

## HNC RETEK Retail Solutions Announces Strategic Partnership with Infosys Technologies LTD.

### Retail Management Solution Leader Teams with Infosys to Service Retail Software Industry

*Fremont, Calif. – Aug 23, 1999* -- HNC Retek Retail Solutions, a leading retail management solution provider and business unit of HNC Software (NASDAQ: HNCS), today announced a strategic partnership with Infosys Technologies Ltd. (NASDAQ: INFY), a leading software consulting firm. As a result of this partnership, Infosys will support HNC Retek implementations and product development.

"HNC Retek's management solutions, implemented worldwide at more than 70 retailers, have been successful in part because of our careful selection of partners," commented Victor Holysh, HNC Retek's Vice President of Services. "Our partnership with Infosys is another way we will deliver bottom-line benefits to the retail industry," he added.

Infosys will focus on the interfaces and data management components of the implementation services. The company will also form an HNC Retek Product Competency Center that will be available to execute multiple implementation support projects on an ongoing basis. Infosys and HNC Retek will also establish a co-marketing relationship to maximize sales opportunities.

"This partnership reiterates Infosys' commitment to delivering quality solutions to the retail market," stated Phaneesh Murthy, Senior Vice President Worldwide Sales for Infosys. Infosys' experience in retail for companies including Nordstrom, The Gap and J C Penney, coupled with its collaborative computing model, will bring a new dimension to small and medium retailers. "Together with HNC Retek we will be able to offer good, timely solutions to the retail industry," Murthy observed.

#### **About Infosys Technologies (NASDAQ: INFY)**

Infosys Technologies Ltd. is a publicly-held company and a world leader in providing software consulting and software services to Fortune 1000 companies. Infosys offers software services including application development (on a fixed time and fixed fee basis), ecommerce and Internet consulting, software maintenance, and offshore software development centers. The company employs more than 4000 people worldwide and is ISO 9001 certified.

Infosys has been certified at Level 4, a level achieved by only 3% of the more than 1,000 software companies tested under the Capability Maturity Model of the Software Engineering Institute (SEI). By using a global delivery model, the company leverages software factories in different parts of the world to provide high quality, rapid time to market solutions at affordable prices. Infosys' US headquarters is located in Fremont, California; the company also maintains offices throughout the US, Europe and Asia. For more information, contact Infosys Technologies at 510 770 3673 or visit Infosys on the World Wide Web at [www.itlinfosys.com](http://www.itlinfosys.com).

#### **About HNC Retek Retail Solutions**

HNC Retek is a leading supplier of predictive enterprise-wide retail management solutions. The HNC Retek Predictive Enterprise Solution is client/server-based, using Oracle tools and database, and supports full NetPC/Web/Java functionality. HNC Retek's predictive solutions provide improved decision-making capability throughout the supply chain. For more information, visit [www.retek.com](http://www.retek.com) or call 1-877-Enable2.

**About HNC Software**

Headquartered in San Diego, California, HNC Software Inc. (NASDAQ:HNCS) is the world's leading provider of Predictive Software Solutions for service industries, including financial, retail, insurance, Internet and telecommunications. HNC's suite of Predictive Software Solutions can provide real-time insight into customer relationships based on transaction-level data, helping business-to-consumer companies manage their relationships with individual customers. By accurately predicting customer behaviors, these companies can create initiatives to mitigate risk and attrition; improve customer service; develop marketing programs to enhance profitability; optimize store replenishment activities, and detect fraudulent customer transactions.

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