



GlobalSign Provides Free Adobe AIR Code Signing

Year End Promotion to encourage developers to secure Adobe AIR Applications

Portsmouth, NH – November 11, 2008 – GlobalSign Inc (www.globalsign.com), a specialist in digital certificate security, announced today that they will be offering a year end promotion for their newly released Adobe AIR Code Signing Certificates.

Adobe AIR developers can visit <http://www.globalsign.com/developer/code-signing-certificate/promotion.htm> for a chance to win a free ObjectSign Code Signing Certificate for use with Adobe AIR. Ten winners will be selected at random on November 30th and an additional ten winners will be selected at random on December 31st of 2008. In addition to the twenty free Certificates that will be given away, developers that have immediate needs or require multiple Certificates will be able to purchase Certificates valid of up to one year for 43% off the standard retail price.

This promotion will provide developers another option in a market that is dominated by a few select providers. This year end promotion will further allow developers to enjoy the benefits of signing their code by reducing the barriers to entry, such as high costs, that the alternatives in the market currently present.

“GlobalSign is delighted to offer this extraordinary opportunity to obtain either free or deeply discounted Code Signing Digital IDs for Adobe AIR,” Said Lila Kee, Director of Business Development, GlobalSign, Inc. “We anticipate the AIR developer community will react positively to this promotion as a low risk method to observe how enhanced trusted communication can translate to increases in downloadable software.”

Applications developed for Adobe AIR can be digitally signed and secured by GlobalSign Code Signing Certificates. Code Signing Certificates for Adobe AIR allow developers to deploy the virtual equivalent of “shrink-wrap” to their applications, resulting in tamperproof applications and greatly enhanced assurances of application authenticity.

Developers of AIR applications are vetted by GlobalSign and are then issued a Code Signing Certificate that makes the application tamperproof and binds their identity to the digitally signed AIR application. Adobe AIR only allows users to run applications that have been digitally signed. The digital signature also allows users to identify which developer signed the application and when,

providing assurances that the application is legitimate. End users are more likely to install applications from developers they trust.

For further details on Adobe AIR please visit <http://www.adobe.com/products/air/>

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About GlobalSign

Established in 1996 and as a WebTrust accredited public certificate authority, GlobalSign offers publicly trusted [SSL](#), including [EV SSL Certificates](#), [S/MIME](#) and [Code Signing Certificates](#) for use on all platforms including mobile devices. Its [Trusted Root](#) solution uses the widely distributed GlobalSign Root CA certificates to provide immediate PKI trust for Microsoft CA and enterprise CAs, eliminating the costs associated with using untrusted Root Certificates. Its partnership with Adobe to provide [Certified Document Services](#) (CDS) enables secure digitally signed PDF e-documents. These core [Digital Certificate](#) solutions allow its thousands of customers to conduct secure online transactions and data transfer, distribute tamper-proof code, and bind identities to client certificates for [email security](#) and remote two factor authentication. The company has a history of innovation within the online security market and has offices in the US, UK, Belgium, Japan, and China.

About GMO Internet Group

GMO Internet Group, headquartered in Japan, is a leading force in the Internet industry offering one of the most comprehensive ranges of Internet services worldwide. The group holds top domestic market share in domain registration, web hosting, and payment processing and provides a host of other Internet services including global online security services, e-commerce solutions, and Internet advertising to both businesses and individuals. At the centre of the group is GMO Internet, Inc. a company listed on the prestigious first section of the Tokyo Stock Exchange (TSE: 9449). Please visit www.gmo.jp/en for further details.

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