

Microland Named The Microsoft Best Infrastructure Partner For FY 2011 In India

Microland Clinches The Award For The Seventh Time In The Category

Bangalore, India November 08, 2011 - Microland Limited (www.microland.com), leading IT Infrastructure Services Provider, announced that it has been named the Microsoft Best Infrastructure Partner of the year for 2011. This is the seventh year in a row that Microland has been conferred with this prestigious award. Microsoft through this award, honours partners that have demonstrated exemplary leadership in delivering infrastructure services to customers across India on Microsoft Solutions.

Commenting on the award, Hrishikesh Parthasarathy, Alliances Lead, Enterprise & Partner Group of Microsoft said, "I would like to congratulate Microland for winning this award for the seventh year in row. Microland's commitment and capability in delivering infrastructure services around Microsoft solutions to customers is highly commendable and I am sure this will continue in the years to come".

Receiving the award at a gathering held recently in Mumbai, Bobby M D, Associate Vice President, Microland said, "It is truly an honour to receive this award from Microsoft this year. In spite of the challenging market conditions and tough competition, I am extremely glad that Microland has emerged as Best Infrastructure Partner. Over the years, Microland has built expertise and capabilities around Microsoft Solutions for providing world class infrastructure services to customers in India"

Nominations to various categories for the Best Partner Awards were submitted by Microsoft partners from across the country. The award finalists and winners were selected from a group of nominations based on the partner solutions and services provided to key Microsoft Enterprise customers.

About Microsoft

Founded in 1975, Microsoft (Nasdaq “MSFT”) is the worldwide leader in software, services and solutions that help people and businesses realize their full potential.

About Microland

Microland is India’s leading specialist IT infrastructure services provider with a global footprint. Microland’s services address the complete IT Infrastructure needs of an organization through the **smartfutureSM** offering which includes Cloud Computing, Collaboration, Virtualization, and Mobility services and the **smartnowSM** offering which includes Infrastructure Management Services, IT Modernization Services, Process Maturity Services, Assurance & Compliance Services and Technical Support services. Through a unique IP built into its Service Delivery Platform, Microland leverages analytics, automation and assurance to deliver reduced TCO, greater IT-business alignment and higher performance for customers. The recent awards won by Microland are – Rated amongst the Top 10 Infrastructure Management Providers by Global Services in 2010 for the 4th consecutive year; The Best Infrastructure Services Partner (India) for the seventh time by Microsoft since 2005; Ranked 8th and 2nd amongst The Top 20 Remote Infrastructure Management vendors and for Data Centre Management capabilities respectively by the Black Book of Outsourcing. Microland is headquartered in Bangalore and employs over 2,300 professionals worldwide. For more information, please visit www.microland.com