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## **Åre Network deploys Redline's RedMAX™ network in Sweden**

*-- Åre Network and DataEquipment roll out first licensed, certified 802.16-2004 network using Redline's advanced WiMAX products --*

**TORONTO, ON – February 7, 2007** - Redline Communications (AIM:REDL), a leading provider of standards-based broadband wireless equipment, today announced that Åre Network has chosen Redline's RedMAX™ products for one of the first WiMAX networks in Sweden. Åre Network will deliver high-speed Internet and VoIP services to thousands of consumers and businesses in the Jämtland region, the location of the 2007 FIS Alpine World Ski Championship. DataEquipment, Redline's certified, Value Added Distributor in Nordic countries is providing local logistics and post-sales operations support to roll out the WiMAX Forum Certified™ RedMAX network.

Åre Network joins the growing number of emerging network operators that are choosing 802.16-2004 solutions to quickly establish broadband wireless networks that offer the features and performance they need to offer advanced communications services. Åre Network selected Redline's proven WiMAX Forum Certified™ RedMAX system to deliver advanced broadband wireless voice, video and data services to the geographically challenging region of Jämtland. The community of Nordannälden is the first phase in the deployment of Åre Network's regional WiMAX network that will eventually bring advanced broadband wireless connectivity to the entire Jämtland area.

"Redline is the first to deliver true 802.16-2004-certified, state-of-the-art WiMAX products that we can commercially deploy today," says Mårten Saflund, founder and Managing Director, Åre Network. "RedMAX's ability to deliver carrier-class network services such as toll quality voice solutions will enable Åre Network to meet the growing demand in challenging rural environments. With this solution, Åre expects to quickly roll out services and become the leading operator in deploying high-performance, licensed WiMAX networks in Sweden."

"With more than 100 deployment and trials around the world, RedMAX is among the most widely-deployed WiMAX Forum Certified™ systems, and meets the strict performance requirements for robust, secure connections required by carriers to support today's advanced communications," states Kevin Suitor, Vice President, Marketing and Business Development, Redline Communications. "RedMAX is trusted by more major operators around the world to deliver increasingly advanced communications services and scalability to grow their subscriber base over time."

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In addition to deploying Redline's RedMAX Systems to deliver broadband wireless access to businesses and residents, Åre Network chose has deployment Redline's RedCONNEX products to serve as backhaul for its existing wireless broadband networks in Sweden.

### **Redline's RedMAX™ Family**

Redline's RedMAX family of WiMAX solutions includes the world's first complete system to receive the WiMAX Forum Certified™ mark for conformance to the WiMAX standards for performance and interoperability. Redline's carrier-class RedMAX Base Station (AN-100U) supports voice, video, and prioritized data traffic, enabling long-range, high-capacity wireless broadband networks. Redline's WiMAX products also include the RedMAX Indoor Subscriber Unit (SU-I) and Outdoor Subscriber Unit (SU-O) designed for enterprise and residential services. The RedMAX Management Suite enables operators to monitor and control the network, ensuring high service availability. Redline is maintaining its WiMAX leadership with the expansion of its RedMAX family to include products for additional frequency bands, applications and standards.

### **RedCONNEX™**

Redline's RedCONNEX family of broadband wireless infrastructure products include the new AN-80i point-to-point system, the AN-50e high speed wireless point-to-point (PTP) and point to multipoint (PMP) Ethernet bridge, and the AN-30e carrier-grade TDM backhaul solution for mobility and enterprise network operators.

### **About Åre Network**

Åre Network AB is a pioneer wireless operator specializing in broadband access in under-served regions. The company operates commercial Fixed Wireless Access networks including backhaul, using WiMAX and pre-WiMAX equipment. Åre Network is a privately held company with its head office in Åre, Sweden. For more information, visit [www.are-network.net](http://www.are-network.net).

### **About DataEquipment**

DataEquipment was founded in 1983 and has been deploying wireless networks for enterprise and carrier networks for 8 years. With offices in Stockholm, Sweden and Oslo, Norway, the company provides specialized technical support for wireless network operations. For more information, visit [www.dataequipment.se](http://www.dataequipment.se).

### **About Redline Communications**

Redline Communications is the leading provider of standards-based wireless broadband solutions. Redline's RedMAX™ WiMAX Forum Certified™ systems and award-winning RedCONNEX™ family of broadband wireless infrastructure products enable service providers and other network operators to cost-effectively deliver high-bandwidth services including voice, video and data communications. Redline is committed to maintaining its wireless industry leadership with the continued development of WiMAX and other advanced wireless broadband products. With more than 35,000 installations in 75 countries, and a global network of over 100 partners, Redline's experience and expertise helps service providers, enterprises and government organizations roll out the services and applications that drive their business forward. For more information, visit [www.redlinecommunications.com](http://www.redlinecommunications.com).