

Against the trend – outsourcers expanding

itelligence AG opens office in Dresden and is looking for staff

Bielefeld/Bautzen (Germany). February 3, 2008 – The doomsayers' prophecies are not coming true everywhere, quite the opposite: the outsourcing industry is looking positively into the future. This industry includes the successful full-service IT provider for SAP – itelligence AG – with data centers in Germany, Poland, the USA, Switzerland and Malaysia. In Q2 2009, itelligence will be opening a new branch in Dresden and is currently on the look out for new staff. itelligence will be recruiting up to 20 staff members throughout 2009. Professionals with SAP expertise in particular are placed high on the wish list.

In summer 2008, itelligence Outsourcing & Services GmbH in Bautzen, a wholly-owned subsidiary of itelligence AG, opened its new data center in Salzenforst near Bautzen – an investment of around EUR 2 million. This was followed in fall 2008 by a new data center in Cyberjaya, Malaysia. The Company is now planning the next expansion, once again in Germany. A committed team of around 20 employees is to be established in 2009 – and additional recruitment next year has not been ruled out.

Providing customers with second level support in all SAP matters is the main focus in the search for professionals. The requirements consist of extensive technical SAP-based expertise as well as experience in advising German-speaking and international customers.

The itelligence office in Dresden is due to open at the beginning of Q2 2009. This expansion is also testament to the ongoing success of the Company. In its 20th year of existence, itelligence reported 2008 as the most successful year in its history with revenues of around EUR 216 million. The success story will now continue in the state capital of Saxony.

Mirko Kruse, Managing Director of itelligence Outsourcing & Services GmbH in Bautzen: "In Dresden, the overall package is just right: an attractive location for employees and a high-tech location with a quality of life. This is why Dresden is also attractive to us as an

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employer, and in conjunction with the career possibilities that we offer, we will also be able to find the highly qualified employees that we need. As a global SAP hosting partner and thanks to our data center in Malaysia, we are expecting many requests from international customers that work in Asia but wish to be supported from Germany. We have to prepare ourselves for this”.

With 1,431 employees (December 2008), itelligence AG is a leading international full-service SAP provider for SMEs. In the position as a global SAP hosting partner, itelligence sees that customers primarily place their confidence in reliability and the quality of the service. Based in the Saxony locations, Bautzen and Dresden, the committed itelligence AG teams not only provide high-quality services for Europe, but also for Asia and America, while at the same time working successfully against the general trend of outsourcing IT services to low-wage countries.

About itelligence

itelligence is one of the leading international full-service provider for SAP employing more than 1,450 highly qualified employees in 17 countries and in 5 regions (America, Asia, Western Europe, Eastern Europe and Germany/Austria). As a mySAP Business and Support Alliance as well as Global Partner Hosting and Global Services Partner, itelligence realizes complex projects in the SAP environment for over 3,000 customers worldwide. In 2006, itelligence obtained the status as Gold Partner SAP in Germany, U.S. followed in 2007. The company’s services range from SAP consulting and licensing to outsourcing and services to proprietary industry-specific SAP solutions. In 2007, itelligence generated total sales of EUR 190.9 million, preliminary figures 2008 show sales rising to EUR 216 million.