

## **Sword Technologies S.A. as a consortium partner of Intrasoft International S.A. and Unisys Belgium S.A., emphasises its leading role as a Taxation and Customs expert company with a new win of an 8-year contract in DG Taxation and Customs Union**

Windhof, 4th September 2017 - Sword Technologies S.A. today announced that it has won a contract with an estimated value of 40 million EUR at the European Commission's DG Taxation and Customs Union.

Continuing the 4-year successful service delivery of the ITSM2 Lot 2 contract, the consortium of Sword Technologies SA and Intrasoft International SA has joined forces with Unisys Belgium and has once more won the trust of DG Taxation and Customs Union to carry out all the critical IT services for the management and coordination of the Trans-European systems in the new ITSM3 TES 8-year contract.

ITSM3 TES is a demanding Framework Contract with complex support services and challenging tasks on a daily basis for any IT team, in order to be able to cover all the critical service management needs for the co-ordination of implementation of Trans-European systems in the European Union and its Member States.

Sword Technologies S.A. a long-standing trusted partner of DG Taxation and Customs Union for more than 15 years, is a proven Customs and Taxation IT services leader in the European Commission and European Market, which further boosts its credibility and strategic focus on successfully delivering challenging contracts by supporting the Member States and the Commission to the new era of Customs and Taxation in Europe.

*"ITSM has always been a beacon of success for our company," commented Mr. Dieter Rogiers, Managing Director of Sword Technologies S.A. "and as such, we are committed to continue supporting the European Commission and the EU Member States in the implementation of all Trans-European systems and facilitate the European Commission to achieve its strategic goals, general objectives and the implementation of the EU Customs policy."*

### **About Sword Technologies SA**

Sword Technologies SA, a 100% owned subsidiary of Sword Group SE, is responsible for all activities in Belgium and Luxembourg with a near-shore delivery centre in Athens, Greece.

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