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## **TMW releases TL2000™ V. 6.0 for IBM AS/400**

### **Internet-enabled load tracking/order entry and MSOffice reporting**

*Beachwood, OH, March 24, 2000.* TMW Systems, Inc., a leading developer of dispatch operations software for the trucking industry, announces the release of its TL2000 product for the IBM AS/400. This release features two powerful new interfaces: MSOfficeLink™ offers users complete flexibility to custom design reports, and eLink lets shippers track their own loads and place orders via the Internet.

MSOfficeLink lets TL2000 users link directly to the standard suite of Microsoft Office products and get the convenience of multiple pre-written reports (in the familiar Windows format) for analyzing profitability—instantly and automatically with data already available in TL2000. Spreadsheet templates can show revenue and expense trends over specific time periods as well as key account analysis, all represented graphically. Built-in functions include Percent Profit per Month, Revenue per Mile, and Total Miles by Revenue Class.

With eLink, TMW client carriers save significant time and effort and reduce frustration on both sides by letting their shippers log on through the Internet to track their own orders (check on shipment statuses and ETAs) and place orders—all without carrier staff involvement (see separate press release).

TMW developers are continuing to expand links into other standard, Microsoft Office products. "We believe in making life simpler for our customers at the same time we give them tools to make them even more productive," says Tom Weisz, TMW CEO. "Integration into Microsoft Office is a way to enhance the usability of our powerful IBM AS/400 package."

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“Our clients are among the most successful in the industry,” said Tom Weisz, TMW President and CEO. “The purpose of our systems is to help them offer superior customer service. MSOfficeLink and eLink are two of our latest developments to keep TL2000 ahead of the competition as the most flexible and powerful system available for the AS/400. Our partnerships with Microsoft and with IBM help support our strategy to keep our products at the leading edge.”

Founded in 1983, TMW Systems is a leading developer and integrator of operations management software for the transportation industry. They serve 500+ trucking industry clients of all types and sizes. They help transportation and logistics companies leverage technologies of their choice to easily collect, analyze and use information for delivering improved productivity and better customer service. Their dispatch product lines include PowerSuite™ for Windows client/server architecture and TL2000™ for IBM AS/400 systems. TMW has been named to the Weatherhead 100 (an award given by the Case Western Reserve University Weatherhead School of Management recognizing the 100 fastest growing companies in Northeast Ohio) for the past seven years. To learn more about TMW, please visit <http://www.tmwsystems.com>.

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