



## **Lawson and ComActivity shake hands in ANZ partnership deal**

**Sydney, 26 November 2009** – Lawson Software (Nasdaq: LWSN) today signed a partnership agreement with ComActivity, a leading provider of enterprise resource planning-related services and software solutions, to deliver services to customers in Australia and New Zealand. The new alliance is part of Lawson's strategy to build its partner network in the Asia Pacific region and around the world.

With global headquarters in Sweden, ComActivity's experienced team of consultants will work with Lawson Professional Services (LPS) consultants to deliver a wide range of business services and solutions to customers throughout Australia and New Zealand in industries such as food, fashion, manufacturing and distribution, as well as equipment service management and rental.

"Partners play an important role in Lawson's growth strategy. Our customers in the ANZ region will benefit from the combination of the skills and capability of both organisations, which brings together hundreds of years of Lawson M3 consulting excellence," said Axel van der Smagt, Services Director, Australia & New Zealand, Lawson Software. "The agreement we have signed is based on Lawson and ComActivity working together to make our customers stronger through the delivery of world-class solutions."

ComActivity has an experienced team of consultants and offers a solution that adds a development environment that can interact with Lawson M3 applications. Similar to Lawson iBrix and Landmark "on screen" integration solutions, the ComActivity offering assists with the development of custom components to meet specific customer needs.

"Our mission is to address the growing need in the Australian and New Zealand markets for vertically aligned ERP solutions that add value," said Christer Liden, CEO of ComActivity, Australia and New Zealand. "Together with the LPS team of consultants, our innovative approach and complete customer focus means we are ideally positioned to blend business expertise with cutting edge software to enable rapid development of powerful and flexible systems."

Lawson's partnership with ComActivity will take effect immediately.

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### **About Comactivity**

ComActivity Australia delivers business application solutions to the Manufacturing, Distribution and Heavy Maintenance industries. Blending the power of ComActivity's Business Process Platform with a committed team of highly experienced consultants, ComActivity delivers increased productivity, improved bottom line and a fast ROI. The ComActivity Business Process Platform can be rapidly implemented to transform business applications, making them more flexible, more functional and easier to use. Comactivity's consulting team is completely focused on delivering operational excellence to business and have years of experience in delivering high value results. For more information, please visit: [www.comactivity.com.au](http://www.comactivity.com.au).

### **About Lawson Software**

Lawson Software provides software and service solutions to 4,500 customers in healthcare, manufacturing, distribution, maintenance, public sector and service sector industries across 40 countries. Lawson's solutions include Enterprise Performance Management, Human Capital Management, Supply Chain Management, Enterprise Resource Planning, Customer Relationship Management, Manufacturing Resource Planning, Enterprise Asset Management and industry-tailored applications. Lawson solutions assist customers in simplifying their businesses or organizations by helping them streamline processes, reduce costs and enhance business or operational performance. Lawson is headquartered in St. Paul, Minn., and has offices around the world. Visit Lawson online at [www.lawson.com](http://www.lawson.com).

### **Forward-Looking Statements**

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