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## **Vertex® Announces Siebel Validation**

*Vertex successfully integrates Vertex Sales Tax Q Series with Siebel eBusiness applications*

**San Diego, Calif., October 9** – Vertex Inc. ([www.vertexinc.com](http://www.vertexinc.com)), the world's leading provider of tax technology solutions, today announced that the integration of Vertex Sales Tax Q Series with Siebel eBusiness Applications version 7.5 has been validated by Siebel Systems. Siebel rigorously tested the Vertex Sales Tax Q Series Link for Siebel 7.5 to ensure that it interfaces with the company's customer relationship management software and reduces customers' implementation time and cost.

Vertex Sales Tax Q Series Link for Siebel 7.5 offers greater accuracy and increased efficiency in calculating business sales tax by eliminating manual processes that bog down the integration of financial systems. After Siebel customers install the Vertex interface, whenever they enter a quote or sales order the software will automatically retrieve the tax information from the appropriate Vertex databases and calculate the proper tax. Using a sales tax calculation engine for transactions increases accuracy by ensuring that front-end quotes and back-end invoices will reconcile.

The integration with Vertex software reduces the cost of administering tax compliance and can be easily customized to meet the specific business requirements of Siebel customers. Because Vertex Sales Tax Q Series has been affirmed to meet Siebel Systems' high quality standards, Siebel can now offer Vertex as part of their complete best practice solutions. This integration with Siebel applications benefits current and new customers who have expanded their systems to include customer relationship management (CRM) applications.

“Earning the stamp of approval from Siebel Systems demonstrates the accuracy and flexibility of Vertex Sales Tax Q Series, which easily integrates with CRM solutions,” says Jack Ferraioli, Vice President of Sales for Vertex. “We continue to work closely with Siebel as both a strategic partner and customer in reducing technical complexities and lowering the total cost of ownership by linking tax processes with financial systems.”

**About Vertex Inc.**

Vertex Inc., the leading provider of tax technology solutions, serves more than 10,000 customers worldwide. Vertex solutions automate processes and enhance decision information across every major line of business tax including income, sales, consumer use, value added, communications, payroll and property. To serve its customers, Vertex works in partnership with leading software and service providers, including SAP, Oracle, Microsoft, Siebel and PeopleSoft.

Founded in 1978, Vertex is a privately held company that employs 600 professionals at its headquarters in Berwyn, PA and offices in Atlanta, Chicago, Dallas, Sarasota and Washington, DC.

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