## **Release Announcement**

## Crystal Point Announces OutsideView 9.0 A Major Release with New and Refined Features Including:

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## Latest Security Protocols, User Productivity, Better Performance, Higher Quality

Crystal Point, the world's leading provider of PC connectivity software for NonStop™ systems, today introduced a new release of OutsideView, the company's popular host connectivity solution. OutsideView 9.0 was created specifically for our IT/NonStop administrator, developer, and application users who demand a stronger tool. These tools include:

- Windows 10 certified
  - o Supports SQL Server 2017 for Enterprise Licensing
- Native 64-bit application
  - o Installation automatically installs 32-bit or 64-bit version as appropriate
- Data communications Improvements
  - o Full IPv6 support
  - HTML Tunneling access method
- Security Improvements
  - Password protection for Session files
  - Updated OpenSSL and SSH libraries
  - SQL Enterprise Licensing supports SQL Server Native Client 11.0 and TLS 1.2 protocol
- Fully Integrated ID/userid management
  - Automatically manage both link level and NSK logon credentials.
- Tools for organizing workspaces with a large numbers of sessions
  - Session windows can be organized into separate groups on the desktop. The groups can be organized vertically or horizontally. You can drag and drop individual sessions between groups.
  - Every session can be assigned to a subgroup. The session bar then lets you organize and filter the sessions by session type and/or subgroup.
  - Enhanced Session Bar Color Coding
  - Within a Workspace, you can mark each session to automatically start connecting when the Workspace is opened. Sessions that don't automatically connect when you open the workspace can be manually invoked later. Within the session bar, sessions are color coded to indicate if they have been invoked or not.
  - When you open a workspace, all of the automatic sessions start connecting simultaneously. This speeds up the loading of large workspaces.
- User Interface Improvements
  - Automatic status pane switching based on session context
  - Sessions can be dynamically switched between 80 and 132 column modes

"Our goal for this major release is to be spot on in meeting our customers' needs.

We take pride in staying in touch with our customers and bringing the latest connectivity technology to the NonStop market. This release reflects our understanding of what our users want and need: making their job easier and enhancing productivity," said Chris Anderson, President, Crystal Point.

OutsideView 9.0 is now available. Customers with active STAR Support and Maintenance Agreements are entitled to this release at 50% of upgrade costs. Contact Crystal Point (sales@crystalpoint.com) for additional information and updated licenses.

## **About Crystal Point**

For thirty-three years, Crystal Point has been recognized as the worldwide leader in PC-to-host connectivity software for NonStop systems. Crystal Point developed the original Tandem terminal emulator (TTE) and evolved it into its flagship product, OutsideView. OutsideView continues to bring modern connectivity standards to NonStop applications.