



ECI Telecom Re-elected to FTTH Council Europe's Board of Directors

- The re-election reaffirms ECI's valuable insights and proven experience with top operators deploying FTTH in Europe -

Petach Tikva, ISRAEL - May 30, 2010 — ECI Telecom, global provider of next-generation [network solutions](#), announced today that it has been re-elected to serve on the Board of Directors for the Fiber-to-the-Home (FTTH) Council Europe. Peleg Erlich, ECI's PON and FTTH expert, is representing ECI at the Board of Directors. Erlich leads ECI's FTTx product line activity worldwide and brings over 15 years of broadband access expertise to the post.

Key Highlights

- As operators face increasing demand for high-speed bandwidth to support advanced services, fiber access becomes an attractive choice as it provides significantly more bandwidth to end-users
- The FTTH Council Europe is an important and highly recognized industry forum to discuss and consider elements that may influence an operator in its choice of technology and architecture. Be it dedicated GPON or Open Access next-generation access, the best choice depends on each carrier's reality, including demand for advanced services, regulatory environment, and competitive circumstances
- All these ingredients influence the business case for operators vying to migrate to fiber access network, as supported by ECI's 1Net framework for optimized migration
- ECI has been a member of the FTTH Council Europe since its inception in 2004, and subscribes to the Council's message that FTTH is a future-proof solution for delivering broadband

"ECI has been a strong advocate of fiber development and deployment. According to leading industry analysts the promise of unlimited bandwidth, ultra-fast speeds, and innovative services and applications has already become a reality for more than 30 million households around the world, and it is estimated that net subscriber growth will surpass other technologies, including DSL, as early as 2013. Our work with the FTTH Council complements ECI's goal of promoting optimized transition to next-generation access networks, and working with each customer according to their different needs and at their own pace."

Peleg Erlich, FTTH and PON Expert, ECI Telecom and Board Member, FTTH Council Europe

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[ECI Telecom](#) delivers innovative communications platforms to carriers and service providers worldwide. ECI provides efficient platforms and solutions that enable customers to rapidly deploy cost-effective, revenue-generating services.

Founded in 1961, Israel-based ECI has consistently delivered customer-focused networking solutions to the world's largest carriers. The Company is also a market leader in many emerging markets. ECI provides scalable broadband access, transport and data networking infrastructure that provides the foundation for the communications of tomorrow, including next-generation voice, IPTV, mobility and other business solutions.

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