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Award-Winning Singer/Songwriter Gayle Cloud Joins Talent Team at Audiosocket Music Licensing

November 26, 2007, Seattle-- Singer/songwriter Gayle Cloud has joined Audiosocket's talent team of independent musicians. The new Seattle-based agency, which connects artists and talent buyers, represents independent music for placement in film, television and new media.

"We chose Gayle's music because her unique sound, powerful soothing voice and strong musicianship fit well within our catalog of diverse musical styles. We strive to set a high bar with our roster of represented talent and Gayle has leaped it. She's an amazing talent," says Brent McCrossen, Audiosocket owner.

Cloud's Audiosocket repertoire includes tracks from her CD of original work, "Second Chance." With its lush melodies and sensual rhythms, the album is a melange of world, euro, jazz and pop influences.

Produced and arranged by New York Producer/Musician John Pahmer, Cloud's CD is getting airplay on numerous radio stations worldwide and has received a number of awards. Recently Cloud received a No. 1 Music Review Award for WomensRadio singer/songwriter category. She also has been honored for her work through the London-based "We are Listening" international songwriting competition as well as in a number of "Garageband" contests.

Cloud left her home base of Seattle eight years ago for Paris with the intent of devoting herself completely to her musical career. While she now writes and performs her own original work, she started out on the petite stage of the Paris Aller/Retour as a jazz singer. She was asked to perform the club's final show when it was forced to give up its lease to a higher rent cigar shop. Needing a place for her and her band to play, she invited groups of friends and growing fans to climb the 96 steps to her loft apartment in the Marais district for a number of intimate "salon" shows. One day as she was walking

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around her quartier, she spied a new Senegalese club still under construction. "I fell in love with Jokko's ambience and even though I was not the genre of performer they were looking for, I talked the booker into giving me a regular gig," says Cloud. " I later discovered that the club was co-owned by the celebrated Senegalese musician Youssou N'Dour when he attended one of my shows. This was a magical time for me and I became fascinated with world music. I then began to incorporate world and euro rhythms and influences into my own work."

After spending five years performing and composing music in Paris, Cloud spent another three years in New York City performing and producing her most recent CD. Cloud returned to Seattle last year and now lives in its downtown Belltown neighborhood.

About Audiosocket

Founded by Jenn Anderson, Brian DeWaide and Brent McCrossen, Audiosocket boasts a diverse roster of national talent, including genres such as hip-hop, indie rock, electronica, dance music, singer/songwriter, world, cinematic and ambient. It serves as a liaison between musicians and music supervisors, producers and creative directors.

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