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Novatel Wireless to Present at Avondale Small Cap Internet, Technology & Communications Conference

SAN DIEGO, Calif., Aug 08, 2006 (BUSINESS WIRE) -- Novatel Wireless, (Nasdaq:NVTL) today announced participation in the following event with the financial community:

Avondale Small Cap Internet, Tech & Communications Conference

Presentation Date: Thursday, August 10, 2006

Time: 1:20 p.m. PT

Presenter: Dan Halvorson, chief financial officer

Location: Omni Hotel, San Francisco, CA

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