeMax, PEMEX, Petrozuata, and Verizon. Neoris is headquartered in Miami, Florida with over 1,000 employees, 13 offices and software development centers in the U.S., Europe and Latin America. Neoris is subsidiary of CEMEX (NYSE: CX, BMV: CEMEXCPO). For further information, please visit www.neoris.com .

ipsCA

Ips Certification Authority (ipsCA) is a Spanish society that continues the work initiated by IPS in 1995 as a European pioneering Certification Authority. This society, specializing in electronic signature, works with Digital Certificates, Electronic Signature tools, Digital Stamping, Electronic Billing, Training and Consultancy related to PKI. Moreover, it offers legal advice in order to comply with Ley de Protección de Datos (Data Protection Law).

IpsCA takes part in all events related to certification services and electronic signature. Moreover, it has strategic alliances and agreements with other companies such as Microsoft, Netscape, Safelayer, Nokia, Lotus, Rainbow, ActivCard or FNMT and with other certification authorities. It has 350 international partners and is present in Microsoft product as Root Certification Authority since 1999.

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