



## **MEDIA RELEASE**

### **Capital Market Solutions launches stand-alone Omgeo OGD gateway**

**06 September 2005** - Capital Market Solutions Limited (CMS), a leading provider of software and services to both the buy and sell side community, today launched its new Trade Execution And Allocation Manager (TEAM) solution. The first component of TEAM is the Omgeo OASYS Global Direct gateway, which has successfully passed Omgeo's conformance testing.

Commenting on the relationship with Omgeo, Ralph Horne, CEO of CMS, stated, "Omgeo has been at the forefront of the drive to improve STP in the post trade environment and we are delighted to be working with them on this new development. The buy-side is placing increasing emphasis on the requirement for speed and accuracy in the confirmation process and we are confident TEAM will play a crucial role to assist our customers in meeting these expectations."

CMS worked in partnership with Omgeo on the TEAM development and accreditation; the result is a stand-alone interface into Omgeo OASYS Global. TEAM will sit alongside a firm's core Trading or Settlement system, providing a standard gateway for one or more trade confirmation and allocation messaging services (Omgeo OASYS Global, FIX, SWIFT, Email, Fax, Proprietary Gateway, etc). This enables the user to standardize on one platform, which manages the interaction between multiple confirmation and allocation protocols.

Darryl Mueller, Managing Director for Omgeo in Asia stated, "Omgeo recognizes that partnering with other providers is essential to deliver customers true STP. CMS have developed a solution that will help many customers more effectively manage their post-trade processes."

Colin Camp, Business Development Director of Capital Market Solutions explained, "In order to improve STP levels within the industry a number of systems and confirmation standards have been deployed. Implementation of any of these requires significant changes to internal front or back office systems thereby resulting in higher IT costs; TEAM provides the answer to these problems by managing the transmission of ETC messages regardless of the channel, therefore saving on expensive changes to internal systems."

CMS has announced it has already secured one customer for TEAM, which is live and in production. Negotiations are ongoing with a number of other interested parties.

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## **About Capital Market Solutions**

Capital Market Solutions Limited (CMS) is a leading provider of both buy and sell side solutions to financial institutions primarily in the Asia Pacific region. Offices are located in Australia, Hong Kong, Malaysia, New Zealand, Singapore and the UK. CMS employs approximately 100 staff with extensive working knowledge and experience within the financial services IT industry. For further information about CMS, go to <http://www.capmsl.com>.

## **About Omgeo**

Omgeo is the leading provider of post-trade pre-settlement trade management solutions, processing over one million trades per day and serving 6,000 investment managers, broker/dealers and custodians in more than 40 countries. We partner closely with service providers, infrastructure suppliers, industry standards organizations, and our clients to increase operational efficiency and reduce risk for the world's investment management community through STP solutions. With 27 combined years of experience, Omgeo is the result of a global joint venture between The Depository Trust & Clearing Corporation (DTCC), the securities industry's respected utility, and Thomson Financial, a leading provider of financial workflow solutions. Our Board of Managers includes recognized global experts who provide industry oversight and help shape the vision of Omgeo. For more information about Omgeo's STP solutions, go to [http://\*\*www.omgeo.com\*\*](http://www.omgeo.com).