



## **MEDIA RELEASE**

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### **Darwin appointments for Amcom Telecommunications**

Amcom Telecommunications Limited has appointed its first three Darwin-based employees to spearhead its expansion into the Northern Territory.

**Michael Nyhuis** has been appointed Manager of Amcom's Northern Territory operations. Michael has an extensive background in the delivery of information & communication technology services and managing significant technology and infrastructure projects in the NT.

**Josh Smith** takes on the role of Network Engineer. Josh joins Amcom after five years as a Network Engineer with a Darwin-based company providing data communications services to the NT Government. Mr Smith has worked in the information and communication technology sector since 2000.

**Chinmayananda Narasimhamurthy** has also been appointed to the position of Network Engineer. Since graduating from Charles Darwin University in 2004 with a Bachelor of Information Technology, Chinmayananda has worked as a Data Communication Engineer with a leading IT services company.

All three employees take up their roles today (Monday 12 April 2010).

In February 2010 Amcom announced that it had won a contract to provide high-speed fibre based telecommunications services to the Northern Territory Government. As a result, Amcom is currently extending its existing fibre networks in both Darwin and Alice Springs to provide data carriage services to government agencies and schools. The initial contract value is for \$20 million over five years.

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Michael, Josh and Chinmayananda will be based in Amcom's new office in Darwin where they will service the Northern Territory Government as well as corporate customers seeking to take advantage of Amcom's fibre networks.

**About Amcom**

Amcom is an award-winning Australian telecommunications company. Operating since 1998, Amcom specialises in meeting the growing needs of business and government for data, internet, voice and related services over its extensive fibre optic network. The company is listed on the Australian Securities Exchange (ASX code: AMM). In 2009 Amcom was named Australia's best telecommunications company of the year. For more information see [amcom.com.au](http://amcom.com.au)

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