

**PATHWAY COMMUNICATIONS
LAUNCHES FASTPATH RESIDENTIAL HIGH SPEED INTERNET SERVICE**

TORONTO, February 26, 2002 -- Pathway Communications (www.pathcom.com), a leading Canadian Internet Solutions Provider, has launched FastPath -- its new high- speed residential Internet service.

Using ADSL (Asymmetrical Digital Subscriber Line) technology, FastPath is designed for home users who want to get the most out of their Internet experience while demanding better service than phone and cable companies provide.

“At \$34.95 per month, FastPath is more economically priced than other residential DSL services -- a saving of at least \$10. each month compared to other telephone company services,” says Pathway’s President Ashok Kalle. “As an added bonus, FastPath customers also receive our new free inbound e-mail virus scanning security service, designed to prevent harmful e-mail viruses from being downloaded and interfering with our customer’s computer systems.”

FastPath includes everything a user needs to safely and securely connect to the wired world: unlimited Internet access, an ADSL high speed modem, simple installation, personalized support, sufficient e-mail addresses and personal web pages for the entire family and spam blocking.

Using ADSL equipment, Pathway squeezes greater data capacity out of a user’s home telephone line without interfering with their regular telephone service. Typically only one per cent of a phone line’s capacity is used when making voice calls. FastPath uses the other 99 per cent to deliver Internet access at speeds of up to 50 times faster than possible through a standard modem.

“By providing our latest high speed Internet access to Greater Toronto Area customers, we have positioned Pathway as a strong, value-added and service-driven customer franchise,” adds Kalle. “ We are taking a leadership stance to help our current and future customers take full advantage of the latest advanced technologies, services and equipment.”

About Pathway Communications

Established in 1995, Pathway Communications currently offers residential and business customers in the Toronto-Burlington corridor a wide range of high-value Internet services including dial-up and high-speed ISDN and DSL-based business Internet access, server co-location, web hosting and network integration and management services.

It has the distinction of being showcased as a success story by Sun Microsystems and was the first ISP in the world to acquire ISO 9002 certification. The Richard Ivey School of Business at the University of Western Ontario features and uses Pathway as a case study in successful entrepreneurship as part of its MBA curriculum.