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**6WIND APPOINTS NEW DIRECTOR TO REINFORCE BUSINESS OPERATIONS IN CHINA**

**Paris and Beijing, July 28, 2004** – 6WIND today announced the appointment of its new Director of Business Operations, Jane Xing Ye, based out of Beijing, to spearhead the company's business operations and growth strategy in the People's Republic of China. Jane brings with her over 15 years of experience in sales, customer support and marketing within the Internet and telecom industry.

Before joining 6WIND, Jane was Deputy General Manager for the Network Planning Department at China Netcom. Her main responsibilities included overall technical management as well as network and business strategy planning. Prior to China Netcom, Jane worked with Alcatel Singapore in the Carrier Internetworking Division as Network Consultant for the Asia-Pacific region, providing end-to-end network design and project support for Internet backbone infrastructures and participating in major projects for large local CLECs, ISPs and telcos. Prior to her regional positions, she was a Support Engineer with General Datacom in Hong-Kong and Shenzhen. She started her career as a Project Engineer with China Telecom and Shenda Telecom.

"China is an important catalyst for global IPv6 deployment and richer internet user services. To ensure that 6WIND serves its Chinese partners and customers well, we see Jane as an essential asset to complement our local support in China. Her in-depth knowledge of the telecommunications market in China combined with skills in technical sales and support make Jane the best candidate to drive the company's growth and support Chinese network equipment vendors to accelerate their access to v6 technologies and build robust networking products in the shortest time possible", said Alain Dasté, 6WIND CEO.

**About 6WIND**

Considered a key reference in IP technologies, 6WIND is a leader and innovator of advanced IP networking software. 6WIND's fully-integrated IPv4-IPv6 flagship software, the 6WINDGate™, significantly shortens development time and costs, reduces network integration issues, speeds up time to market and delivers a leading edge differentiator. Its open architecture and rich IP functionalities empower easy integration of third party applications and facilitates development of advanced multifunction IP networking equipment, representing a valuable future-proof investment for deploying value-added IP services i.e. secure broadband access, WLAN, mobility and multimedia applications. End-users of the 6WINDGate™ include major industrial corporations, ISPs and telecommunication operators, public services and state bodies as well as the academia.

6WIND is a spin-off of Thales and a major contributor to IETF (Internet Engineering Task Force) on IP standardization and protocol definition. An award-winner of Europe's prestigious IST 2004 (Information Society Technology) prize for groundbreaking technologies, 6WIND was also the first European company certified IPv6-ready by the global IPv6 Forum. 6WIND is headquartered near Paris, France, and is present in Asia. For more information on 6WIND, visit <http://www.6wind.com>

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