Press Release

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## Hi-Media's Allopass platform expands it's offer for Italy with the integration of MobilePay


#### Abstract

Milan, May 10th 2012 - Hi-Media Payments, the payment activity of online media group HiMedia (ISIN Code FROOOOO75988-HIM, HIM.FR), announces the signature of a new contact with MobilePay. Allopass - the micropayment platform of Hi-Media Group - integrates MobilePay, the joint payment platform of the Italian Mobile Operators to allow merchants to reach unbanked customers.


MobilePay is the new payment platform, built by the six largest Italian mobile operators - Fastweb, Poste Mobile, Telecom Italy Mobile, 3 Italy, Vodafone and Wind - designed to facilitate and speed up micropayments for digital services across all platforms and devices (PC, Tablet, smartphone) through the use of mobile billing.

Thanks to this partnership, Hi-Media Payments expands the payment methods offered in Italy thus reaching out to the large number of users that have a Mobile Phone but do not have a Credit Card or Bank Account. These users can now complete transactions by billing purchases to their Mobile Phone regardless of the operator or subscription model.

The decision to integrate MobilePay in Allopass is part of a wider strategy of Hi Media Payments, which seeks to support its clients by identifying and proposing the most effective payment options based on the characteristics of each market. With over 50 payment methods available globally, Allopass already actively supports several tens of thousands of publishers in over 85 countries processing more than 10 million transactions per month.

Adding MobilePay to the existing payment options in Allopass for the Italian market - Premium Calls, Premium Text Message, Credit Card, Debit Card, and the Hipay ewallet-means providing merchants with a single, self provisioning payment platform that expands the reachable user base to the 46.6 million of Italians who have one or more SIM.

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Hi-Media is one of the largest European digital media Group. Its business model relies on two different revenue streams: online advertising via Hi-Media Advertising and online content monetization via Hi-Media Payments. The group, which operates in 9 European countries, the USA and Brazil, employs more than 500 people and in 2011 posted over 230 million euros in sales. Independent since its creation in 1996, the company is listed since 2000 on the Euronext Eurolist Paris (Eurolist C) and is included in the CAC Small and CAC All-Tradable indices. ISIN code: FR0000075988.
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