

## ENTREPRENEUR MAGAZINE RANKS AENEAS INTERNET AND TELEPHONE ON ITS ANNUAL LIST OF THE FASTEST GROWING COMPANIES IN AMERICA

Aeneas Internet and Telephone has been named to Entrepreneur magazine's annual "Hot 500" list of 2007's fastest growing businesses.

*Entrepreneur* and the Corporate Research Board chose the top 500 fastest growing businesses from a pool of 95,000 finalists. Finalists were chosen based on criteria such as foundation date, company sales growth, and positive job growth. To be eligible, the founder needed to be actively involved in the company, the company could not be a division of a larger company, and company sales for 2006 had to be at least \$1 million. From this list, the Hot 500 were selected. "The Hot 500 is our annual ranking of the fastest-growing entrepreneurial businesses. We're proud to salute America's leading entrepreneurial companies,

which contribute so much to the nation's and the world's economy," said Rieva Lesonsky, senior VP of *Entrepreneur*, in a magazine press release. Aeneas Internet and Telephone is ranked at number 343 out of 500.

"We're honored to be listed along with other leading entrepreneurial businesses in the Hot 500 issue of *Entrepreneur*," said Jonathan Harlan, founder and CEO of Aeneas Internet and Telephone. "It's a wonderful validation of the hard work our staff has put in to bring our customers the high-quality local service you just can't get from the bigger companies." Founded by CEO Jonathan Harlan in 1996, Aeneas Internet and Telephone has grown from just 2 employees to its current roster of 28 employees.

For more information: <http://www.entrepreneur.com/Hot500/Details/343.html>

About Aeneas Internet and Telephone: Since its founding, Aeneas Internet & Telephone has been dedicated to the expansion of technological boundaries. Aeneas now offers a myriad of services including nationwide Internet access, local and long distance service in Tennessee, Voice over Internet, VoIP office phone systems, commercial web hosting and corporate e-mail, Internet backbone connectivity for businesses, broadband Internet, off-site file storage and colocation, emergency preparedness options and more. For more about Aeneas Internet and Telephone visit <http://www.aeneas.com>.