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## Legerity Joins the DSL Forum

AUSTIN, TEXAS, April 16, 2007 — Legerity, Inc., the "V" in VoIP!<sup>™</sup>, today announced that it has joined the DSL Forum, the industry consortium dedicated to developing the full potential of broadband through standards for architecture, interoperability and support of next generation applications such as VoIP and IPTV. Made up of approximately 200 broadband industry leaders, the DSL Forum maximizes the effectiveness in deployment, reach and application support of Digital Subscriber Line (DSL) and alternative broadband technologies.

Legerity brings to the DSL Forum more than 27 years of circuit design experience within the telephony industry, including residential gateway and carrier-access products and xDSL line drivers, and will serve to further promote the development of industry standards. The company's participation in the DSL Forum complements its activities with other industry working groups and standards bodies through which Legerity is contributing to the advancement of important market issues.

"The DSL Forum continues to pave the way in driving new developments within the industry and we look forward to being a partner in moving the technology forward," said Rick Bye, senior segment marketing manager and Legerity representative to the DSL Forum. "Legerity is excited to be a part of this important, collaborative forum."

"The DSL Forum welcomes Legerity's industry expertise and perspective on the marketplace to help further evolve the DSL architecture," said George Dobrowski, chairman and president of the DSL Forum. "With Legerity's history of voice line innovation, we look forward to their support and engagement as we work to strengthen the standards for voice delivery via broadband."

Current Legerity solutions include voice line interface circuits for customer premise equipment such as DSL Integrated Access Devices that feature metallic loop (or line) testing software which can enable service providers to easily diagnose and resolve problems, resulting in lower customer support costs and reduced churn from unhappy customers.

## About Legerity, Inc.

Legerity is the world's most trusted name in voice integrated circuits (ICs) for high-voltage, analog/mixed signal semiconductor and software technologies. Legerity has years of demonstrated expertise in multiple voice technologies, world-class factory and field engineering support with a "high touch" customer philosophy, and consistent, reliable, high volume supply of premium quality IC components. Headquartered in Austin, Texas, Legerity supports the needs of a global customer base through proprietary semiconductor technologies, superior manufacturing processes, and more than 650 U.S. and international patents. Visit Legerity on the Web at www.legerity.com.

## About the DSL Forum

DSL Forum tailors broadband to meet the needs of the next generation of multi-media services, providers and the online community. Its BroadbandSuite initiative provides end-to-end specifications - Control, Access and Home - for DSL and other technologies. By forging agreement on common technical requirements for all access technologies, network and equipment providers and by embracing new applications, the Forum works to define specifications, and share best practices that set the stage for effective deployments and for continued global broadband growth. Established in 1994, the DSL Forum is an international industry consortium of over 200 leading service providers, equipment manufacturers and other interested parties. www.dslforum.org.

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