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## SUCCESS STORY: *Remote Video Surveillance over 3G for Security Monitoring, Johannesburg, South Africa*

With the lack of fixed line infrastructure in many countries and even in rural areas of South Africa (SA), the evolution of cellular communication was the logical alternative. Cell phones are today the most used communication instrument, more SA organizations have been migrating towards low bit-rate video surveillance products that have turned remote and centralized video surveillance across the corporate wide area network (WAN) into an affordable and practical reality, by using 3G or even WiMAX for mobile data communication.

Brigit Fire of SA, [www.brigit.co.za](http://www.brigit.co.za), singularly focuses at the security and safety disciplines required for commercial and industrial systems. The product range offered by Brigit varies to suit specific needs of digital CCTV and peripheral equipment providing the client with a single system integrator ensuring equipment compatibility and solutions achieved.



The president of Brigit, Deon van Zyl, introduces such state-of-the-art mobile video CCTV monitoring solutions really do take the security industry into its next phase. Brigit's customers can access remote CCTV video monitoring over cell phone (GPRS or 3G), ADSL, 802.11, or any other IP-based WAN link. Clients can accurately verify images and data immediately, ensuring that they don't waste time responding to false alarms - which account for over 90% of alarms.

Brigit introduces such solutions to SA companies because they offer significant cost and productivity benefits: "CCTV surveillance video was typically run on a separate network or over ISDN in the past, as it tends to interfere with normal data traffic by causing data and transaction loss". Brigit installed such solutions on network towers in Tanzania from 4Q 2007 and expected for 400 remote sites of deployment by using WiBorne's W3G-200U Wireless / 3G USB router which offers "AlwaysOn" for seamless and uninterrupted security monitoring.



Benefits associated with Brigit's remote monitoring include alarm verification, improved productivity, improved security management as well as improved management of armed response services. By allowing management to access remote sites on alarm, CCTV becomes a proactive response tool instead of a post event investigative solution.

Brigit / WiBorne solutions are simple and affordable. For example, for a control room in Johannesburg to watch over video feeds from Sandton, Durban, Pretoria, and Cape Town. The value proposition of centralized, off-site monitoring includes saving on control room staff and better facilities management.

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