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### **Stonestreet One Develops Bluetooth Prototypes for Kivalo**

Louisville, Kentucky - March 6, 2001 - Stonestreet One, a Bluetooth technology engineering design firm, has been selected by Kivalo, Inc. to design and develop ambulatory medical monitoring devices capable of communicating via Bluetooth wireless technology. The first phase of the engagement included the development of a prototype Bluetooth technology-enabled blood/pulse oxymeter that transmits data to a remote location. The devices developed by Stonestreet One for Kivalo will allow the wearer's physiological data to be continuously gathered and transmitted to the internet where a third party will monitor the information. This process for transmitting data provides freedom of mobility for people otherwise restricted by medical conditions that require constant monitoring.

"What set Stonestreet One apart for us is that they have the ability to implement a solution up to the software and down to the hardware," said Mike Sleva, Technical Director of Kivalo. We didn't find many design houses that could address the hardware and software issues involved in building Bluetooth devices, and none with as much experience as Stonestreet One."

"We were excited to work with an innovator like Kivalo," said Dick Smith, President of Stonestreet One. "They are capturing the possibilities of Bluetooth technology in products that will make the lives of their customers infinitely better."

Stonestreet One designs, develops, and integrates embedded systems and wireless data applications. The company specializes in Bluetooth technology, offering engineering services, hardware for developers and end users, and a BQB listed Bluetooth Protocol stack. For more information visit <http://www.stonestreetone.com>.

Kivalo, Inc., a privately held company in Charlotte, North Carolina, is pioneering applications for ambulatory medical monitoring devices using Bluetooth. Kivalo has intellectual property protection surrounding the analysis of continuously gathered physiological data.

Bluetooth is a low cost, radio-based technology that provides an open standard for short-range wireless communications. Designed to enable wireless transmission of data signals, Bluetooth technology eliminates the need for cables.

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