

## Press release

### **Tarmel innovates with a hybrid electronic signature designed by Inventive Designers from Belgium**

*Inventive Designers enters the partnership with the Croatian company Tarmel*

Zagreb, November 2009 – Tarmel sees great value in the hybrid electronic signature and introduces IntelliStamp to Croatia in cooperation with the Belgian company Inventive Designers. Tarmel will distribute IntelliStamp, as well as Scriptura – an innovative product for document flow and output management.

Tarik Mutapčić, Director of Tarmel, explains: "We see great opportunities in the combination of our experience within the financial services industry and the innovative solutions Inventive Designers offers."

Inventive Designers, founded in 1994, is based in Antwerp, Belgium. Inventive Designers' clients are located in over 30 countries and 34 US states and include companies such as Dexia (BE), Axa (BE), RVP (BE), RVA (BE), Total (FR), Securitas (BE), United Nations (US), US Postal (US), SunCorp (AUS), Siemens (DE). They are an active member of AIIM, the AFP Consortium and the W3C, the international organization responsible for developing and defining open IT standards and have already won various national and international awards.

IntelliStamp is a hybrid system that guarantees the authenticity of digitally signed documents even after they have been printed. This product is recognized as valid according to the EU digital signature related legislation (confirmed by the international law company DLA Piper) and has been adopted by Croatia, too.

Joke Dehond, director Inventive designers adds: "We see a lot of opportunities for organizations in the Croatian Financial services, state administration, legal system etc.. We are confident that higher security, as well as better efficiency can result in a return on investment of less than one year."

The other flagship product, Scriptura, enables automatic creation, communication and issuance of documents. It's main target market is the financial services and insurance industry, but it has proven advantages for logistics, healthcare, government and

generally, multinational companies. Scriptura permits companies to design and deliver personalized client communication, by using a myriad of channels such as the internet, print, email, fax, sms etc. The adaptability of Scriptura, open-source approach, and tremendous savings potential, have brought Inventive Designers clients on six continents.

Tarmel is the private company active in systems integration and implementation, and education. It has been present on the market for 17 years, and it has an impressive list of clients so far. Within the company, there is a significant knowledge of the financial services industry. As such, it has been chosen to become an Inventive Designers partner.

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