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tw telecom Announces Global Expansion of IP VPN Service Portfolio

*- Adds access to 64 countries, on six continents, to connect customers
domestically and internationally*

LITTLETON, Colo. – August 10, 2009 – **tw telecom**, (NASDAQ: TWTC), a leading national provider of managed voice, Internet and data networking solutions for businesses, today announced the expansion of its MPLS IP VPN service portfolio into 64 countries around the globe. This added capability enables the company to connect a customer's voice, Internet and data traffic seamlessly, reliably and securely across town, across the country and now to international destinations.

"The global expansion of our MPLS IP VPN service portfolio extends our network reach to serve the international needs of our customers," said John Blount, **tw telecom's** Chief Operating Officer. "These customers depend on the high-quality level of service we deliver over our robust metro fiber networks and national IP backbone to connect their buildings and data centers. Customers with sites outside the United States have told us that they'd also like us to deliver and manage their IP VPN networks end-to-end in those locations as well. Our extended reach internationally enables us to support their global networking demands."

tw telecom's MPLS IP VPN service suite is capable of supporting a wide range of enterprise networking applications – from simple site-to-site network connectivity to robust Telepresence video conferencing needs. **tw telecom** offers five classes of services so customers are able to manage and prioritize their voice, video, enterprise applications, storage and Internet access across **tw telecom's** network to optimize the performance across the enterprise.

"Our strategy continues to focus on high quality network partners – each with a unique focus and expertise in a geographic region – to complement the strength of our MPLS IP VPN services in the United States," Blount said. "Through these partners, we are able to improve the overall value and service for our customers and better manage their connectivity, while building out industry-leading, high-performance networks for them to run their mission critical applications. We're excited about the expanded market opportunity that is now open to us with this global reach."

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About tw telecom

tw telecom holdings inc., a unit of **tw telecom inc.**, headquartered in Littleton, Colo., provides managed network services, specializing in Ethernet and transport data networking, Internet access, local and long distance voice, VoIP, VPN and security, to enterprise organizations and communications services companies throughout the U.S. As a leading provider of integrated and converged network solutions, **tw telecom** delivers customers overall economic value, quality, service, and improved business productivity. Please visit www.twtelecom.com for more information.

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