

Brightstar Corporation Named to Top 200 by Florida Trend Magazine

MIAMI - September 3, 2003 - Brightstar Corporation was listed as the 13th largest privately held business in Florida in the August edition of Florida Trend magazine. The listing was based on annual revenues.

Brightstar has received several honors in the recent past for its fast growth and financial strength including listing as the second largest Hispanic-owned company in the US in Hispanic Business magazine and continued recognition as one of the fastest growing Hispanic owned businesses in the nation.

Brightstar recently announcement that it achieved \$1 billion in revenues in the 12 months of operation from May 2002 - June 2003. Brightstar is one of only three Hispanic-owned businesses in the United States to achieve this milestone.

Additionally, an August announcement showed the company became the largest value added distributor for the wireless industry in the Americas based on first half 2003 financial results.

Brightstar Corp. is a privately-held, minority-owned company that has achieved extraordinary organic growth; almost doubling its revenues each year since its founding in October 1997-\$14 million in 1997, \$73 million in 1998, \$140 million in 1999, \$355 million in 2000, \$631 million in 2001 and \$849 million in revenues in 2002. The company expects to exceed \$1.1billion in fiscal 2003.