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**6WIND EMPOWERS KONKA'S NEXT GENERATION IP-BASED CE PRODUCTS WITH  
6WINDGATE™ DUAL-IP NETWORKING SOFTWARE PLATFORM**

**Paris, France and Beijing, China, February 28, 2007** –6WIND ([www.6wind.com](http://www.6wind.com)), leader in advanced embedded networking software, announced today that Konka Group ([www.konka.com.cn](http://www.konka.com.cn)), a leading television and mobile phone manufacturer in China, has selected the 6WINDGate™ dual-IP networking software solution to empower its next-generation IP-based CE products for the rapidly growing IP-based consumer electronics market in China such as IPTV. The 6WINDGate™ solution was chosen for its sophisticated system architecture and full feature set of IP networking. This solution will allow Konka to save development cost and reduces time to market.

Konka is leading development in next generation of Internet application products such as household multimedia gateway, high definition and multifunctional network terminals. Konka Group has combined advanced Internet technologies with modern household electric appliance technologies, which will further quicken the commercial operation of the next generation of Internet.

“We chose to collaborate and partner with 6WIND because of their sophisticated Linux IP networking software and huge experience on IP. This allows us to rapidly develop various IP-based household gateway & terminal products by integrating Konka’s own various multimedia applications with full-featured set of IP networking, it is key to deploy new services and applications over next generation Internet,” said Dr. Yuan Hong, Konka Research Institute. “In the future, all Konka’s products will be based on IP, to meet the increasingly diverse networking demands of IP-based converging communications.”

“6WIND is pleased to work with Konka to develop IP-based household gateway & terminal products for next generation of ubiquitous & innovative services and applications. Leveraging our advanced 6WINDGate™ dual-IP networking software, the only solution available in the market today, Konka can easily use 6WINDGate™ architecture to expand to various hardware platforms and integrates into the platforms with various special drivers & interfaces and upper applications either from Konka or 3<sup>rd</sup> party.” said, Eric Carmès, 6WIND CEO and co-founder.

## **About KONKA Group**

Established in 1980, KONKA Group Co., Ltd. is a leading enterprise of Chinese electronic industry, and one of the major color TV manufacturers in China. KONKA is mainly engaged in the manufacturing of color TV and mobile phones, as well as IT networking products, electronic components and more. KONKA has an annual output of over 10 million TV sets, sold to over 90 countries and regions around the world. For further information about KONKA and its television products, please consult the company's web site: <http://www.konka.com/english/index.jsp>.

## **About 6WIND**

6WIND is the undisputed leader and innovator of embedded networking software for OEM licensing. The company's software, 6WINDGate™, enables equipment and system vendors to significantly cut development time and costs, simplify network application integration and accelerate the go-to-market process of multi-services IP gateways and systems. 6WINDGate™-empowered equipment are used worldwide for advanced dual-IP interoperability, integrated network security and wireless broadband by ISP and telecommunication operators, defense and public agencies, and industrial corporations.

The company is a spin-out of Thales (HO.FP) with headquarters near Paris, France and sales offices in Asia. <http://www.6wind.com>

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