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CAL Business Solutions Invests in Microsoft Source Code Authorization Program to Reduce Development Costs for Microsoft Dynamics GP Customers

Harwinton, CT – October 20, 2008 -- CAL Business Solutions, a Connecticut-based Microsoft Gold Certified partner with expertise in accounting software solutions, today announced a significant investment in the Microsoft Source Code Authorization Program to become Source Code Authorized for Microsoft Dynamics GP financial management software. Of the approximately 2500 Microsoft Dynamics GP partners worldwide, only 3% are enrolled in the Source Code Program for Microsoft Dynamics GP.

“In order to customize complex financial software systems, companies typically must pay a development partner to reinvent the wheel,” said George Mackiewicz, CAL Business Solutions president. “If the development partner has access to the source code of the original program, then they can quickly and cleanly do custom development, and ultimately save their customers time and money.”

The Source Code Program will provide source code access for these Products from the core modules of Microsoft Dynamics GP; Field Service, Financials, Payroll, Human Resources, Fixed Assets, Smartlist, DynUtils, Revenue Expense Deferrals, Manufacturing, GP SQL Stored Procedures and Project Accounting, as well as tax updates and service packs.

According to Microsoft, the Source Code Program has a primary goal of providing Partners with access to some of the source code for certain Microsoft products for viewing purposes. According to Microsoft documentation the program is focused on maintaining low Total Cost of Ownership for our customers by protecting data integrity and allowing for seamless upgrades to newer versions of Microsoft Dynamics GP and Microsoft Small Business Financials.

“We believe that investment in the source code we will now be able to ‘open the hood’ of Microsoft Dynamics GP so that we can create even more complex custom solutions and reduce development costs for our clients,” added George Mackiewicz.

About CAL Business Solutions

Founded in 1982, CAL Business Solutions is a Connecticut based Microsoft Gold Certified partner dedicated to providing high-quality, affordable accounting software solutions. Since 1997 CAL has helped more than 200 organizations improve business productivity using Microsoft Dynamics GP (formerly Great Plains) financial management systems. A dedicated in-house development team, an on-site training center, a strong focus on providing seamless system integration and a commitment to outstanding customer service has helped CAL achieve membership in the prestigious Microsoft Dynamics President’s Club six times, recognizing the top 5% of Dynamics Partner worldwide.
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