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## Mimos WiWi Technologi Platform Ready For Nationwide Commercialisation

MIMOS has announced that its WiWi Technology Platform – the world's first hybrid WiFi and WiMAX solution which operates on 2.3 GHz frequency designed as an alternative for last mile broadband connectivity to accelerate Malaysia's broadband ecosystem – is ready for nationwide commercialisation.



Deputy Minister of Science, Technology and Innovation Tuan Haji Fadillah Yusof (left) who was representing MOSTI Minister, Dato' Maximus Ongkili officiating the launch of MIMOS WiWi Technology Platform with MIMOS Chairman Dato' Suriah Abdul Rahman (right) and MIMOS President & CEO Dato' Abdul Wahab Abdullah (middle).

"This is in line with MIMOS current focus on the process of technology transfer for commercialisation aimed at creating a funnel of innovations to push our indigenous industries to the global market," said MIMOS President and Chief Executive, Dato' Abdul Wahab Abdullah.

In conjunction with the launch of MIMOS WiWi Technology Platform today, MIMOS exchanged collaboration agreements with three WiMAX operators namely REDtone International Berhad, Packet One Networks (Malaysia) Sdn Bhd (P1) and Asiaspace Sdn Bhd.

With low cost of deployment advantage, MIMOS WiWi Technology Platform can be further developed as a solution to bridge the digital divide. Towards this end, MIMOS WiWi Technology Platform is expected to be part of the national roll-out of the Broadband for General Population (BBGP) initiative which is in line with the

national broadband target of 50% household penetration by 2010.

MIMOS WiWi Technology Platform can be further developed into applications for enabling broadband Internet connectivity in a community-type environment or rural areas. With Internet Protocol version 6 (IPv6) data access, it can provide cheaper calls via Voice over IP (VoIP) between users; and with patented multicasting capability it can provide efficient and high quality IPTV without the need for investments in bigger transmission links.

MIMOS WiWi technology platform has a high capacity access network architecture which offers a hybrid network approach to support any compatible off-the-shelf WiMAX or even any other technologies such as Asymmetric digital subscriber line (ADSL), WiFi, High-Speed Downlink Packet Access (HSDPA) as the backhaul and WiFi (access) module.