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RS&H creates versatile 25-site network with tw telecom's IP VPN

-\$1.7 million, multi-year agreement provides firm with seamless nationwide private network

JACKSONVILLE, Fla. – May 13, 2009 - **tw telecom**, (NASDAQ: TWTC), a leading provider of managed voice, Internet and data networking solutions for businesses, today announced the successful installation of a 25-site IP VPN for RS&H in Jacksonville. RS&H is one of the nation's leading facilities and infrastructure consulting firms providing engineering and architectural design services to aerospace, aviation, defense, education, science and technology facilities, public infrastructure, transportation and commercial developers customers across the U.S.

"RS&H is a highly collaborative company with architects, engineers, designers and planners throughout the country sharing large project data files, such as CAD drawings every day," said Harold Hamm, Vice President of Information Technology for RS&H. "Our decision to deploy **tw telecom**'s IP VPN capability within RS&H was predicated on the scope, performance, and cost effectiveness of their network."

"Our customer's projects are highly time-sensitive and we rely on our network to meet deadlines," said Hamm. "We converted from a high performance private network with a central hub connected with high-speed Ethernet to our collocation facility to an even higher performance network. With the implementation of **tw telecom**'s IP VPN, we have been able to significantly improve network operation and speed while reducing the overall cost of our network. Not only were we able to increase the available bandwidth for our larger offices, but now every office can connect directly to any other office including our Peak10 hot site collocation facility without having to go through a central hub in Atlanta. IP VPN gives us the ability to dedicate our company resources where and when we need them."

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“Customers who’ve upgraded from obsolete technologies, such as ATM and Frame Relay, are continually pleased they made the switch,” said John Schuchart, southeast regional vice president for **tw telecom**. “This is not surprising when you consider all the benefits that IP VPN offers, such as flexibility, security, scalability and ease of use. Customers quickly realize, once they see a reduction in their communications expense, what a truly smart decision it was to upgrade their services. In today’s environment, businesses can take an enormous leap in capability and bandwidth with IP VPN without a significant increase in expense.”

tw telecom’s IP VPN is a fully-meshed IP-based networking solution that provides any-to-any connectivity to businesses with multiple locations in a metropolitan area or across the country. IP VPN also allows for a greatly improved ability to manage and prioritize their traffic with Class of Service (CoS) as well as monitor network performance via a customer portal. Additionally, the versatility of IP VPN lets companies easily add new locations to their network as they grow.

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.

About RS&H

With nearly 802 employees, RS&H is one of the nation’s leading facilities and infrastructure consulting firms whose client-centered program structure provides value-added solutions to clients around the world. With a tradition that began in 1941, RS&H has 32 offices and market sector programs, which include Aerospace and Defense, Aviation, Commercial, Institutional, Public Infrastructure and Transportation. Construction Engineering Inspection (CEI) services are provided through its wholly owned subsidiary, Reynolds, Smith and Hills, CS Incorporated. RS&H can be reached at 1.800.741.2014 or www.rsandh.com.