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Area Sq creates stunning new £1 million UK HQ for India's largest private sector group

Area Sq, the office design and fit-out specialist has completed the 12 week fit-out of TATA Consultancy Services new £14,000 sq ft office in Grosvenor Place, London SW1.

With more than 45,000 employees in 32 countries and \$2.24 billion (U.S.) annual turnover last year, TATA Consultancy Services is the world-leading information technology consulting organisation. The Group aim at becoming one of the top 10 global companies by 2010 and these ambitions were reflected in the project brief: the new office has been designed to provide TCS with a platform for further growth.

The design brief was based around creating a unique site with a strong branding and high tech facilities. The video conferencing suite boasts impressive joinery and includes a unique V-shaped boardroom table. The branding is also reflected in the blue lighting throughout the scheme.

Another important challenge of the design brief was to make maximum use of the natural light, which comes from the central atrium of the building. To achieve this, glass partitioning has been used to give a contemporary and open feel to the workplace.

Praful Chandran from TCS says: 'We are at the forefront of the technology and we wanted our new office to reflect that. We wanted everyone to feel proud when they bring customers in'

Clive Lucking, MD of Area Sq comments: 'We are delighted to have delivered a scheme which conveys TCS's branding and corporate values so effectively.'

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About Area Sq

Launched in January 2000 by Clive Lucking, Nigel Hudson and James Cornwell, Area Sq specialises in the design, project management, space planning, fitting out, refurbishment and furnishing of commercial office interiors. Area Sq is based in Egham, Surrey and Central London and undertakes projects of 2000 sq ft up to 70,000 sq ft throughout the UK.

Area Sq clients include Reed Elsevier, Sungard, Cendant, Microsoft, Thomson Wealth Management, Epsom, Budgens, TATA, Pharmion and Capita.

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About Tata Consultancy Services

Tata Consultancy Services (TCS) is the world-leading information technology consulting, services, and business process outsourcing organisation that envisioned and pioneered the adoption of the flexible global business practices that today enable companies to operate more efficiently and produce more value.

TCS achieved this by creating and perfecting a unique method of global deployment and delivery of high quality, high value services and products in IT consulting and business process outsourcing. Known as the "Global Delivery Model," this strategic services delivery concept has reshaped the IT services industry.

More than 90 percent of TCS customers reward the company's reliability, passion, creativity, and unique ability to handle the broadest range of their IT needs by continually extending and deepening their partnerships with TCS. With more than 45,000 of the world's best trained IT consultants located in 32 countries, TCS is uniquely positioned to deliver its flexible world class services seamlessly to any location.

TCS reported consolidated revenues of \$2.24 billion (U.S.) in the fiscal year 2004-2005.

The company is listed on the National Stock Exchange and Bombay Stock Exchange in India.

For more information: www.tcs.com