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### **Evertz provides End-to-End Solutions for COMUX new Multi-Channel Playout Facility**

United Kingdom – On November 26th Comux UK, the UK local TV multiplex operator, launched the first Local TV Channel in UK using Evertz end-to-end solutions. Comux and Evertz partnered to develop a new multi-channel playout centre at the Innovation Birmingham Campus, which allows any local broadcaster to remotely access a full range of content management services.

Comux's new playout facility is based on an end-to-end Evertz system providing multi-channel playout, content management, monitoring and control. The Comux facility allows local broadcasters to provide a mixture of live and pre-recorded content to the playout centre over a private IP-based network. The content is then scheduled and broadcast live to the national network of transmitters.

Chris Romilly, CTO Comux UK said "To undertake this installation within these timescales was a huge achievement – the Evertz team was great, working long hours and never seeming to leave their keyboards."

Comux has deployed Evertz three-screen software solution which is comprised of Mediator for content management and multi-channel playout; VUE a customizable graphical interface for reactive control; and VistaLINK PRO the Network Management System (NMS). Evertz three-screen solution offered tight integration between the key control software elements allowing Comux to operate a flexible and efficient service. Throughout the facility, the web based workflow tool Mediator is being used by local broadcasters to provide comprehensive management reporting which is relayed back to Comux operational staff. In addition, Evertz' VUE interface has combined all control functions into a simple to use control surface which can be easily customized to meet Comux's needs. VistaLINK PRO has been deployed at the facility for the overall system management on a 'Monitoring by Exception' basis allowing staff to focus on the task at hand.

In addition, OvertureRT LIVE has been deployed in the new facility for integrated playout and branding, as well as an Evertz Xenon routing platform and modular infrastructure. For control and operation of all the devices in the facility, Comux has deployed Evertz MAGNUM unified facility control to bridge the components from a single point of control.

Evertz provided all professional services for design, installation and support from the Evertz UK regional office, located in the Winnersh Triangle, Reading UK.

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#### **About Evertz**

Evertz Technologies Limited (TSX: ET) designs, manufactures and markets video and audio infrastructure solutions for the television, telecommunications and new-media industries. Evertz provides complete end-to-end solutions to content creators, broadcasters, specialty channels and television service providers to support their increasingly complex multi-channel digital and high definition television ("HDTV") broadcast environments and by telecommunications and new-media companies. Evertz' products allow its customers to generate additional revenue while reducing costs through the more efficient signal routing, distribution, monitoring and management of content as well as the automation of previously manual processes. For additional information, visit <http://www.evertz.com>

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