

IGT and WMS Showcase Network Gaming Interoperability at G2E 2010

Leading slot manufacturers demonstrate application interoperability

(Las Vegas – Nov. 17, 2010) – International Game Technology (NYSE: IGT), a global leader in creating the major slot games players love and casino network systems that improve the player experience, and WMS Gaming Inc., a subsidiary of WMS Industries Inc. (NYSE:WMS), a leader in the design, manufacture and distribution of gaming machines to the global gaming industry, are presenting an interoperability demonstration at the 2010 Global Gaming Expo (G2E) on Nov. 16–18 at the Las Vegas Convention Center.

IGT and WMS are working collaboratively to leverage the infrastructure provided by the industry's open game-to-system (G2S) casino floor network. In joint demonstrations in their respective booths at G2E, IGT and WMS are showcasing new player communication capabilities that can be achieved with the implementation of G2S across both Service Window using IGT's sbX™ Media Manager and FreedomPort Player User Interface windowing platform enabled by WMS' WAGE-NET networked gaming solution.

"This is the latest example of interoperability and cooperation between manufacturers to provide operators with a glimpse into another level of flexibility and choice for their floors," said Chris Satchell, IGT chief technology officer. "Expanding the options for application delivery in the game screen was a logical next step in our collaboration with WMS, and we're eager to see where this collaboration takes us."

Larry Pacey, WMS chief innovation officer, said, "Together IGT and WMS have developed a software-based solution executed on a GSA Standards-based infrastructure. As part of our commitment to interoperability, WMS and IGT continue to work together on a path toward an open and compatible environment that meets casino operator's needs. This approach ensures our windowing and application platforms are able to co-exist, which will drive measurable benefits for the operator by leveraging the upfront development of a robust, well integrated solution that can encompass a vast array of gaming and non-gaming applications."

For a demonstration of IGT's and WMS' network gaming interoperability, visit IGT at Central Hall Booth #900 or WMS at Central Hall Booth #1256.

About IGT

International Game Technology (NYSE: IGT) is a leader in the design, development and manufacture of gaming machines and systems products worldwide. More information about IGT is available at www.IGT.com.

About WMS

WMS is engaged in serving the gaming industry worldwide by designing, manufacturing and marketing games, video and mechanical reel-spinning gaming machines, video lottery terminals and in gaming operations, which consists of the placement of leased participation gaming machines in legal gaming venues. WMS is proactively addressing the next stage of casino gaming floor evolution with its *WAGE-NET* networked gaming solution, a suite of systems technologies and applications designed to increase customers' revenue generating capabilities and operational efficiency. [More information on WMS can be found at www.wms.com](#) or visit the Company on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#) or [YouTube](#).

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