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Barry Kiddell, Chairman, SIRE Technology & Tim Bristow, Chairman, Rockolo.

SIRE Technology's Gibraltar based venture, GiBVault, signs partnership with Rockolo, to deliver robust cloud computing and data protection services to the financial and eGaming markets

A deal that brings robust Cloud and data protection services to the business communities in Gibraltar was signed yesterday between GiBVault and Rockolo, a wholly owned subsidiary of Gibtelecom Ltd, the leading telecommunications provider in Gibraltar.

Jason Bamford, of GiBVault, explained more: "Having access to a high quality secure Cloud computing, storage and back-up services within the territory has been something that many organisations on the rock having been demanding for some time. With this partnership, we are now able to satisfy this requirement and are confident that it will enable companies, particularly in the eGaming and finance sectors to not only meet the ever more stringent legislative requirements of their sectors, but also to deliver the highest levels of service and flexibility to their clients."

SIRE Technology, a UK based provider of data services established 24 years ago, has been working with GiBVault for over a year, having recognised the opportunity that existed to develop a Cloud based service within the territory. "We have provided technical expertise, support and guidance to GiBVault which has enabled them to establish a Cloud based infrastructure and Backup as a Service (BaaS) within the territory," explained Russell Cook, MD of SIRE Technology. This partnership will see

Rockolo go to market with an own branded Cloud and backup platforms, (powered by GiBVault) hosted at its prestigious Mount Pleasant Data Centre, with connectivity provided by parent Gibtelecom. The combined skillsets of the partners will enable organisations, be it a start-up or an established business, to access high quality computing resources on a flexible, 'when required' basis.

Looking to the future, all parties are confident that despite the current political uncertainties regarding Brexit and Gibraltar's trading situation, there will be further opportunities in the wider European market for the offering. With the implementation of the pan-European GDPR legislation now less than a year away, every business across all 27 countries will need to ensure that its data is not only used correctly but also stored and retrieved to the new standards.

For more information about this service please visit the new website <http://www.GiBVault.com/> or contact the team on Tel: +350 540 15123 or Tel: +44 (0)1344 567037, or email: info@GiBVault.com

Background

GiBVault is an IT service provider offering fully managed Private Cloud services which are securely hosted in Gibraltar, for both large and small organisations. The company's solutions are simple, scalable packages that fit around a business' growth plans. Data sovereignty and security are at the core of GiBVault's values and all its offerings are securely hosted in Gibraltar and meet the strictest compliance requirements such as PCI.

Rockolo is a wholly owned subsidiary of Gibtelecom Ltd, the leading telecommunications provider in Gibraltar. Although it was incorporated in 2016, it has over 10 years' experience in the data centres business having commissioned its first data centre suite at its Mount Pleasant facility in 2007. It now operates over 320 racks spread over two geographically diverse facilities in Gibraltar being supplied by more than 2 megawatts of power. With leading edge technologies and unsurpassed 24x7 support it is the leading data centre provider in Gibraltar and partners with Gibtelecom for global connectivity solutions.

With over 24 years' experience, SIRE is an established and award winning provider of Cloud technologies, systems and processes. These innovative business continuity systems and processes make a real difference to the operations of their customer organisations. Using

IBM's Spectrum Project and its own solution, Reviiver, SIRE enables its customers to focus on their core activity whilst SIRE manages their infrastructure. By using a combination of the latest Cloud computing techniques and virtualisation, SIRE provides organisations with a reliable, flexible and financially viable IT infrastructure coupled with a robust Business Continuity Plan, that is scalable and future proof.

For more information on SIRE, its products and services visit www.SIRE.co.uk or take a look at the You Tube channel: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCRBiiVFxt___peekriGN6hw

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