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## Xplornet Mail powered by Google Apps

**Agreement provides Xplornet high-speed Internet customers enhanced email services**

**Woodstock, N.B. (July 8, 2009)** – Barrett Xplore Inc. today announced an agreement with Google™ to deliver a new email platform for Xplornet Internet Services customers across Canada.

Xplornet Mail powered by Google Apps will offer enhanced email features and functionality, including up to 7.3 GB of storage capacity, or more than three times the amount currently available, and the ability to check and respond to emails while on the go using a mobile device. The new service will also include faster search capabilities and industry-leading spam blocking technology to help reduce the amount of unwanted messages.

“This agreement is part of our ongoing commitment to continually improve the features and services that we provide Xplornet customers,” said John Maduri, CEO of Barrett Xplore Inc. “We are excited to offer one of the most stable and reliable email systems available anywhere in Canada.”

Xplornet customers will be provided with information about the new email services, as well as instructions for migrating their existing email accounts to the new platform. The migration to the new system will be phased to ensure a high level of customer service and technical support throughout the process. For additional details, please visit [www.xplornet.com](http://www.xplornet.com).

“We are pleased Xplornet customers will be able to stay connected using Google Apps,” added Ian Caminsky, Head of Business Development for Google Canada. “We are working closely with Xplornet and are excited to see the results of this new effort.”

### **About Barrett Xplore Inc.**

Headquartered in Woodstock, New Brunswick, Barrett Xplore Inc. operates Xplornet Internet Services, Canada’s largest rural broadband provider, with customers and dealers in every province and territory. Barrett Xplore Inc. aims to bridge the urban/rural digital divide by ensuring that every Canadian, regardless of where they live, has access to broadband, thereby enabling them to compete effectively in the global economy and gain access essential government and educational services. [www.xplornet.com](http://www.xplornet.com)

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