

ACCOUNTIS PRESS RELEASE

DHL Delivering E-Invoices Across Europe With Accountis

**DHL introduce e-invoicing to improve efficiencies, cut costs
and meet customer demands in Europe**

Tuesday, 11th September 2007 DHL (<http://www.dhl.com>), the global market leader of the international express and logistics industry, today shared its e-invoicing experiences with delegates at the EXPP European Summit 2007 in London. DHL is automating its accounts receivable (AR) processes across Europe with an e-invoicing solution from Accountis Europe Ltd (<http://www.accountis.com>), an international provider of secure financial document exchange and payment systems.

Brian Thumwood, e-billing Programme Manager for DHL spoke to around 300 delegates at the E-Invoicing and E-Billing summit, where he launched the company's Flash demonstration of its e-invoicing solution. As Brian explained: "Printing, posting, delivering and managing many bulky, complex paper invoices each month was an expensive and time-consuming process, not only for us, but for our customers as well who were a primary driving force behind the implementation of our e-invoicing solution".

The Flash demonstration takes customers through the e-invoicing process step-by-step, allowing them to see the many benefits it will bring to their business before they register.

Brian's key criteria when looking for an e-invoicing solution were that it should be proven, compatible and allow them to generate and manage VAT compliant and multilingual e-invoices. DHL chose UK-based Accountis for its powerful yet simple to use, flexible system. "Accountis blew us away with their enthusiasm, technical ability and experience" said Brian.

With the successful implementation of Accountis EIPP (Electronic Invoicing Presentment and Payment) all DHL's paper invoices from 13 European countries will now be generated and **delivered electronically**, resulting in a much faster and cost-effective process for DHL and its European customers. DHL in Belgium and Switzerland have been the first to experience the benefits

of Accountis EIPP, with the remaining 11 countries coming on-line in the near future.

Brian Thumwood continues, “We initially integrated the system in Belgium, but were so impressed with Accountis EIPP that we were keen to extend the service to our other European offices as soon as possible. Those customers that already have access to the system are finding it very easy to use, which proves to us that the project has already been a success. Our initial requirements were very complex yet Accountis were able to produce a powerful, VAT compliant system that was delivered within our tight timescales and budget. The Accountis development and support teams are fantastic and their motivation to deliver a technically outstanding solution for us has been exceptional”.

Accountis EIPP is integrated with DHL’s existing complex finance systems to consolidate disparate invoice data and make it available for expedient processing via the Accountis HUB. Using a **DHL-branded E-invoicing Portal** the DHL finance team can now generate, send and manage invoices from one secure location. All new and archived e-invoice data is available 24/7 from any location and customised workflow functions ensure that business processes and data flows are streamlined and audited.

Instead of receiving bulky complex paper invoices, DHL customers can now either receive their invoices as digitally signed PDFs, or view them online by accessing a secure DHL-branded Customer Portal. From the Portal, customers have access to all invoice data, including detailed document history. They can also view invoices in the **language of their choice and in a variety of formats** for easy download into their accounting or finance system. By removing slow manual processes, such as re-typing invoice data, Accountis EIPP has made invoice processing quicker, more accurate and safer for customers.

For a more detailed description of the DHL E-invoicing project, please refer to the Case Study at <http://www.accountis.com/customers/casestudies>.

To view the on-line Flash demo visit:
<http://www.accountis.com/customers/dhl/flash/>.

--ends--

Notes for Editors

About the Accountis Enterprise AR solution

Accountis Enterprise AR automates your entire accounts receivable process from capturing e-purchase orders and issuing e-invoices to controlling debtors and collecting payments online. The system integrates easily with your existing ERP or accounting systems to save money, eliminate repetitive tasks and speed up payment collections. Enterprise AR can work as a stand-alone solution or in conjunction with Accountis Enterprise AP, additional modules and payment services to provide a complete end-to-end solution.

For more information visit:

<http://www.accountis.com/solutions/einvoicing/sendinvoices/>

About Accountis - <http://www.accountis.com/>

Accountis provides secure financial document exchange and payment systems to companies globally. The highly secure Accountis system offers all the features of an EIPP and can manage, present and receive financial documents such as quotes, purchase orders, invoices, statements and the payments associated with these documents. The system complies with relevant legislation world-wide for smooth cross-border trading. Processing over one million transactions every day, Accountis is used by many of the world's largest corporations.

About DHL - <http://www.dhl.com/>

DHL is the global market leader of the international express and logistics industry, specializing in providing innovative and customized solutions from a single source.

DHL offers expertise in express, air and ocean freight, overland transport, contract logistic solutions as well as international mail services, combined with worldwide coverage and an in-depth understanding of local markets. DHL's international network links more than 220 countries and territories worldwide. 285,000 employees are dedicated to providing fast and reliable services that exceed customers' expectations.

DHL is a Deutsche Post World Net brand. The group generated revenues of more than 60bn euros in 2006.

For further information, please contact:

Marketing Department

Accountis Europe Ltd

Tel: 01248 672670

Email: marketing@accountis.com

<http://www.accountis.com>