

Global leader in Bare Metal and Private Cloud solutions selects Beyond.pl for its colocation needs in Central Europe

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Hivelocity, a leading global Bare Metal and Private Cloud solutions provider offering servers on 7 continents has engaged Beyond.pl for the provision of colocation and managed services needs in Poland. The cooperation is connected with a new blockchain project that Hivelocity is implementing in 30 locations, including Poland.

The cooperation entered into between the parties includes a comprehensive service stack comprised among others of colocation services, connectivity and IT administration support. Hivelocity's IT infrastructure is collocated in Data Center 2 on the Beyond.pl campus—strategically located in the heart of Central Europe in Poznan, Poland. It is currently the most secure data center facility in the entire CEE region and one of only 3 data centers in all of the European Union to hold the internationally recognized ANSI/TIA-942 Rated 4. The Beyond.pl facility brings the number of data centers from which Hivelocity provides private cloud and dedicated server solutions to 32.

“We were looking for a geographically diverse, yet cost effective and well connected location outside of Frankfurt, Amsterdam, London, and Paris and within the European Union. Beyond.pl fully met our technical requirements. Moreover, in the course of their work, the technical teams proved that the quality of service at Beyond.pl is comparable to that of the best providers in Western Europe. Our cooperation with Beyond.pl has been marked by a high degree of professionalism since the very first contact with company representatives,” says **Richard Nicholas, Senior Vice President of Corporate Development at Hivelocity.**

The roll out of colocation and support services for Hivelocity was completed within just two months from the first contact between the companies. Beyond.pl was responsible for a comprehensive onboarding of the client's IT infrastructure into Data Center 2. Following the launch of the service Hivelocity has been utilizing Beyond.pl's colocation services, as well as the support provided by Smart Hands technicians, and connectivity solutions including global Internet services and cross-connect services.

“An increasing number of international organizations are zeroing in on the Polish data center market. I'm glad that we are their first choice. I strongly believe that our market leading security and service availability proposition, existing capacities stemming from the on-going campus expansion in Poznan, our optimized connectivity offering, complemented by 100% renewable energy are all strong value propositions for our customers. I'm very grateful for the trust Hivelocity has placed in us and we will do everything to ensure that the cooperation develops dynamically supporting Hivelocity's business growth,” said **Wojciech Stramski, Beyond.pl's CEO.**

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Investments in connectivity solutions that Beyond.pl delivered last year all contributed to the cooperation with Hivelocity becoming possible. In March 2021, Beyond.pl launched the Beyond East-West Corridor — a telecommunications corridor that allows for the establishment of connections between Poznan and Frankfurt with just 11 milliseconds of latency round trip. In August 2021, on the other hand, Beyond.pl increased its international reach by entering into a partnership with Megaport. The global connectivity services provider now enables Beyond.pl to set up direct and secure connections with data centers all around the world. As a result, Beyond.pl's customers have gained access to 700+ facilities operating within the Megaport ecosystem and multiple global cloud solutions.

About Hivelocity: Hivelocity provides bare metal cloud and edge computing solutions to thousands of businesses from over 130 countries worldwide. The Hivelocity platform enables users to instantly deploy bare metal cloud servers in 32 edge locations in major cities across North America, South America, Africa, Europe, India, Asia and Australia. Hivelocity's robust API further enables customers to programmatically interact with and automate their bare metal cloud infrastructure using code by leveraging tools like Ansible and Terraform. More at: www.hivelocity.net

About Beyond.pl: The company was established in 2005. It operates the most secure data center in the CEE and the most energy efficient facility in Poland, powered by 100% renewable energy. It guarantees the highest level of availability – up to 99.9999%. It is the only company in the CEE market to offer a mix of Rated levels (from 3+ to 4), access to an extensive portfolio of products and services utilizing private cloud, public cloud, and hybrid solutions, as well as support provided by experts within the framework of managed services.

Beyond.pl offers core and hyper-edge data processing centers with a target capacity of 42 MW. The company operates two modern data centers located in Poznan, Poland. It is the first green and telecom-neutral data center in Poland. Data Center 2, strategically located halfway between Warsaw and Berlin - being one of only 3 facilities in the European Union to meet the strict requirements of the ANSI/TIA-942 certification at the Rated 4 level. The Rated 4 certification is a proof of the data center's compliance with the highest security standards in terms of its design, mechanics, power supply, and telecommunications.

Beyond.pl's ambition is to be the most trusted and respected provider of data processing services, managed services, cloud environments, and infrastructure as a service in Central and Eastern Europe. Beyond.pl guarantees the highest level of security and continuity of access to data, enabling its clients and partners to gain a competitive advantage, innovate, and grow. More: www.beyond.pl/en