Nearby Computing and Casa Systems sign strategic partnership to simplify 5G and edge deployments, enhancing the power of Casa's 5G solution with best-of-breed management and automation

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Nearby Computing SL, a provider of industry-leading 5G and Edge orchestration solutions and Casa Systems (Nasdaq: CASA), a leading provider of physical and cloud-native broadband technology solutions for wireless, cable and fixed networks today announced a strategic partnership that will make Edge computing more accessible and easier to deploy for service provider and enterprise customers. Casa's 5G multi-access core and radio access network (RAN) portfolio combined with the new NearbyOne Edge Orchestrator platform, will simplify deployment and management of 5G network reducing time-to-market and resource requirements.

This new 5G Edge solution allows service providers and enterprises to fully harness network slicing at the network edge – a key feature of 5G. Network slicing enables new business model innovation across all industries by tailoring network specifications to specific tasks to improve efficiency, performance and flexibility, while also creating new revenue opportunities. Additionally, this 5G Edge solution can be configured to support multiple use cases including "5G in a box" with all components installed at an edge location or positioning a 5G UPF component remotely for maximum flexibility. All functions can be accessed and managed through the NearbyOne Edge Orchestration Platform.

Casa's Kubernetes-native 5G multi-access core enables a next-generation of mobile networks that are more flexible, scalable, and automated with the high performance required to support a multitude of use cases from edge computing to time-sensitive networking and ultra-reliable, low latency applications and far-edge solutions for private enterprises.

Nearby Computing's robust portfolio of third-party applications that range from Augmented Reality to Computer Vision, are designed to solve specific customer challenges at the edge that were once too costly to address including remote site access control and remote user assist. An innovative developer framework allows service providers and enterprise customers to automate, orchestrate and deploy services at the edge using a single pane of glass for a unified edge experience.

About Nearby Computing

Nearby Computing helps Telcos & Enterprise customers unleash the potential of Edge Computing through Orchestration and Automation of MEC and 5G. The Nearby One is an orchestration platform that goes beyond market standards to manage all tiers of the network, from Cloud and Data Centre to Edge, from a single pane of glass. Using a cross-domain approach that is fully agnostic, they are able to manage hybrid networks at scale through domain-specific orchestration and comprehensive end-to-end orchestration. The solution covers all critical elements of deployment automation - from the initial Edge node provisioning to application on-boarding, to lifecycle management and QoS Assurance to SLA monitoring.

The company was founded in 2018 as a spin-off of the Barcelona Supercomputing Center and operates globally from its headquarters in Barcelona, Spain.

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About Casa Systems, Inc.

Casa Systems, Inc. (Nasdaq: CASA) delivers the core-to-customer building blocks to speed 5G transformation with future-proof solutions and cutting-edge bandwidth for all access types. In today's increasingly personalized world, we create disruptive architectures built specifically to meet the needs of service provider networks. Our suite of open, cloud-native network solutions unlocks new ways for service providers to build networks without boundaries and maximize revenue-generating capabilities. Commercially deployed in more than 70 countries, Casa Systems serves over 475 Tier 1 and regional service providers worldwide. For more information, visit http://www.casa-systems.com.

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