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Dear Sir/Madam,

iiNet confirms David Buckingham as Chief Executive Officer

14 July 2014: iiNet has appointed Mr David Buckingham as Chief Executive Officer of iiNet Limited (ASX: IIN), effective immediately.

Mr Buckingham, who has been acting in the position since November 2013, was appointed by the iiNet Board of Directors today after an extensive worldwide search.

iiNet Chairman Michael Smith said the Board was unanimous in its decision to confirm Mr Buckingham in the role.

"Despite strong competition from applicants around the world, David proved an obvious choice as the person to lead iiNet now and into the future," Michael Smith said.

"David has made the role his own over the past nine months, delivering the company's strongest ever results, market-leading customer service, and organic growth.

"In his seven years with the company, first as Chief Financial Officer, and now CEO, David has taken iiNet to a level where it can genuinely compete with some of the largest companies in Australia.

"The iiNet leadership team has charted an exciting course for the business over the next five years, and David is the best person to deliver on this plan. The focus is to strengthen our market share, increase profitability and extend our customer service excellence into new business areas.

"We look forward to the continued growth and strong revenue results that we know David can deliver on," Mr Smith concluded.

liNet used executive search firm Leadership and Succession as recruitment consultant for this appointment.



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About iiNet

iiNet is Australia's second largest DSL Internet Service Provider and the leading challenger in the telecommunications market. Publicly listed on the ASX 200, this billion-dollar company has been recognised as a global leader in customer service, winning the Large Business award at the 2013 International Service Excellence Awards. We employ more than 2500 inquisitive staff across three countries – 80 per cent of whom are employed to directly service over 900,000 customers. We maintain our own broadband network and support over 1.7 million broadband, telephony and Internet Protocol TV (IPTV) services nationwide.

We're committed to making it simple for all Australians to connect across both our own network and on the NBN. Our vision is to lead the market with services that harness the potential of the Internet and then differentiate with award-winning customer service.



A full list of current awards can be viewed at iiNet Awards http://www.iinet.net.au/about/awards.html