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PRIME MINISTER PRESENTS NATIONAL INFO-TECHNOLOGY AWARD TO PSA

Singapore Prime Minister Lee Hsien Loong has presented PSA Singapore Terminals – the world's largest container transshipment hub - with the award for "Most Innovative Use of Info-communications (Infocomm) Technology in the Private Sector" at the 2006 National Infocomm Awards (NIA).

PSA's winning entry Collaborative Port Community Solution™ is the world's first nation-wide business to business (B2B) port community solution, which enables cross-community process integration. This solution extends beyond Singapore, to connect and facilitate seamless interactions between the port and shipping community and their global partners.

Mr Eddie Teh, Group CEO, PSA International, said, "The Collaborative Port Community Solution™ developed by PSA is helping to transform the Port of Singapore into an iHub. By providing a collaborative suite of solutions, we hope to enable the entire port, shipping and logistics community to optimise their resources by providing them with interactive access to real-time information. We would like to thank the community for accepting the suite of solutions and using them extensively. PSA will continue to invest in automation technology and intelligent systems to benefit our customers and their customers. Collectively, we will meet the exacting demands of the global marketplace and enhance Singapore's status as a hub port."

With 8,000 integrated users and about 90 million transactions a year, the solution uses infocomm technology innovatively to simplify, synchronise and integrate complex processes – from the moving and tracking of cargo, to the real time integration of processes and synchronisation of millions of activities.

The solution is powered by proven and reliable technologies such as:

- Internet business-to-business integration services – for real time integration of information exchange
- Business Process Engine – to proactively manage business activities and provide alerts to exceptions
- Mobility Technology – to extend access to mobile devices, such as personal digital assistants (PDAs) and mobile phones
- Clustering Technology - to provide high availability and reliability

It is projected that through the use of The Collaborative Port Community Solution™, the entire port and shipping community in Singapore will save more than S\$100 million over a three-year period.

The National Infocomm Awards (NIA), first started in 2002, are jointly organised every two years by the Infocomm Development Authority of Singapore (IDA) and the Singapore infocomm Technology Federation (SiTF). It is considered by industry professionals to be the "Oscars" of the Singapore technology sector. This year's ceremony was held at the Singapore Expo exhibition and convention centre, today. Accepting the award on behalf of PSA was Mr Tan Puay Hin, Chief Operating Officer, Singapore Terminals. The awards recognise private and public sector organisations in Singapore which have harnessed the capabilities of infocomm technologies to improve their business effectiveness and efficiencies.

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About PSA International

PSA International is one of the leading port operators in the world. With its flagship operations in PSA Singapore Terminals and PSA HNN, PSA operates an extensive global network of 20 port projects in 11 countries across Asia and Europe. Employing the finest talents in the industry, PSA delivers reliable and best-in-class service to its customers and develops win-win relationships with its partners. As the port operator of choice in the world's gateway hubs, PSA is "The World's Port of Call". In 2005 and 2006, PSA International was voted "Best Global Container

Terminal Operator" at the Asian Freight & Supply Chain Awards. In 2005, PSA handled 41.2 million TEUs of containers worldwide. Please visit us at www.internationalpsa.com

About PSA Singapore Terminals

PSA Singapore Terminals is the world's largest container transshipment hub. It links shippers to an excellent network of 200 shipping lines with connections to 600 ports in 123 countries. Shippers have access to daily sailings to every major port in the world at this mega hub. Its position as a standard-bearer of excellence in port operations has consistently been recognised by the shipping community. It was voted 'Container Terminal of the Year' for the fourth time at the 2006 Asia Logistics Award, 'Best Container Terminal (Asia)' for the 17th time at the 2006 Asian Freight & Supply Chain Awards, and 'Best Container Terminal Operator' at the Lloyd's List Maritime Asia Awards 2005 for the sixth time since its inauguration in 1999. In 2005, PSA Singapore Terminals handled 22.3 million TEUs. Website: www.singaporepsa.com

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