

### ASX ANNOUNCEMENT

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# Norwood Wins Enhanced Software Development Contract

'Sharing Economy' and 'Communications as a Service' pioneer Norwood Systems Ltd (Norwood or the Company) (ASX: NOR) is pleased to announce that it has received a further \$170,000 contract for software development services from Perth-based Avicena Systems (Avicena), in relation to the Avicena Sentinel pathogen screening instrument.

Under the contract, Norwood will further develop and enhance the software functionality of the Avicena Sentinel's Automated Lamp Testing System (ALTS), which enables the pathogen screening instrument to deliver up to 100,000 assays daily.

On 16 December 2020, Norwood announced to the market it had secured a \$100,000 contract with Avicena to develop the 'operational prototype' requirements of the ALTS.

This subsequent contract is to take the software to a stage where ALTS systems can be deployed for validation and research purposes, and is expected to be completed by mid-June 2021. Other than the development of the requisite software functionality, there are no material conditions to be satisfied prior to the contract completing.

ALTS facilitates low-cost genetic or viral screening services for population-scale health initiatives, and Avicena aims to address the global molecular assay diagnostic and screening market.

Norwood's CEO and Founder, Paul Ostergaard, who is also a director of Avicena, said:

"Completion of the initial contract and the award of this contract illustrates that Norwood and Avicena can partner to successfully deliver innovative solutions which benefit the broader community.

"Norwood is pleased to be able to contribute to the global effort against the pandemic.

"The continued evolution of the ALTS work has the potential to unlock further high-value opportunities for Norwood in this market segment."

This announcement is authorised for release by Paul Ostergaard, Managing Director and CEO of Norwood.

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Norwood Systems provides voice, messaging and data services to consumers, enterprises and carriers globally, leveraging its' federated telecommunications services network partnerships. Our mission is to deliver disruptive end-user communications apps that streamline and simplify how users around the world can access affordable, high-quality telecommunications services – anywhere, anytime.

Norwood has solutions that service Enterprise, Telco and Partner channels.

Our <u>Enterprise Solutions</u> deliver powerful, yet simple corporate communications platform to make communications more cost effective, easier to manage, and regulatory compliant. This is all made possible by Corona<sup>®</sup> Cloud and Corona GTS, with its suite of mobility Apps.

Norwood Systems' innovative <u>Telco Solution</u> addresses all three categories of telecommunication provider. Major carriers, mobile virtual network operators (MVNOs), and Data-only providers.

Finally, our <u>Partner Solutions</u> are designed for the forward looking, customer driven Travel and Loyalty partner, providing an easy way to invigorate brand offerings with App based benefits.

Norwood Systems listed on the ASX in June 2015 and trades with the stock ticker NOR.