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Cascade Telecommunications Receives Telecommunication Industry's Top Award

*Technology Assurance Group (TAG)
Selects Cascade Telecommunications
as its Premier Telecommunication
Company at the 2007 TAG National
Convention*

BEND, OR — March 27, 2007 — Cascade Telecommunications, 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 Cascade Telecommunications 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. "Cascade Telecommunications 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 Sandy Morse, 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."

Jodi Dwyer of Cascade Telecommunications accepted the award for the company. "This award illustrates our commitment to complete customer satisfaction," said Ms. Dwyer. "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 CASCADE TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.

Cascade Telecommunications is locally owned and operated and is Central Oregon's business owner's first choice for over 16 years. Cascade Telecommunications goal is to provide each client a custom designed telecommunications solution that not only enhances their customer's experience, but also provides increased profitability and a competitive advantage. Cascade Telecommunications is a single source contact for all voice, data, and video needs.

Cascade Telecommunications provides industry-leading products with Factory Certified Technicians, Sales and Customer Service Staff, to

ensure customer satisfaction by maximizing system performance.

Cascade Telecommunications provides around the clock service to ensure system reliability with the mission critical nature of the telecommunications. Cascade Telecommunications offers comprehensive service 24 hours a day, 7 days a week and emergency service guaranteed within 1 hour.

For more information on Cascade Telecommunications, call 541-388-5158 or visit www.cascadetel.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.