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## IDC Global announces its Low Latency network (TSL<sup>SM</sup>) between Chicago and New York

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In response to the demand for ultra-low latency connectivity between financial trading centers in Chicago and New York City, IDC Global has expanded its network offering through development of its Trading at the Speed of Light (TSL<sup>SM</sup>) network. The TSL<sup>SM</sup> network has been specifically designed for high-frequency algorithmic trading strategies where attaining the lowest possible latency is a requirement for successful trading.

Integration with landing points at the leading financial markets' nerve centers and interconnection points, IDC Global's own fiber network and colocation facilities, and connectivity to all of the financial trading centers, TSL<sup>SM</sup> provides the most comprehensive - lowest latency, highest bandwidth, most cost effective, purpose built - network available in the marketplace - guaranteed. Service offerings start at 100Mbps up to 10Gbps waves and can be customized to customers' unique requirements. Look for TSL<sup>2SM</sup> with sub 16ms latency in 2010.

IDC Global also offers diverse and redundant paths with higher latency for customers seeking the highest reliability through multiple feeds to their market data. With its facility in London and multiple international carriers, IDC Global's TSL<sup>SM</sup> network is able to provide low latency and diverse paths to European exchanges.

### ***About IDC Global***

With two owned and operated colocation data center facilities in Chicago, points of presence in Chicago, New York, and London, its own metro optical fiber network, connectivity to global financial market data sources, and computing and data storage resources, IDC Global is a leading provider of Information Technology infrastructure to multi location enterprises, telecom carriers, and High Availability web based systems.

IDC Global provides its customers a single source for the most complex of IT services. From private, multi-carrier, multi-technology wide area networks to High Density colocation; from redundant and virtualized server farms to network timing. Through IDC Global's carrier neutral facilities, customers have access to all of the national and international telecom carriers and major peering points. IDC Global provides high reliability, low latency networks for the most time critical of applications. IDC Global is a privately held company with headquarters in suburban Chicago. TSL<sup>SM</sup> and TSL<sup>2SM</sup> are service marks of IDC Global, Inc.