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Hanson Chooses Rev-Trac for SAP Change Management Solution

Major heavy building materials company selects Rev-Trac as mature, full-featured change control solution for SAP systems

Melbourne, Australia – October 24, 2005 – Revelation Software Concepts Pty Ltd (RSC), member of the SAP® Software Partner program and creator of the Rev-Trac® change control application for SAP solutions, today announced that heavy building materials company Hanson Australia has picked Rev-Trac to manage changes in its SAP solution-based business intelligence infrastructure. The selection came after Hanson evaluated both Rev-Trac and SAP's native change management application for controlling changes.

Hanson CIO Rob Downing described Rev-Trac's maturity and flexibility as key factors in the selection. "We needed a product that could enforce our complex change management requirements without compromise," Downing explained. "We're also impressed by RSC's long-standing, specialized focus on SAP change management." He went on to say, "Hanson needs to be Sarbanes-Oxley compliant and Rev-Trac greatly assisted in meeting this requirement."

Downing said SAP's new native change management application had some appealing features, including nil capital cost, but his team determined there was too much risk implementing the first version of any software product. Hanson's requirements include flexible change control, full audit visibility of all changes, and complete protection from transport sequencing errors, all of which Rev-Trac provides.

RSC founder and CEO David Drake, welcoming Hanson as a new customer, noted that interest in change management steadily increased after SAP gave further recognition of the need to manage changes to SAP solutions within a coherent framework. "Perhaps paradoxically, SAP's initiatives in this area have generated considerable interest in Rev-Trac," said Drake. "SAP customers who have not reevaluated their change control options for some time begin to look at what SAP offers and ask themselves what other products have to offer in this area. We welcome the comparison."

With Rev-Trac, RSC has focused strongly on SAP change control for more than eight years. Says Drake, "It is not surprising that organizations like Hanson Australia continue to recognize Rev-Trac's maturity and track record."

For more about Hanson Australia, see <http://www.hanson.biz/au>. More on Revelation Software Concepts and its products, including Rev-Trac 5.0, can be found at <http://www.xrsc.com/Rev-Trac.html>.

About Hanson Australia

Hanson Australia is part of the Hanson plc group. Hanson is one of the world's leading heavy building materials companies. It is the world's largest producer of aggregates - crushed rock, sand and gravel - and one of the largest producers of concrete products, clay bricks and ready-mixed concrete. Other principal products include asphalt and concrete roof tiles. The company has operations in North America, the UK, Australia, Asia Pacific and Continental Europe. Hanson plc employs over 27,400 people in 14 countries.

About Revelation Software Concepts

Headquartered in Melbourne, Australia, Revelation Software Concepts Pty Ltd has earned the trust of some of the world's largest corporations since 1997, developing robust software applications that help customers obtain maximum competitive advantage from their SAP® solutions. An SAP software partner, RSC's business strategy is 100% SAP-focused. RSC's SAP change control tool Rev-Trac® and cross-application reporting product xReports® demonstrate the company's preparedness to think 'outside the box' when developing superior software solutions. Technologically innovative, both products reflect RSC's commitment to creating solutions that are simple to use and promote business transparency and collaboration. Rev-Trac 5.0 is an SAP-certified add-on for SAP 4.6 and 4.7 and is "Powered by SAP NetWeaver". For more information, visit <http://www.xrsc.com>.

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