

**VOX TELECOM LIMITED**  
(Formerly DataPro Group Limited)  
(Incorporated in the Republic of South Africa)  
(Registration number 1998/016433/06)  
("Vox Telecom" or "the company")  
JSE Code: VOX                      ISIN Code: ZAE 000097234

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## **UNCONDITIONAL ACQUISITION OF 100% OF STORM AND APPOINTMENT OF DIRECTOR**

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The board of directors of Vox Telecom is pleased to announce that, further to the announcement dated 10 October 2007 pertaining to the acquisition by Vox Telecom of the entire issued share capital and claims on loan account in STWS Limited and its wholly owned subsidiaries, Storm Telecom (Pty) Limited and Storm Internet (Pty) Limited (collectively, "Storm"), ("the Storm Acquisition"), with effect from 1 December 2007, consents of both the Exchange Control Department of the South African Reserve Bank and the Competition Authorities of South Africa have been obtained. All the conditions pertaining to the Storm Acquisition have now been met and, accordingly, the Storm Acquisition has become unconditional. Shareholders of Vox Telecom are reminded that Mvelaphanda Group Limited has agreed to take up vendor shares as part of the Storm Acquisition and have nominated Mr Tshakalisa Matiwaza to the board of Vox Telecom with effect from 30 January 2008.

### **Mr Tshakalisa Matiwaza ("Shakes")**

Mr. Matiwaza completed a BSc Chemical Engineering degree with the University of Cape Town in 1993 and in 1999 completed a BCom degree with the University of South Africa. While working for PetroSA (formerly Mossgas Refinery) as a production engineer he completed his MBA degree with the University of Cape Town and University of Cambridge (exchange programme) and became the recipient of the Sainsbury Management Fellowship for engineering graduates with excellent academic records and leadership potential. In October 2007 he left The Standard Bank of South Africa Limited where he held the position of director of corporate finance to join Mvelaphanda Group Limited and currently holds the position of Group Investment Executive. Shakes will be joining Vox Telecom as a non-executive director.

### **BEE Status**

Following the Storm Acquisition approximately 42% of Vox Telecom will be held by BEE shareholders, namely the Lereko Metier Capital Growth Fund with 23,6%, Mvelaphanda Group Limited with 12,42%, Regiments Capital with 4,24% and Thembeke Capital with 1,61%. This makes Vox Telecom the largest black-owned telecommunications company operating in South Africa.

Johannesburg  
30 January 2008

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**Corporate Advisor**  
**Metier**

**Designated Advisor**  
**Arcay Moela Sponsors (Pty) Ltd**