



Open e-ID Solutions 2009 – How to create online trust with open source

PrimeKey Solutions, Commfides Norge and Sun Microsystems, together with sponsors Utimaco Safeware, Novacard and SecMaker, organize a two-day conference on electronic Identification (e-ID) and e-Signatures in Oslo on the 4th and 5th of February 2009.

Stockholm, Sweden and Oslo, Norway – January 30, 2009 – PrimeKey Solutions AB, the leading open source Public Key Infrastructure (PKI) company, Commfides Norge AS, a Norwegian supplier of SSL and electronic ID, and Sun Microsystems in Norway, one of the world's largest IT suppliers, organize a two-day conference on e-ID and e-Signatures and its use within the European Community.

The conference will give attendees insight into the status and use of e-ID and e-Challenges related to digital public services, as well as an overview of implemented solutions in public authorities and private enterprises. Keynote Speaker is Gérard Galler, Policy Officer at the European Commission, who will present the European Commission's new Action Plan on e-Signatures and e-Identification adopted in November 2008.

The conference offers managers of private enterprises, central and local government managers responsible for data security, technical managers of financial institutions responsible for developing enterprise security policies, PKI designers and technical managers overseeing security, a unique opportunity to get an insight into the latest developments within e-Government, e-Business and Open Solutions.

“The European Commission's new Action Plan on e-ID and e-Signatures to facilitate the provision of cross-border public services sets the standard for Norwegian companies and the public sector. The Norwegian Agency for Public Management and e-Government (DIFI) is planning for the implementation of the Action Plan. This will be the first major conference with a European perspective on the theme of e-ID in Norway”, says Kjell Olav Skogen, CEO of Commfides Norge.

“Open e-ID solutions are the future for public services by electronic means. PrimeKey's EJBCA technology, the leading PKI software in the Open Source field, is breaking new grounds in e-Passport solutions across Europe. This conference is the foremost event for electronic identification in Europe for 2009”, says Konstantin Papaxanthis, CEO of PrimeKey Solutions.

“Project Nirvana, a collaborative Open Source e-ID initiative from Sun Microsystems, Commfides and PrimeKey, redefines the security platform needed to enable business for the future. Open e-ID Solutions 2009 will be the indispensable meeting point for anyone who is interested in securing sensitive information”, says Lasse Andresen, CTO CNE Sun Microsystems.



About PrimeKey Solutions AB

PrimeKey Solutions AB is a Swedish IT-security company with niched competence in information and system security and product development within Public Key Infrastructure (PKI) and smart card appliances. PrimeKey's vision is to provide state-of-the-art solutions that integrate with customer application environments. We help our customers and partners to solve concrete business needs in a cost-effective way, with strong emphasis on security issues. Our goal is to maintain and improve our position as leaders, in providing security solutions and services, by employing the resources at our disposal combined with our unique expertise.

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About Commfides Norge AS

Commfides Norge AS offers state of the art solutions for secure communications and online identity management. We use Public Key Infrastructure (PKI) as our core technology and bring "best of breed" technologies to the market ensuring maximum convenience, security and reliability to our customers. Commfides is registered as a qualified issuer of digital certificates by the Norwegian Post and Telecommunications Authority and provides qualified certifications according to both Norwegian (SEID) and European (ETSI) standard.

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