



Cressida Technology and Capitalware Announce EMEA Partnership

London, UK & Markham, CANADA - September 27, 2004 - **Cressida Technology**, a developer and distributor of WebSphere MQ and Security solutions, and **Capitalware Inc.**, a leading developer of software solutions for message handling, today announced an exclusive partnership agreement that will broaden the spectrum of enterprise level tools available to their respective customers.

Through the initial phase of the partnership, Cressida Technology will offer Capitalware's MQ Visual Edit, MQ Visual Browse and MQ Batch Toolkit products to their customers in Europe, the Middle East, and Africa (EMEA). The combination of Cressida Technology's ReQuest for WebSphere MQ and Capitalware's MQ products offer customers a complete WebSphere MQ (WMQ) message management solution.

"This partnership demonstrates the shared commitment by both organizations to help customers gain real business benefit from their WebSphere MQ messaging systems," said Roger Lacroix, President for Capitalware Inc. "Clients will greatly benefit from the array of messaging products that will now be available."

"We were looking to strengthen our MQ Message Assurance offerings and actively looked for the right partner we could work closely with. Capitalware enjoys a good name and product reputation in the WebSphere MQ community and came to us highly recommended" said Mehrdad Kanafchian, Managing Director of Cressida Technology. "With our Cressida ReQuest[™] for WebSphere MQ solutions, we can directly - without any application instrumentation or overhead - read and process Recovery Log data on multiple platforms to provide a "learn from the Past to make sure of the Future" solution of reporting, auditing, tracking, replay and recovery of our clients' messages. The addition of Visual Edit allows us to offer complimentary 'Present' time processing of messages that our clients can use to access, edit and manipulate their business critical WMQ messages."

About Cressida Technology

Cressida is an IBM development partner, providing a series of WebSphere MQ and Messaging Assurance services, training and solutions. With the head office located in the United Kingdom and several offices and staff in key European locations, Cressida provides local sales and technical resources to service and support their clients. www.cressida.info

About Capitalware Inc.

Capitalware Inc. is an Information Solution provider, in the areas of: Application Development, Data Warehousing and Middleware Development. Capitalware, Inc. is an IBM business partner and provides products, services, and training for WebSphere MQ to companies across North America. www.capitalware.biz

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