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**NETSTREAMS RELEASES LATEST SOFTWARE UPDATE FOR DIGILINX FAMILY  
OF IP-BASED PRODUCTS**

**Free Dealer Setup Software Package Supports All *DigiLinX* and Third Party Add-Ons; Plug-and-Play Compatibility for Faster Installation and Profitability**

**DENVER, CO – September 14, 2006** – *NetStreams*<sup>®</sup>, the global leader in networked entertainment systems and technology based on Internet Protocol (IP), introduced the latest firmware update for its *DigiLinX*<sup>™</sup> Multi-Room Entertainment and Control system here today at the CEDIA Expo, the world's largest exposition devoted to multi-room home entertainment and control systems. The ***DigiLinX Dealer Setup (v.1.50)*** software package is designed specifically for *DigiLinX*, offering a wide range of hardware/software updates for virtually the entire lineup of *NetStreams* IP-Based products. The software package allows installers to configure each unique system's design requirements, with plug-n-play compatibility for fast installation and enhanced profitability.

"Our dealers are going to be happy about these new software features for their *DigiLinX* installations – past, present and future," said *NetStreams* President and CEO Herman Cárdenas. "The new Dealer Setup software release enhances *DigiLinX's* appeal with expanded features – a plus with our technology. No other multi-room audio and control system can expand as easily to accommodate additional new functions and new products and additional rooms. We continue to believe that open source protocols such as TCP/IP are the industry's future."

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*DigiLinX* Dealer Setup Version (v.1.50) software package supports all *DigiLinX* add-ons, as well as any third-party devices for enhanced two-way feedback and control between *DigiLinX* and third-party products. *NetStreams* makes these software features available for free to its authorized dealers.

### **Hardware Upgrades**

On the hardware side, the upgrade now allows for the support of the new *NetStreams* Streaming Music Manager (SMM100), providing direct communication with the *DigiLinX* system.

*NetStreams'* Streaming Music Manager unlocks the potential of the music stored on networked PCs, NAS drives, and USB devices by making it available for playback across the *DigiLinX* system. Streaming Music Manager builds a database containing the locations of music files and makes this information available to the *DigiLinX* network. *DigiLinX* can then browse the database, locate and play the files from the computer network, and display metadata from those files on the *DigiLinX* graphical user interface (GUI).

### **Software Upgrades**

The new *DigiLinX* Dealer Setup software also adds control of a security subsystem by including a new driver and user interface for seamless integration and control of the GE Concord<sup>®</sup> security system from any *TouchLinX* touch screen or web browser-based user interface.

Software upgrades for *NetStreams'* *StreamNet*<sup>™</sup> device driver Application Programming Interface (API), allows third party system devices to send commands to *DigiLinX* and for *DigiLinX* to communicate back for full system control via *TouchLinX* keypads. Although *DigiLinX* already has built-in drivers for a variety of third party systems, including Lutron<sup>®</sup> for lighting and Aprilaire<sup>®</sup> for HVAC, the API update means that virtually ANY third party lighting or HVAC system or security system can be interfaced and controlled by *DigiLinX*.

The new *DigiLinX* dealer setup software also includes a feature that *NetStreams* calls "Playmates<sup>™</sup>". Playmates now allows multiple *SpeakerLinX*<sup>™</sup> IP Amplifier / Room Controllers to be linked together permanently, accomodating installations that have larger rooms, which require multiple *SpeakerLinX'* to amplify multiple pairs of speakers, without causing conflicts in room control.

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Cárdenas explained that these upgrades give *NetStreams* dealers a pathway to increase recurring revenues from system service and upgrades given to consumers. “It really allows the dealer to go back to their existing customers and show them what kinds of upgrades can be made to a legacy system, such as providing more features and functionality.” In fact, *NetStreams* will not charge its dealers for the software package, allowing them to set upgrade charges. “It’s just one more way we are helping our dealers succeed.”

With its plug-and-play capabilities, *NetStreams* estimates that it is up to 80% less time consuming to configure a *DigiLinX* system than program an AMX® or Crestron® system. “Within five minutes of plugging *DoorLinX*™ or Streaming Music Manager into the *DigiLinX* system, a dealer can have it configured and running with *DigiLinX* Dealer Setup, as compared to hours of programming to integrate these types of devices on other systems,” commented Cárdenas.

### **New Skins and User Interface Screens**

*NetStreams* continues to expand its skins and user-interface screens, with new ones available for *TouchLinX* or any Adobe / Macromedia flash-enabled devices (web browser, PDAs, etc). Clients can step up to a cool looking Digital Video Recorder (DVR) graphical user interface that mimics the controls of a DVR, such as TIVO®, ReplayTV®, TimeWarner®, and others. There’s also a Security Interface that controls a GE Concord Security system with a *TouchLinX* user interface screen that emulates the security system keypad with fire, medical, and police buttons, keypad, and armed/disarmed indicators.

A new “machine” skin design is now available for the flash-enabled *TouchLinX* graphical user interface. Additional available skins include: Carbon Fiber, Golf, Monet paintings, Renaissance, and several customizable skins with editable button colors, and background colors. With the *DigiLinX* Dealer Setup program, dealers can now easily select different skins to provide different user interface control screens for each room or device, all without the need for special programming skills or a user interface designer on staff.

The new *DigiLinX* Dealer Setup program is available free of charge to authorized *NetStreams* dealers and can be found on the dealer section of the *NetStreams* website.

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### **About *DigiLinX***

*NetStreams DigiLinX* family of IP-Based products offer distributed entertainment and control with capabilities never seen before. *DigiLinX* features plug and play architecture with a rich user experience only available in high custom systems today. *DigiLinX* delivers on the promise of convergence -- effectively marrying networking technologies with hi-fidelity audio and video -- leading the way in 'Networked Digital Entertainment'.

### **About *NetStreams***

Headquartered in Austin, Texas, *NetStreams* is the world leader in digital entertainment networks, based on Internet protocol (IP) technology. *NetStreams'* IP-Based systems, are designed for residential and commercial use, and offer new levels of affordability, simplicity, reliability, and expandability, benefiting both installers and end-users with lower costs for installation and set-up, with an intuitive and rich user experience.

By utilizing its patent-pending *StreamNet* technology, *NetStreams* systems enables true plug-n-play integration with other products for entertainment, automation, security, and communications. *NetStreams* is committed to utilizing cutting-edge human factors engineering to create entertainment systems that are truly user-friendly and future compatible. *NetStreams* is enabling the future of IP-Based entertainment today.

For additional information on *NetStreams* and its innovative products, please visit [www.netstreams.com](http://www.netstreams.com).

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