



**Press Release**

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## **Tele2 and Aicent announce IPX Peering Agreement**

**Stockholm - Tele2 AB (Tele2), (NASDAQ OMX Stockholm Exchange: TEL2 A and TEL2 B) and Aicent today announce IPX Peering Agreement. The Peering relationship interconnects IPX networks, extending global reach for next-gen IP-based communication services.**

Tele2 is now announcing that only 1,5 month after the launch of Tele2 IPX solution on the Eurocore databack bone Network they are taking the next step in peering with Aicent, the world's leading multi-service IPX (IP exchange) of mobile data network services and solutions for mobile carriers globally. The agreement allows both Aicent and Tele2 to offer a combined multiservice IPX, enhancing a mobile subscribers' LTE roaming experience through guaranteed end-to-end Quality of Service commitments, multiple Class of Service support, and comprehensive security providing high-quality voice and high-speed data access comparable to what they receive while in their home network.

Through this newly formed peering interconnection, Aicent and Tele2's mobile operator customers will be able to quickly and efficiently expand their LTE roaming footprint via a single connection supporting the exchange of next generation voice, LTE roaming and signaling services, in addition to standard voice and GRX traffic.

Joachim Horn, Executive Vice President and Group CTIO of Tele2 AB, comments: "With the increasing numbers of subscribers traveling for both personal and business needs, it is becoming more and more important to support mobile data roaming on a global level. We are pleased to be entering an agreement with Aicent and this partnership will improve our customers' mobile 4G/LTE roaming experience by providing connectivity with best-in-class roaming."

### **About Aicent**

Founded in 2000, Aicent, Inc., a TL9000 certified organization, is the world's largest multi-service IPX provider of data network services and solutions connecting to over 200 global mobile operators, including the world's ten largest. Through extensive partnerships and peering arrangements, Aicent's network reaches all 2G, 3G and 4G operators, including more than 65 global mobile operators supporting LTE roaming, allowing mobile subscribers to roam seamlessly between international operator networks. The company's roaming hub supports integrated mobile messaging and value added services such as Roaming Intelligence Suite and Roaming Control Center, designed to help carriers maximize roaming and inter-carrier service revenue and profitability. For more information, visit [www.aicent.com](http://www.aicent.com).



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