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## **Gage Telephone Systems Receives Telecommunication Industry's Top Award**

*Technology Assurance Group (TAG) Selects Gage Telephone Systems as its Premier Telecommunication Company at the 2007 TAG National Convention*

BATON ROUGE, LA — March 27, 2007 — Gage Telephone Systems, Inc., a leader in business communications, announced today that the company received one of Technology Assurance Group's top awards at the association's 2007 National Convention held in San Diego in March. Technology Assurance Group (TAG), a national organization of independently owned telecommunication companies representing over \$350 million in products and services, selected Gage Telephone Systems as the winner of the "Platinum Award" for exceptional economic performance and superior customer satisfaction.

The distinguished award is based on overall financial performance, customer satisfaction, and the ability to provide companies with cost effective and state-of-the-art communication solutions. "Gage Telephone Systems was recognized as one of the truly great companies in our industry," said Dale Johnson, president of Technology Assurance Group. "The company's sophisticated management team, led by its Sales Manager Jason Landry, achieved significant success in an industry known for rapid change. By staying at the forefront of the latest trends in technology, they helped their customers improve productivity, increase profitability, and give them a competitive advantage."

Jason Landry of Gage Telephone Systems accepted the award for the

company. "This award illustrates our commitment to complete customer satisfaction," said Mr. Landry. "It is a direct result of our company properly implementing better business practices, building long lasting relationships with all of our customers, educating our team of professionals and empowering them to share their knowledge, and enhancing our performance on a daily basis. We're extremely proud of this achievement and we're striving to exceed this accomplishment in 2007."

### **ABOUT GAGE TELEPHONE SYSTEMS**

GAGE Telephone Systems, Inc. was established in 1980 by Gregory A. Wood, Sr. The company's original mission continues today, which is to provide the finest telecommunications products and services that enable its clients to increase their profitability, obtain a competitive advantage, and improve employee productivity. GAGE Telephone Systems has served the Baton Rouge and South Louisiana business community for over 25 years through a culture of striving towards excellence and unparalleled commitment to customer service.

GAGE Telephone Systems helps companies of all sizes simplify their technology decisions with straight answers about everything from business telephone systems and local/long distance service to Internet, DSL, VoIP and voicemail services. The company conducts a complete needs analysis to ensure that each customer implements the right technology to meet their needs now and into the future.

GAGE Telephone Systems has built a strong team of highly experienced and industry certified voice and data specialists. These individuals proactively assist customers through high level support and strive to exceed their expectations on a daily basis. The team is backed by a fleet of state-of-the-art service vehicles ready to respond to customer calls 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. GAGE Telephone Systems has distinguished itself from the competition by becoming one of the region's leading telecommunications companies.

For more information on GAGE Telephone Systems please call (225) 753-4243 or visit <http://www.GAGetelephone.com>

### **ABOUT TECHNOLOGY ASSURANCE GROUP (TAG)**

Technology Assurance Group, LLC (TAG) is a national organization of leading independently owned telecommunications companies. TAG provides its members with the competitive advantages necessary to achieve a dominant position in their marketplace. Members benefit from programs including strategic partnerships with communication solution providers, best business and management practices, and advanced sales training programs. TAG's mission is to leverage its members' combined economic power, to increase their sales and profit margins, and to bring advanced technology to the marketplace. For more information on TAG, please call 858-673-5800 or visit [www.tagnational.com](http://www.tagnational.com).