



Global Satellite Solutions

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NEWSAT APPOINTS NEW INDEPENDENT NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

NewSat Limited (ASX: NWT, OTCQX: NWTLY), Australia's satellite company, is pleased to announce the appointment of Patrick McVeigh as an Independent Non-Executive Director, effective immediately.

Mr McVeigh brings over 30 years of experience in high technology and telecommunications industries to the NewSat Board. He was the President and CEO of Palmsource (NASDAQ: PSRC), the developer of the Palm OS, transforming the company from a developer of proprietary handset OS's to a leader in the development of Linux based open source mobile operating systems.

Prior to Palmsource, Mr McVeigh served as CEO of Aliph, the developer of the "Jawbone" headset for mobile phones and was Chairman and CEO of OmniSky (NASDAQ: OMNY), where he developed and executed the launch of the first US nationwide wireless ISP in partnership with AT&T and Verizon. Further, Mr McVeigh has held senior roles at technology companies SoonR, Palm Computing, Knowledge Adventure and Apple Computer, where he worked for over 10 years in sales and marketing.

More recently Mr McVeigh has served as an advisor to Warburg Pincus, where he advised the company on investments related to infrastructure, applications and semi-conductors in the mobile telecommunications sector. He also served on the Board of Directors and as an advisor to companies in the Warburg Pincus portfolio. Currently Mr McVeigh serves as a Non-Executive Director at FastaCash, The Hunt and GroundCntrl, and is an advisor to a number of other high-tech start-ups.

About NewSat:

NewSat is Australia's largest pure-play satellite communications company, delivering internet, voice, data and video communications via satellite. With award winning and unique-to-Australia teleport infrastructure, NewSat has a reputation as the partner of choice for enterprise and government customers around the world. Today, NewSat provides secure and reliable connectivity to 75% of the globe.

NewSat will be expanding its satellite capabilities with the Jabiru Satellite Program. Set to launch Australia's first commercial Ka-band satellite, Jabiru-1 will provide high-powered, flexible capacity over the MENA and Jabiru-2, launched in 2014, will deliver highly targeted coverage across Australasia. For more information, please visit www.newsat.com

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