



Press Release

HCL to implement Integrated Management Information System for Bangalore Development Authority

Faster access to records and more transparent systems for Bangalore citizens

Noida, April 8, 2005: HCL has been selected by the Bangalore Development Authority (BDA) to design, develop, implement and support an Integrated Management Information System to automate the business processes in its various departments. This association will reduce the current paper work by 80% for various business processes of BDA, thereby reducing the turnaround time.

Mr. M N Vidyashankar, BDA Commissioner, commenting on this announcement said, "HCL was chosen as the preferred bidder after a thorough technical evaluation of the bids, out of a number of offers received from world class players in the field."

Bejoy George, General Manager, Strategic Initiatives, HCL said, "HCL has proposed a 'workflow' based solution approach, (automatic flow of documents from one-stage-to-another based on certain guidelines defined by BDA), which gave us an edge over the other contenders for this prestigious project."

The project encompasses interfacing with the present IT infrastructure at BDA with respect to the existing applications, which are OCMS (an Application for Online Complaint Management), IVRS (Interactive Voice Response System, an application with voice response capabilities for complaint management), GIS - Geographical Information System and e-KIOSK (an application made available to public through KIOSKS set up at various locations throughout the city).

Bejoy George also added, "We are proud and honored that we have been chosen for this project by BDA, which has given us the opportunity to provide IT services which will benefit not only the BDA employees, but also the citizens of The Silicon Valley of India, who have long supported the local IT industry, including the 4000+ strong HCL family in Bangalore."



About HCL

HCL is one of the leading Global Technology and IT enterprises with annual revenues of around \$2.0 billion, with IT Products and Services contributing to revenues of \$1.1 billion. The HCL Enterprise comprises of two companies listed in India, HCL Technologies (www.hcltech.com) & HCL Infosystems (www.hclinfosystems.com). The 29-year-old enterprise, founded in 1976, is one of India's original IT garage start-ups. Its range of offerings span Product Engineering, Technology and Application Services, BPO, Infrastructure Services, IT Hardware, Systems Integration, and distribution of technology and telecom products in India. The HCL team comprises 24,000 professionals of diverse nationalities, who operate from 26 offices across 15 countries including 170 offices in India. HCL has global partnerships with several leading Fortune 1000 firms, including several IT and Technology majors.

HCL Technologies is one of India's leading global IT services company, providing software-led IT solutions, BPO and Infrastructure Management services. Making a foray into the services domain in 1997-98, HCL Technologies focuses on technology and R&D outsourcing, working with clients in areas at the core of their business. The company leverages an extensive offshore infrastructure and its global network to deliver solutions across select verticals including Banking, Insurance, Retail & Consumer, Aerospace, Automotive, Semiconductors, Telecom and Life Sciences. For the twelve-month period ended 31st December 2004, HCL Technologies along with its subsidiaries had revenues of \$ 664 million and 20,249 employees. For more information, please visit www.hcltech.com

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