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Gatehouse Ventures Selects NexTec Group and Sage MAS 500 as its Premier Solution

NexTec Group Provides Gatehouse Ventures with Sage MAS 500 as the Fully Integrated Financial and Inventory Management Solution that Leverages the Full Capabilities of its Growing Needs

New York, NY—January 17, 2008—NexTec Group today announced that Gatehouse Ventures, LP headquartered in Philadelphia, PA, has chosen Sage MAS 500 ERP as its new business management solution. NexTec Group and Gatehouse Ventures plan to begin the implementation immediately.

Gatehouse Ventures, a successful holding company, is in the business of making other companies successful. With over 30 years of combined financial and managerial expertise, Gatehouse Ventures lifts the performance of its partner companies by implementing growth initiatives, consummating corporate acquisitions and executing corporate financings. Gatehouse Ventures will use Sage MAS 500 to meet and exceed these specific business requirements.

"We are very pleased to announce our selection of NexTec Group to implement Sage MAS 500 at Gatehouse Ventures." Stated Chris Jansen, Managing Director for Gatehouse Ventures. "NexTec Group came to us with a powerful level of knowledge that made our decision very easy. Overall, we believe NexTec Group is the right partner with the right solution to help us achieve our next level of success. We plan to capitalize on this relationship by creating further growth for Gatehouse Ventures, our current partner companies, and those companies we seek to partner with in the future."

"Sage MAS 500 is an ideal solution for Gatehouse Ventures," said Andrew Nunez, General Manager for NexTec Group. "Gatehouse will take advantage of OLAP (On-Line Analytical Processing) and other Business Intelligence applications as well as giving them the ability to respond to their growth both tactically and strategically. Couple that with outstanding resources on both sides and we possess a well rounded, sophisticated, working relationship. We're looking forward to our new relationship with Gatehouse Ventures and are dedicated to implementing and supporting Sage MAS 500."

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About Gatehouse Ventures

Gatehouse Ventures, LP, is the management arm of Gatehouse Holdings, LLC, a holding company that acquires and operates companies valued from \$5-\$30M. Our mission is to combine over 30 years of financial and managerial expertise with the existing management teams of our partner companies. For more information on Gatehouse Ventures please visit: www.gatehouseventures.com.

About NexTec Group

NexTec Group specializes in providing small, mid-market and mid-enterprise companies with Financial, ERP (Enterprise Resource Planning) and CRM (Customer Relationship Management) solutions suited to their specific industries and business needs. We leverage award winning systems like Microsoft Dynamics GP (formerly Great Plains), Microsoft Dynamics SL (formerly Solomon) and Sage MAS 500 ERP. Our suite of solutions also includes integrated CRM with Microsoft Dynamics CRM and Sage SalesLogix CRM, development and deployment of robust analytical and reporting tools, including: Microsoft SQL Reporting Services, Microsoft FRx and Microsoft Forecaster, Crystal Reports, OLAP for Microsoft Office Excel and Microsoft Performance Point Server (formerly Proclarity Analytics Server) to deliver comprehensive solutions for your business. For more information about NexTec Group, our solutions and our technical consulting and implementation services, please visit: www.nextecgroup.com.