

## **PRESS RELEASE**

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### **Capricode accelerates client delivery for smartphones - a new client factory in Hungary enables speedy delivery of SyncShield® Advanced Device Management**

Capricode, one of the world's leading companies in Advanced Mobile Device Management, has today announced a client for Symbian 9.0 S60 3<sup>rd</sup> edition mobile phones. The client is the newest version of Capricode's SyncShield®, an advanced mobile device management solution managing settings, applications and security on mobile devices. It enables the management of the devices centrally and silently Over-The-Air (OTA), enhancing both the security and flexibility of mobile device deployments.

The Advanced Mobile Device Management features of SyncShield® bring significant benefits to service providers and enterprises by reducing the amount of money, time and other resources required in mobile device asset management and administration.

SyncShield® is based on the Device Management standard of Open Mobile Alliance (OMA DM), a forum of over 200 key players in mobile device development, deployment and management. SyncShield® supports the OMA DM 1.2 standard, and introduces also an advanced feature set with functions that improve usability and security of mobile device management. SyncShield® supports over 93% of all smartphones sold globally today. The newest SyncShield® client brings these benefits available to Symbian 3<sup>rd</sup> edition smartphones, including new Nokia E-series business phones.

To ensure agile delivery of new clients to upcoming smartphones and new platforms Capricode has established a client factory in Budapest, Hungary, in cooperation with Agil Eight.

“Mobile devices such as smartphones are a necessity for today's mobile workers with their advanced applications, enhanced memory capabilities, and varying connectivity possibilities (WiFi, 3.5G, Bluetooth, etc.). However, this has substantially increased the need for support and security. Enterprises and end-users have an absolute requirement for mobile Over-The-Air mobile device management to deal with application administration and security threats, to the content and the privacy of the end-users and their organizations”, says Jonny Kaarlenkaski, CEO of Capricode.

There is a rapidly growing market for mobile device management solutions. “By the end of this decade the market for mobile device management is going to be huge”, notes Kaarlenkaski. “Capricode has invested heavily on producing the best possible advanced mobile device management solution. SyncShield® utilizes state-of-the-art technologies and has advanced features that offer our customers unique mobile device management benefits.”

In order to respond to rapid changes in the device market and to provide speedy releases of new clients, Capricode has established a client factory in Budapest, Hungary. The client factory is a result of cooperation with Agil Eight. “The capability to deliver clients to the newest mobile device and platform versions before they even enter consumer markets is a significant competitive advantage. A key SyncShield's advantage is the agile delivery of clients for multiple mobile device platforms, such as Symbian, UIQ, WindowsCE and Linux. Capricode can offer a client for new devices and device platforms in a just few weeks” says CEO Jyri Pyrrö from Agil Eight. “The new client factory will accelerate Capricode's agility even more” he continues. “We have found exceptional technical expertise and specialists in Budapest and this combined with its central location in relation to European markets this made it a great location for the client factory” Pyrrö noted.

**Capricode presents the new client in 3GSM World Congress 2007 in Barcelona, 12-15 February. You will find us at Hall 2, Stand 2B93.**

For more information about the client factory, and the new Symbian 9.0 S60 3<sup>rd</sup> edition client, please contact Capricode [www.capricode.com](http://www.capricode.com) or [sales@capricode.com](mailto:sales@capricode.com). Further information about Symbian S60 versions can be found from [www.s60.com](http://www.s60.com).

#### *About SyncShield*

SyncShield® offers a broad set of advanced mobile device management features such as application management, monitored installation and settings management. SyncShield® also includes important security features such as backup of vital user information, regular updates to device virus protection, and even remote device lock and data wipe in case of theft or loss. One major advantage of SyncShield® is that all operations can be performed silently without user intervention or awareness. For example, an application can be installed, started, stopped and removed from mobile phone without any end user involvement. It is even possible to lock the device's camera for security reasons. An easy-to-use and secure web GUI makes SyncShield® accessible anywhere in the world, any time of day.

#### *About Capricode*

Capricode helps service providers and enterprises cut costs and boost revenue streams with telecommunications software solutions. Capricode is one of the few companies in the world to offer advanced mobile device management. Our ability to continuously create new state-of-the-art products and solutions to our customers and partners is based on innovativeness, agility and technological expertise.

Capricode is a privately owned company headquartered in Oulu, Finland. Capricode's sight is strongly set on international markets with established partners/sales offices in UK, Hungary and USA.

#### *About Agil Eight*

Agil Eight is a specialist in delivering business value through agile software development methods. We are Headquartered in Oulu, Finland with office in Budapest. By using Agile methods and our own unique approaches, we can deliver successful software projects that deliver on our clients business goals.

We are experienced professionals in a number of key SWI disciplines and we have decades of experience in international SW production business. The Agil Eight SW engineers have over 15 years experience of mobile software development covering Symbian/S60, Linux and Java. They have a strong background in UI tools development and deep Nearfield Communication NFC know-how

We are focused on the customer's end goal: getting a faster Return on Investment (ROI), without sacrificing quality or diminishing business value. How can we achieve this? With an exceptionally talented team and a tried and tested framework for Agile and Lean processes.