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Exegin Certifies Its ZigBee Platform

Vancouver, Canada - October 1, 2008 – Exegin announced the certification of its ZigBee® stack software and Q52/Q53 bridge/gateway hardware as a ZigBee PRO compliant platform.

Exegin's ZigBee stack was specifically designed for more powerful 32-bit systems that provide central services in personal area networks (PANs). It is the first in the industry with a bridging layer that supports multiple ZigBee radios, both real and virtual, within a single PAN and implements the ZigBee Alliance's ZIPT internet bridge transport layer.

Applications can be quickly deployed with Exegin's hardware, a compact 32-bit PowerPC microcontroller with Ethernet and twin 802.15.4 interfaces and 2.4GHz or 900MHz radios. Application software such as an Energy Service Portal or a TCP/IP service can be developed using open-source development tools. Hardware and operating system abstraction layers simplify the porting of the stack to other RISC processors (ARM®, MIPS®, etc.) and other operating systems.

"Certification of our ZigBee compliant platform is an essential part of our hardware and software business. We can now ship products that connect ZigBee PANs and host-based applications over TCP/IP networks, allowing ZigBee devices from many different manufacturers to be commissioned and managed from across a room or across an ocean." said Les Mulder, Exegin's president.

About Exegin

Exegin Technologies Limited is a provider of ZigBee connectivity technology, based in Vancouver, B.C. Canada. Its gateway, bridge, and protocol analyzer solutions allow clients to connect to and interact with PANs using internet-based host applications and other ZigBee PANs. Exegin is a long standing member of the ZigBee Alliance and participates actively in the development of ZigBee/IP gateway and bridge specifications.

For more information please visit <http://www.exegin.com>

ZigBee: Wireless Control That Simply Works

The ZigBee Alliance is an association of companies working together to enable reliable, cost effective, low-power, wirelessly networked monitoring and control products based on an open global standard. The ZigBee Alliance is a rapidly growing, non-profit industry consortium of leading semiconductor manufacturers, technology providers, OEMs, and end-users worldwide. Membership is open to all.

Additional information can be found at <http://www.zigbee.org>.