

DIGICA APPOINTS NEW CHAIRMAN

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Midrange and desktop outsourcing specialist, Digica, announces the appointment of Tim Wightman as [non-executive] chairman of Digica Holdings Ltd, the parent company of Digica Ltd and Digica Inc.

Tim has extensive business experience in the UK, Germany and the USA. He was chief executive of Knürr AG, a German-based global manufacturer of electronic equipment for the IT and telecoms markets, which was the subject of a 70 million public to private transaction backed by 3i Group.

Previously, he was chief executive of Rubicon Group plc, a leading quoted European supplier of outsourced manufacturing services to the electronics industry. When Rubicon became part of a larger US group, he served on the executive board with responsibility for the development of its services worldwide.

In addition, Tim has prior board level experience in the financial services sector, most notably at Lloyds Bowmaker PLC. He has an engineering degree from Cambridge University and an MBA from Manchester Business School.

Tim also holds other non-executive directorships with g4 Limited, Elsphyl Ltd, Ortrüd GmbH (Germany) and Knürr AG (Germany).

"We are delighted that Tim has joined us," said Richard Last, Digica's chief executive officer. "His wide experience in both public and private equity-backed companies at international level will be invaluable to an organisation like Digica, which has ambitious growth plans in Europe and the USA."

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Notes for Editors:

Digica is a leading specialist in midrange and desktop outsourcing, providing a range of services tailored to meet its customers' demands. These services include Midrange Operations, Advanced Infrastructure Management Solutions for the desktop and network environment, Applications Management and Web Hosting. Digica also offers ASP Hosting services to software vendors who want to provide their own applications and services to their own customers on a price per user or other subscription basis.

Digica employs more than 180 people at locations in the UK and the USA, and its customers include Capespan, Carat, CeDo, Cray Valley, Crazy George's, Dairy Crest, DF Young, DTS Logistics, Express Dairies, Fisher Foods, Freshbake Foods, Hodgson Chemicals, h-TE Controls, International Supply Chain (ISC), The Jacobs Bakery, Logtek, the New York Times, Northern Foods, Phillips-Van Heusen, Sanden International, Tinsley Wire, Tradeteam Exel Logistics, Universal Manufacturing & Logistics, Wesupply, Whitworths and the Yorkshire Group.

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