

BusinessesForSale.com and Venturedome.com in co-branded deal

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BusinessesForSale.com now available on Venturedome.com

BusinessesForSale.com - the world's leading M&A site for small and medium sized businesses - is making its global database of businesses for sale available on Venturedome.com, the central hub of the private equity industry. See: <http://businessesforsale.com/em/v.asp>

This alliance provides a significant resource for companies looking to realise their assets through selling a business to a private equity firm or for a trade buyer. Conversely, entrepreneurs looking for acquisitions can target their sector by searching the comprehensive database of companies on Venturedome, powered by BusinessesForSale.com.

Venturedome members can advertise their business for sale and their listings will additionally appear on BusinessesForSale.com, AccountingWeb, Compuserve.co.uk, LawZONE and several other leading websites.

BusinessesForSale.com is the world's largest listing of small and medium sized enterprises (SMEs) for sale. Approximately half of BusinessesForSale.com's database of 12,000 businesses for sale are UK based. Companies listed range from hi-tech manufacturing businesses and software developers to more traditional restaurants, hotels and shops. Listings are updated daily.

Jonathan Shaw, Business Development Director of BusinessesForSale, states:

"I am delighted by this deal. BusinessesForSale.com's listings are increasingly attracting interest and enquiries from private equity firms and the link with Venturedome helps cement our position as the leading website for all professionals involved in the acquisition and disposal of small and medium businesses."

Darren Neylon, chief executive of Venturedome, added: "As the number one platform for the UK's entrepreneurial and venture capital industries, we can help BusinessesForSale reach a far wider audience. The resource will be a useful tool for the thousands of entrepreneurs and investors who use our service."

BusinessesForSale.com is the world's largest website for buying and selling businesses. It is privately owned, based in London and currently lists over 12,000 enterprises in over 70 countries with a collective value of £3 billion. Over 800 business intermediaries worldwide feed their businesses on to the site. Venturedome.com is the leading online news & information service for the European venture capital industry, providing users with information, comment and analysis of the venture capital industry. Venturedome gives direct access to the VC market and all its participants including private equity funds, accountants, lawyers and bankers. Crucial to this agreement, Venturedome offers a direct route to entrepreneurs looking for business opportunities.

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