



Rosum Corporation Applauds Congress and FCC Actions to Establish E911 Emergency Calling Capability for VoIP Services

Redwood City, Calif. – May 23, 2005 – Rosum Corporation, a leading location-based technology company, responded today to the Federal Communication Commission’s (FCC) order mandating that interconnected VoIP (Voice over Internet Protocol) carriers provide Enhanced 911 (E911) emergency calling capability to their customers. The Commission has given such carriers 120 days to demonstrate compliance.

“We applaud the Commission’s timely action on this important issue,” said Skip Speaks, CEO Rosum Corporation. “Since its establishment as a nationwide emergency code in 1968, the three numbers 9-1-1 have become synonymous with public safety and peace of mind. As new forms of telephony grow, it is incumbent on the public safety, telecommunications, and technology communities to ensure that the expectations that come with 9-1-1 are met.”

The FCC’s order came one day after the House of Representatives and Senate each introduced bills (H.R. 2418 and S. 1063, respectively), also to promote deployment of E911 capability by IP-enabled services.

Speaks added, “E911 capability is a national issue that affects both metropolitan and rural communities. Rosum looks forward to working with E911 stakeholders such as the National Emergency Number Association, VoIP service providers, and interconnectors to deliver a standards-based VoIP E911 solution that leverages our indoor/outdoor device-based positioning capability and that does not place an undue cost burden on VoIP customers or Public Safety Answering Points.”

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About Rosum: Rosum is the first and only company to use unmodified TV signals for position location of mobile assets. The Rosum solution is uniquely suited to tracking of mobile devices in urban areas and indoors, where GPS and assisted GPS solutions often fail. In exclusively indoor and urban-area testing, the Rosum solution meets the FCC’s Wireless E911 accuracy requirements for handset-based positioning systems. Rosum’s leadership is composed of industry leaders from the GPS, cellular and television worlds, and the company is venture-backed by leading investors including Charles River Ventures, Allegis Capital, and Motorola Inc. Partners include Trimble Navigation, the leading GPS company, and In-Q-Tel, the CIA’s venture investment arm. Rosum’s founding team includes the original architects of the GPS constellation. More information is available at www.rosum.com.

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