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HKBN Being the First to Offer Free WiFi Service at Public Rental Estates

(Hong Kong, 21 January 2008) Hong Kong Broadband Network Limited (“HKBN”) today announced the launch of free WiFi service at public rental housing estates for use by the tenants starting from tomorrow, in support to the HKSAR Government’s initiative to facilitate public access to the Internet.

HKBN has always been socially-responsible and has been active in propelling the popularity of Internet access in Hong Kong. Following an earlier cooperation with the Housing Authority in providing the tenants with news and estate information via Housing Channel TV at the lift lobbies of public rental housing estates, HKBN is now extending its WiFi service for free use by the tenants. With over 1,000 hotspots at designated spots of common areas of 120 public rental housing estates, tenants can enjoy free WiFi service from 6:00am to 11:00pm daily, by a simple login procedure with their assigned unique login ID.

With this free WiFi connectivity, tenants will enjoy greater convenience on various applications ranging from general web surfing to file transfer with virtually all WiFi enabled devices, such as laptops, PDAs, smartphones or handheld gaming pads.

Participating in Housing Authority’s project, HKBN is responsible for equipment, installation, maintenance, database storage and the service hotline. This free service covers various high density residential areas of Hong Kong including Tuen Mun, Tin Shui Wai, Shatin, Tsuen Wan, Aberdeen, Tseung Kwan O, etc.

Chief Operating Officer of HKBN, William Yeung said, “HKBN has made significant contribution throughout the years to bridge the digital gap, by offering broadband Internet access service at higher speed to the mass market at affordable price levels. Free WiFi service at public rental housing estates is another example of our commitment to the society, that we will continue to leverage our technical expertise to better serve the community.”

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About City Telecom / Hong Kong Broadband Network

Established in 1992, City Telecom (H.K.) Limited (SEHK : 1137, NASDAQ : CTEL) provides integrated telecommunications services in Hong Kong. City Telecom's wholly-owned subsidiary, Hong Kong Broadband Network Limited (HKBN), is in the process of expanding its Metro Ethernet from 1.4mn to 2.0mn homes pass. HKBN has achieved an aggregate Voice, Broadband (symmetric 25Mbps up to 1Gbps), IP-TV and Corporate data services base in excess of 640,000 subscriptions. Additional information on City Telecom can be found at www.ctigroup.com.hk.

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