



## Forval International Reaches out to Small Businesses Impacted by Southern California Wildfires with Free ElipServices Offer

*Firm will provide its award-winning managed information technology (IT) service for free for one year to small businesses impacted by fire storms currently ravaging Southern California*

**NEWPORT BEACH, Calif., October 26, 2007** — Forval International, Inc., the provider of ElipServices™ managed IT services for small- and mid-size businesses, today announced a free offer and donation campaign, reflecting its deep concern over the recent and continuing loss of personal residences and business offices by thousands of Southern Californians.

Effective immediately, Forval is offering ElipServices, its award-winning disaster recovery, data storage and [remote backup service](#), free for one year to those directly impacted by the Southern California fire storm.

ElipServices is a suite of technology services designed for small businesses. The automatic nightly remote backup service will protect these businesses from future disasters like the one they just experienced. ElipServices also includes a file server, wireless router, firewall, VPN, and other services all managed for the business, allowing them to concentrate on rebuilding their business and not worry about their IT problems.

As equipment is an included component of ElipServices, there is no cost for hardware associated with this offer. It is the firm's objective to provide a jump start for those small businesses impacted by this large scale disaster.

In addition, Forval will donate 5 percent of all ElipServices gross receipts collected starting today, through year end, to a designated fire relief fund. Forval's managed IT service is an important component to a disaster recovery plan.

*"We have been personally impacted by this disaster, so we want to do whatever we can to give back to our community in Southern California," said David Fortini, president of Forval International. "Small businesses have enough challenges without raging wildfires threatening their homes and livelihoods. At least with this offer, we can eliminate the worry of losing important data in the future."*

Headquartered in Newport Beach, Orange County, Forval's employees are experiencing the wildfires first hand, as are the employees of their national partner, Technology Assurance Group (TAG), which is headquartered just south in San Diego ([www.tagnational.com](http://www.tagnational.com)). If you are a business impacted by the wildfires, or would like to help out but by purchasing ElipServices, please contact Forval by phone: +1 (877) 354-7835, or by email: [sales@forvalint.com](mailto:sales@forvalint.com). For more details on this offer please refer to [www.elipservices.com/firerelief](http://www.elipservices.com/firerelief).

### **About Forval International**

Forval Corporation is a publicly traded company founded in 1980, headquartered in Tokyo. Specializing in telephony and IT services, Forval has over 150,000 customers with sales approaching half a billion dollars. Forval International is a Newport Beach, California, division of Forval Corporation. Established as a managed services provider to launch ElipServices within the North American market, Forval International will expand Forval Corporation's global footprint. To learn more, please go to [www.ElipServices.com](http://www.ElipServices.com).