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NIAGARA FALLS BRIDGE COMMISSION DEPLOYS DRAGONWAVE WIRELESS SOLUTION TO SUPPORT ALL COMMUNICATIONS

***DragonWave and Transwave Partner to Deliver the High Levels
of Reliability and Performance That Other Solutions Failed to Deliver***

Ottawa, Canada, October 28, 2002 – DragonWave Inc., a premier supplier of next-generation wireless networks, today announced that the Niagara Falls Bridge Commission has deployed a DragonWave solution to reliably support broadband communications among three bridges that carry an estimated 9 million vehicle passages a year between Canada and the United States. Transwave Communications Systems Inc., a leading provider of integrated network services throughout North America, designed, installed and supports the bridge commission network.

"The network is our heartbeat, so reliability and performance are of utmost importance," said Michael O'Reilly, Head of MIS-IT with the Niagara Falls Bridge Commission. "We had tested other solutions, but they failed to live up to our requirements. The DragonWave solution has given us a giant, dependable pipe that can be cost-effectively expanded as our capacity needs grow. We are very happy with the DragonWave technology and Transwave's professionalism in understanding and meeting our expectations."

Linking Ontario and New York, the Niagara Falls Bridge Commission's bridges are believed to comprise the third-busiest port of transport between Canada and the United States. Currently, all voice and data communications – toll transactions, lane-closure alerts and standard business applications, for example – traverse the DragonWave network. In 2003, the network will support video-over-IP security traffic, as well.

"We identified DragonWave's licensed-frequency Ethernet radios as the wireless market's preeminent solution for delivering the levels of interference-free performance that the Niagara Falls Bridge Commission required," said Ray Rabb, president of Transwave. "In fact, we believe DragonWave's unique combination of reliability, performance and cost-effectiveness will prove attractive to many of our other enterprise and governmental clients."

Jim Arseneault, president and chief executive officer of DragonWave, added, "The Niagara Falls Bridge Commission is an example of the success of partnerships that

bring together true leaders in their fields. We look forward to pursuing additional opportunities in cooperation with Transwave."

About Transwave

Transwave Communications Systems, Inc., designs, installs and supports private network systems with the main focus on the turnkey integration of wireless and microwave delivery systems. Services are provided in two categories, turnkey **private network services** offered to end users such as schools, colleges, universities, municipalities, utilities, medical facilities and private industry. **Subcontract technical and installation services** are offered to a variety of system suppliers and manufacturers such as DragonWave Inc. Transwave is unique in that it can provide a complete overall solution encompassing other mediums such as fiber optics, structured cable systems in addition to the complete integration of radio electronics, necessary tower construction, site development, as well as bandwidth management platforms that can include Routers, ATM platforms, Multiplexers and more. Additional information on Transwave can be found at www.transwave.net.

About DragonWave

DragonWave designs, markets and supports broadband, wireless networking products for service providers and enterprises requiring reliable, predictable, interference-free, high-bandwidth transmission of real-time, IP applications. DragonWave's intelligent millimetre wave radios provide the building blocks to rapidly introduce broadband access where fiber-optic or copper-line connectivity is either unavailable or impractical. DragonWave is headquartered in Ottawa, Canada's high-technology capital. The company's Web site is www.dragonwaveinc.com.

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