

Infosys announces Progeon, its Business Process Management ("BPM") venture; Citigroup Investments to invest US\$ 20 million

Bangalore, India and Fremont, California, USA. – April 16, 2002: Infosys Technologies Ltd. (Nasdaq: INFY) today announced the launch of its BPM venture, called Progeon Limited ("Progeon"), a company in which it would hold a majority stake. Infosys has also acquired additional funding of US\$ 20 million from Citigroup Investments for Progeon. Infosys had announced its plans to start a BPM initiative, at the declaration of its annual results last week, with an investment of US\$ 5 million.

Progeon [Managing **Processes** in the **G**lobal Era (**Eon**)] will be headquartered in Bangalore and is incorporated in India. The company will currently operate out of Infosys' state-of-the art facilities at Bangalore. Together, Progeon and Infosys will offer their clients a complete cost-effective solution based on service and technology outsourcing.

Phaneesh Murthy, Infosys board member and Head Worldwide Sales and Marketing said, "We welcome Citigroup Investments as an investor and we see this as a great partnership."

"Infosys is a leading brand in India and this is a significant investment for us", said Robert Druskin, Executive Vice President – Chief Operations and Technology Officer, Citigroup. "We already have a business relationship with Infosys, which we are happy with and it was logical for Citigroup Investments to build upon the existing relationship with Infosys by investing in Progeon."

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successfully complete and integrate potential acquisitions, liability for damages on our service contracts, the success of the companies in which Infosys has made strategic investments, withdrawal of governmental fiscal incentives, political instability, legal restrictions on raising capital or acquiring companies outside India, and unauthorized use of our intellectual property and general economic conditions affecting our industry. Additional risks that could affect our future operating results are more fully described in our United States Securities and Exchange Commission filings including our Annual Report on Form 20-F for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2001 and quarterly report on Form 6-K for the quarters ended June 30, September 30, and December 31, 2001. These filings are available at www.sec.gov. Infosys may, from time to time, make additional written and oral forward-looking statements, including statements contained in the company's filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission and our reports to shareholders. The company does not undertake to update any forward-looking statement that may be made from time to time by or on behalf of the company.