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Press Release

Sword Group launches free SharePoint Deployment Planning Services Programme

London, 11 November 2008. Sword Group's ECM solutions practice has today launched its free SharePoint Deployment Planning Services (SDPS) Programme.

As a Microsoft Gold partner Sword ECM is one of a small number of accredited principals selected to deliver the SDPS Programme. The Programme provides complimentary consultancy and development expertise to identify the potential of Microsoft Office SharePoint Server implementation for an organisation.

Engagements with Sword are available for anything up to 15 days and correspond to the customers' software assurance enterprise agreement with Microsoft.

Terry Coyne, sales manager for Sword's ECM solutions practice in the UK said: "This is an innovative and creative offering from Microsoft and provides clients with a fantastic low risk opportunity to engage with a Microsoft Gold Partner at no additional cost. Sword will work to identify how best to leverage the SharePoint platform for an individual organisations business process and manage the implementation roadmap for the transformation of collaborative strategies and improved business productivity.

"Services available as part of the programme will range from system health checks, business analysis, strategy assistance and proof of concepts to full project managed implementations and custom developments."

Sword's ECM practice has nearly 20 years' experience in the delivery of mission-critical Enterprise Content Management solutions for medium to large customers internationally. As a leading implementer of SharePoint technologies Sword helps customers with their consolidation, integration and migration strategies with other leading ECM platforms.

Please email SharePoint@Sword-UK.com for more details on how to take advantage of this excellent value proposition.

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Sword Group (NYSE Euronext: FR0004180578 SWP) delivers high value business applications to the world's largest companies globally. With operations in 37 countries, Sword today employs over 2000 people and generates more than €200m in consolidated revenue.

An international leader in the delivery of Business Process Improvement solutions, Sword's skills, infrastructure and experience help our customers across regulated industries optimise performance, increase efficiencies and maximise return on investment.

With flexible delivery options, including On Demand and On Premises, combined with our extensive industry expertise, Sword provides comprehensive support to customers across insurance & healthcare, energy, banking & finance, telecoms, utilities, engineering & construction and the public sector.

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