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**GoAhead Announces Partnership with Leading Network Signaling Software Provider
*Ulticom and GoAhead Pre-Validate to Help TEMs Gain Edge over Proprietary Solutions***

BELLEVUE, Wash. – January 31, 2006 – GoAhead® Software, the expert in building integrated middleware for highly available systems, today announced that Ulticom Inc. (NASDAQ: ULCM), the premier provider of network signaling software solutions, has become a GoAhead Application Ready Platform partner as a member of the GoAhead Integration Alliance. Through rigorous testing, GoAhead and Ulticom will validate interoperability between SelfReliant®, GoAhead's application-ready, high availability platform, and Ulticom's portfolio of Signalware products.

The GoAhead Integration Alliance (GIA) is designed to provide telecom equipment manufacturers (TEMs) with the added value of an application ready platform that is built with standards-based, commercial-off-the-shelf (COTS) components that have been pre-validated to work with SelfReliant, the high availability middleware solution for telecom equipment manufacturers requiring 99.999% or greater availability.

"GoAhead is committed to increasing value in our already comprehensive high availability application ready platform deployed on more than 10,000 nodes worldwide," stated Jim Ewel, GoAhead CEO. "We are excited to work towards product compatibility with Ulticom. Together, GoAhead SelfReliant and Ulticom Signalware will equip TEMs with the ability to speed their time to market and enable them to reallocate precious resources on value-added services."

Combined with Ulticom's Signalware product portfolio, an integrated signaling platform that supports the development and deployment of carrier-grade applications based on SS7, SIGTRAN, SIP and Diameter protocols, the two solutions enable equipment providers to gain a competitive advantage by utilizing a pre-integrated platform that can be brought to market quicker by reducing the resources needed for development and integration.

"To meet the demand for new services, Network Equipment Providers (NEPs) are building platforms based on standards-based modules," says Osman Duman, vice president of marketing for Ulticom. "The integration required to ensure interoperability and overall performance of these modules is a significant undertaking. By pre-validating our products work together, Ulticom and GoAhead are enabling NEPs to obtain a significant advantage over competitors implementing proprietary solutions."

About GoAhead

GoAhead® Software is the expert in building integrated middleware for telecom equipment manufacturers and military/aerospace equipment contractors requiring extremely high availability. By providing a fully integrated, application ready platform, GoAhead products and services help equipment manufacturers achieve faster time to market and lower development costs. Deployed on more than 10,000 nodes worldwide, GoAhead delivers the software and the expertise necessary to ensure success for a broad range of development projects such as wireless base station controllers, softswitches, defense applications and industrial controllers. GoAhead is a privately held company with headquarters in Bellevue, Washington. For more information on GoAhead, visit www.goahead.com or call 425-453-1900.

About Ulticom, Inc.

Ulticom provides service-enabling signaling software for wireless, wireline, and Internet communications. Ulticom's products are used by leading telecommunication equipment and service providers worldwide to deploy mobility, location, payment, switching, and messaging services. Traded on NASDAQ as ULCM, Ulticom is headquartered in Mount Laurel, NJ with additional offices in the United States, Europe, and Asia. For more information, visit <http://www.ulticom.com>.

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