

## LYRIX PARTNERS WITH LOQUENDO

**Lowell, MA and Turin, Italy – April 24, 2009** - Lyrix, Inc., provider of complete speech enabled collaboration solutions for large and distributed enterprises and Loquendo, the global provider of speech technologies today announced that Loquendo speech software is now available onboard the Lyrix flagship solution, Mobiso, a Lyrix PeopleFind based service.

Lyrix provides the industry's most accurate speech-enhanced directories for use as Speech Attendants and Speech-assisted Mobile Address Books. Deployed worldwide by the world's most demanding enterprises, Lyrix's PeopleFind platform creates a numberless enterprise and makes mobility work by reducing the costs and inefficiencies of communicating in an increasingly mobile world. Mobiso is a new hosted service in the cloud and the premises that runs on the accurate and secure PeopleFind directory, makes connecting with people and teams a breeze, and offers industry-leading speech recognition assistance for safe navigation while mobile.

Loquendo leads the speech market in terms of quality, efficiency and portability, pronunciation accuracy, naturalness of timbre and intonation. Its flagship products are Loquendo TTS, a truly expressive synthetic speech engine and Loquendo ASR, a speaker-independent, multilingual speech recognizer which accurately and reliably recognizes large-scale vocabulary continuous speech even in the noisiest of environments (e.g. mobile, VoIP or in-car). Loquendo speech technologies are available in a wide range of languages from around the world.

Mobiso users can now also enjoy the benefits of Loquendo ASR and TTS technologies, which coupled with patented Lyrix Logical Choice technology and a proprietary enterprise optimized Lyrix Master Dictionary, guarantee accurate recognition results. The Mobiso service is the most advanced speech-assisted directory for business. Mobiso comes with a proprietary Day2 Service to ensure a continuously improved mobile user experience;

"Loquendo's ASR and TTS technologies complement the Lyrix Mobiso solution by supporting large enterprise directories, and speaker independence with high accuracy and implementation flexibility," said Stewart Hampton, Director of Sales & Marketing at Lyrix. "Lyrix can work with multiple ASR technologies. We have added support for Loquendo because we have found it to be a highly flexible and cost-effective quality speech engine."

"We are proud of this partnership and feel it is a great endorsement in such a fast paced market" said Rosanna Duce, Vice President International Sales at Loquendo. "Lyrix are using speech to optimize the experience of their customers worldwide, enabling them to cut costs and maximize efficiency. This proves the business benefit of Loquendo technologies, and the value speech can bring to enterprises."

Lyrix Mobiso customers and partners worldwide now have more choices when it comes to speech technologies focused on enterprise solutions, also because both companies guarantee full, ongoing support of industry standards.

### **About Lyrix, Inc.**

Lyrix provides speech-enhanced communications services for enterprises and speech applications through OEM partnerships. Powered by Lyrix's patented PeopleFind technology, the Mobiso service is hosted in the cloud and on the premise, delivering hands-free, numberless tools to improve how mobile workforces collaborate and connect in an increasingly mobile world. Some of the world's most prestigious and global companies have deployed Peoplefind as a service and through OEM.

For more information please go to: [www.lyrix.com](http://www.lyrix.com)

**About Loquendo**

Winner of 'Market Leader-Best Speech Engine' at the 2008 and 2007 Speech Industry Awards, Loquendo is the leading innovator in speech recognition and speech synthesis - providing a complete range of technologies for server, embedded and desktop solutions. Currently available in 26 languages with 62 voices, and constantly growing, Loquendo's best-in-breed technologies enhance customer satisfaction and greatly reduce costs.