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VERTICALNET INC Form POS AM January 25, 2008

Registration No. 333-38170

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to Form S-4 Registration Statement No. 333-38170 Under The Securities Act of 1933

VERTICALNET, INC.(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Its Charter)

Pennsylvania 23-2815834
(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization) Identification No.)

400 Chester Field Parkway
Malvern, Pennsylvanian
19355
(Address of Principal Executive Offices)
(Zip Code)

Christopher G. Kuhn Vice-President & General Counsel VerticalNet, Inc. 400 Chester Field Parkway, Malvern, Pennsylvania 19355

(Name and Address of Agent for Service)

(610) 240-0600

(Telephone Number, Including Area Code, of Agent For Service)

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TERMINATION OF REGISTRATION

This Post-Effective Amendment (the Amendment), filed by VerticalNet, Inc. (the Company), deregister all shares of the Company s Common Stock, \$0.01 par value per share, that had been registered for issuance under the following Registration Statement on Form S-4 (the Registration Statement):

File No. 333-38170, which was filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the SEC) and became effective on June 13, 2000.

On January 25, 2008, pursuant to the Agreement and Plan of Merger, dated as of October 25, 2007, among the Company, Bravo Solution S.p.A., a corporation organized under the laws of the Republic of Italy (Parent) and Bravo Solution U.S.A., Inc., a Delaware corporation (Merger Sub), Merger Sub merged with and into the Company (the Merger), with the Company being the surviving entity and becoming controlled by Parent. As a result, the Company has terminated all offerings of its securities pursuant to the Registration Statement. In accordance with undertakings made by the Company in the Registration Statement, the Company hereby removes from registration all securities under the Registration Statement which remained unsold as of the effective time of the Merger.

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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, the registrant certifies that it has reasonable grounds to believe that it meets all of the requirements for filing on Form S-4 and has duly caused these Post-Effective Amendment to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in Malvern, Pennsylvania, on January 25, 2008.

VERTICALNET, INC.

By: /s/ Christopher G. Kuhn Christopher G. Kuhn, Vice President and General Counsel

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to the Registration Statement has been signed by the following persons in the capacities and on the dates indicated:

Signature /s/ Nathanael V. Lentz	Title President, Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer)	Date January 25, 2007
Nathanael V. Lentz		
/s/ Jonathan T. Cohen	Vice President and Chief Accounting Officer (Principal Financial Officer and Principal	January 25, 2007
Jonathan T. Cohen	Accounting Officer)	
/s/ Christopher G. Kuhn	Vice President and General Counsel	January 25, 2007
Christopher G. Kuhn		
/s/ Antonino Pisana	Director	January 25, 2007
Antonino Pisana		
/s/ Nader Sabbaghian	Director	January 25, 2007
Nader Sabbaghian		
/s/ Federico Vitaletti	Director	January 25, 2007
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