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## **Covad Extends Line Sharing Agreement with AT&T** *Agreement extended to May 2009; Extends Commercial terms to former BellSouth territory*

**San Jose, Calif. – July 26, 2007** – Covad Communications Group Inc., (AMEX: DVW), a leading national provider of integrated voice and data communications, today announced the extension of the term of the commercial line sharing agreement it has with AT&T's local telephone companies (NYSE:T). The extension concluded yesterday guarantees access to AT&T copper and remote-terminal facilities for new Covad line share customers through May 2009. The agreement also provides for commercial access to AT&T copper facilities in the former Bellsouth territory, also through May 2009. Covad and AT&T also resolved a number of disputes.

"We are pleased to extend and enhance our line sharing agreement with AT&T," said Charles Hoffman, Covad president and chief executive officer. "This agreement highlights the important relationship Covad has with AT&T, our largest customer."

Line sharing allows Covad to deploy its suite of broadband services on the same line that customers use for their voice phone services.

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### **About Covad**

Covad is a leading nationwide provider of integrated voice and data communications. The company offers DSL, Voice Over IP, T1, broadband wireless, Web hosting, managed security, IP and dial-up, and bundled voice and data services directly through Covad's network and through Internet Service Providers, value-added resellers, telecommunications carriers and affinity groups to small and medium-sized businesses and home users. Covad broadband services are currently available across the nation in 44 states and 235 Metropolitan Statistical Areas (MSAs) and can be purchased by more than 57 million homes and businesses, which represent over 50 percent of all US homes and businesses. Corporate headquarters is located at 110 Rio Robles San Jose, CA 95134. Telephone: 1-888-GO-COVAD. Web Site: [www.covad.com](http://www.covad.com).



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