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GigaMedia Announces Resignation

TAIPEI, Taiwan, July 26, 2011 – GigaMedia Limited (NASDAQ: GIGM) announced today that Lester A. Wong, its general counsel, has resigned to pursue other business opportunities.

GigaMedia's management would like to thank Lester for his contributions to the company over the past three years in his role as general counsel and wishes him the best in his future endeavors.

Mr. Wong will continue to serve the company through mid-August. The company has initiated a formal search for his successor.

About GigaMedia

GigaMedia Limited (Singapore registration number: 199905474H) is a major provider of online entertainment software and services. Through its subsidiaries, GigaMedia develops and operates a suite of online games in Asia covering the regions of Greater China and Southeast Asia. More information on GigaMedia can be obtained from www.gigamedia.com.

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