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**BQE SOFTWARE LAUNCHES NEW APPLICATION TO SHARE DATA  
WITH QUICKBOOKS 2003 PRODUCTS**

*Integration with QuickBooks 2003 Provides New Level of Efficiency to Businesses*

**LOMITA, Calif., Nov. 13, 2002** – BQE Software, Inc., a leading developer of time billing and project management software, today announced that its BillQuick product will share data with Intuit’s new QuickBooks® Pro, QuickBooks Premier, and QuickBooks Premier: Accountant Edition for the both 2002 series and the upcoming 2003 series. This exchange of critical data between a leading time billing solution and a leading provider of business and financial management solutions for small businesses, consumers and accounting professionals will provide a wide variety of businesses with a breakthrough product that will save them time, money and resources.

“The value of developing BillQuick for the Inuit platform is that it clearly meets the needs of businesses to save time, manage their resources more efficiently and spend more time running their business. This data exchange is another example of how BQE continues to lead its industry by embracing solutions that deliver unequalled features,” said Will Breiholz, BQE general manager.

BillQuick addresses a market with tremendous potential. A recent QuickBooks user study found that 80 percent of QuickBooks users want QuickBooks to integrate with other solutions. For users, such as architects, engineers, computer consultants, attorneys, system integrators, accountants, contractors, and others, BillQuick offers a dramatically

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streamlined method for invoicing, tracking time and expenses, project phasing, billing against retainers, and meeting the requirements from one-person offices to larger, network-based organizations.

The new product is currently available on BillQuick version 3.2 and the QuickBooks 2002 series. At a base price of \$395, BillQuick meets the demands of businesses at a fraction of the cost of other solutions on the market. BillQuick is Windows 95, 98, ME, NT, 2000 and XP-compatible and is also available for Web, email and PDAs. Its remote modules allow off-site entry and data merging. Customizable reports, invoices and statements are available to users at a mouse click.

“The sharing of data between applications, such as BillQuick and the QuickBooks 2003 products helps businesses avoid having to manually enter the same data in both applications, which takes a lot of time and can result in data entry errors, said Esther Kruijver, director of the Intuit Developer Network. “BQE and BillQuick represent a perfect example of how Intuit Developer Network members are successfully using the QuickBooks SDK to bring valuable applications to Intuit’s small business customers. The Intuit Developer Network will continue to help members like BQE to address small businesses’ needs for easy-to-use products that are integrated and customized for their specific business requirements.”

### **About BQE Software, Inc.**

Lomita, Calif.-based BQE Software, Inc. was founded in 1995 and is a leading developer of time billing and project management software. Its flagship product, BillQuick, offers tools to maintain time records, client information and project development. BillQuick meets the needs of users who require billing based on criteria such as time and expense, fixed fee, hourly billing with a “not to exceed” amount and contractual billing. All invoices, statements and reports are completely customizable with Seagate’s Crystal Reports. BillQuick is network compatible with multiple users and allows offsite time entry and data merging. It offers Microsoft Access-compatible data files, as well as SQL server data files. In addition, billings and reports can be exported to any to any software package, including QuickBooks and Peachtree Accounting. Architects, engineers, accountants, attorneys, consultants and programmers have all

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discovered the unequalled features and flexibility of BillQuick products. For more information on BQE Software or BillQuick products, call (888) 245-5669 or visit [www.BillQuick.com](http://www.BillQuick.com).

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