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## **Top Appointment at Capgemini Outsourcing**

*Steve Thurlow has been recruited as Head of New Services Development*

**Paris, June 4, 2009** –The global outsourcing arm of Capgemini, one of the world’s foremost providers of consulting, technology and outsourcing services, is investing in innovation and talent with the appointment of Steve Thurlow as Head of New Services Development. Steve will focus on identifying new service opportunities for the global outsourcing business across multiple service lines, including Applications Outsourcing, Infrastructure Outsourcing and Business Process Outsourcing. He will also be tasked with identifying new opportunities in emerging markets, in particular for Eastern Europe. The appointment takes effect immediately.

Steve joins Capgemini from Vodafone, where he was Head of Service Creation & Delivery and led a team tasked with the delivery of Vodafone UK’s new products, services and network improvements. He also gained experience as Vodafone’s Head of Strategic Portfolio Management, where he defined and implemented strategic portfolio management processes, along with an improved governance model, resource management and a demand/capacity forecasting process.

David Boulter, Head of New Markets at Capgemini Outsourcing, said: “*Capgemini aims to provide our clients with sustainable innovation throughout the entire lifecycle of our relationship, to help them compete more effectively in the global marketplace. With his excellent experience and track record, Steve gives our clients unique and powerful insight and is a great addition to our team.*”

Commenting on his new role, Steve Thurlow said: “*I’m delighted to join Capgemini Outsourcing. What sets Capgemini apart for me is the depth of experience of their people and their collaborative style of working together with the industry and clients to deliver the best services. I’m excited to be joining a team that, together, will be able to drive growth and innovation.*”



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