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PRESS RELEASE

**Mezzanine Management Completes the Sale of XServ Inc.
*Third successful realisation in 2007***

Mezzanine Management (MML), a leading independent mezzanine and private equity firm, today announces that it has completed the sale of XServ Inc., a majority-owned portfolio company, to The Brock Group. The acquisition is being funded with equity provided by Lindsay Goldberg & Bessemer, the Brock family and management members of the combined companies, as well as with debt financing provided by Bank of America and JPMorgan. The consideration for the transaction is undisclosed. Mezzanine Management invested in Xserv from Fund III.

The sale of XServ represents MML's third successful realisation this year following the completion of the sale of Telediffusion de France (TDF), the French television and mobile phone transmission business, to a consortium led by Texas Pacific Group, and the sale of Hawkpoint to Collins Stewart. These follow the successful realisation of MML's investment in Target Express at the end of 2006.

MML provided acquisition financing through a combination of equity and mezzanine debt. MML made subsequent investments to expand XServ's infrastructure and equipment to better serve its Fortune 500 customers in the chemical, refining and power markets. These follow-on investments resulted in MML becoming the majority owner of XServ. Through its involvement on the XServ's board, and working closely with the management team, MML contributed to the Company establishing a leadership position in its markets.

Commenting on the transaction, James A. Read, co-founder of MML said:

"Mezzanine Management's investment in XServ not only provided an excellent return to our investors but demonstrates our value added investment philosophy of working with management to build enterprise value. We are proud of our association with XServ and we wish the entire team success in the future."

Michael E. McGinnis, XServ's CEO, added:

"Since their initial investment, Mezzanine Management proved to be a true partner in implementing the Company's strategy. Their guidance and commitment has been invaluable and greatly appreciated by the management team."

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XServ is the leading provider of specialty maintenance services to chemical, refining, power and other industrial process facilities in the United States. The Company provides a comprehensive portfolio of services, including industrial scaffolding, insulation, abatement, coating and painting, and other services that are critical to minimizing costly plant downtime and maximizing profitability for its customers. With over 30 years of experience, XServ has earned an industry leading reputation for delivering critical time sensitive services with superior safety, execution and savings to customers.

Advisers on the XServ transaction included: to XServ - Porter & Hedges LLP (legal) and JPMorgan (financial); to The Brock Group - Weil, Gotshal & Manges LLP (legal).

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About Mezzanine Management

- Mezzanine Management was founded in 1988. It has offices in London, Paris, Frankfurt and Stamford CT (USA).
- MML has evolved into one of the leading independent mezzanine and private equity firms with investments in 73 companies across 10 countries.
- It typically invests between €10 million and €50 million in transactions including self-sponsored and middle market buyout transactions.
- It makes investments in mostly business-to-business manufacturing and service companies with stable and predictable cash flows.
- MML is now investing its fourth fund, Mezzanine Management Fund IV.
- For further information visit www.mezzanine-management.com.
- MML invested mezzanine in support of the buyout of TDF in 2003 when it was acquired by Charterhouse Capital and Caisse des Dépôts from France Télécom for €1.9 billion. TDF was sold to Texas Pacific Group and Axa for €3.3 billion in 2006.
- MML invested in Hawkpoint in July 2003 through a combination of loan stock and equity for a 14% minority equity stake. MML realised its stake when Hawkpoint was sold to Collins Stewart in October 2006.
- MML provided mezzanine to support the buyout of Target Express, the UK express delivery firm, by 3i in 2000. Target Express was sold by 3i to Rentokil Initial in November 2006.