



Best Tel And Aztec/repair Join Forces To Enhance The Telecommunications Systems Of Small To Mid Size Businesses

*Telecommunications Leader Finds
Another Way To Pass
Cost Savings On To Customers*

MEDFORD, OR — July 27, 2004 — Best Tel, an industry leader in telecommunications, announced today that the company has joined forces with Aztec/repair, a leading telephone and telephone system repair, refurbisher, and equipment provider, to enhance the telecommunications systems of small to mid size businesses. The strategic partnership enables Best Tel to pass on significant cost savings to current and potential customers.

Best Tel's status as a premier member of Technology Assurance Group (TAG), a national association of 80 independently owned telecommunications companies, enables the organization to access a variety of benefits provided by Aztec/repair including special pricing, expedited turn-around time and return delivery and personal technical support and service. These benefits are then passed on to customers particularly in greater service and cost savings.

"Valuable relationships like the one with Aztec/repair enables us to reduce our costs and offer customers a 5 year parts and labor warranty. This means that we have the unique ability of protecting each customer's telecommunications investment and ensure the highest level of quality in the marketplace," said Chuck Whiteley, managing partner of Best

Tel. "By finding ways to reduce our costs we can increase our service level and our added value to customer base."

Aztec/repair has over 20 years of experience in the telephone system repair and refurbishing business. The company acts as a factory authorized service center for Toshiba, Telrad, and Vodavi telecommunications systems under major contracts for factory repair. Aztec/repair also has a long history of repairing and refurbishing equipment for most other manufacturers including NEC, Nortel, Mitel, Avaya, and Samsung. Additionally, the company's factory is equipped with state-of-the-art Automated Test Equipment (ATE) to ensure quality.

"We're thrilled to have the opportunity to deliver special services at discounted rates for Best Tel," stated Les Asher, president of Aztec/repair. "By continually looking for ways to fulfill the telecommunications needs of all businesses, Best Tel has truly separated themselves from the competition. They have added another dimension of helping customers increase their profitability."

ABOUT AZTEC/REPAIR

Aztec/repair, has more than 20 years of experience in the telephone and telephone system repair and refurbishing business. Our dedication and attention to detail has rewarded us with three major contracts for factory repair: TOSHIBA

Telecommunications, VODAVI Technology and TELRAD/Analog. In addition we repair all major brands including: TIE Communications; Nortel; Avaya; Samsung; and others. Our factory is equipped with state-of-the art ATE (Automated Test Equipment) and the ability to rework all SMT devices.

Aztec Repair: Service -
Commitment - Quality.

ABOUT BEST TEL, LLC

Chuck Whiteley and his business partner, Dennis Poulin, are owners of Best-Tel LLC, a member of the Technology Assurance Group (TAG). Best-Tel has built a team of professional voice and data specialists dedicated to the highest levels of customer support. Best-Tel's pattern of steady growth reflects their commitment to keeping pace with the constantly evolving telecommunications technology arena, and the dramatic expansion of the Pacific Northwest's business market. With offices located along the I-5 Corridor in Portland, Eugene, Medford, and Seattle, Best Tel is uniquely positioned to respond quickly and effectively to a wide range of customer equipment and service requirements.