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Avation kicks a goal with Nigerian Football

Avation has recently completed a large project whereby we were appointed as the pre-eminent supplier of outside broadcast van equipment for African Independent Television (AIT TV) in Lagos, Nigeria.

Singapore's largest broadcast integrator Avation was appointed to outfit and supply the equipment for AIT's fleet of 3 nine camera digital outside broadcast units. AIT had won the rights to cover local football live and needed to get reliable equipment promptly. Avation chose Sony digital triax equipment backed into custom made Echolab control desks with Marshall LCD monitors. For NLE and action replay we provided custom made high performance pc's based on the Canopus Storm XA video post production software.

The order was completed promptly allowing AIT to begin the first professional coverage of live local football matches in Nigeria. In all and with the assistance of DHL, Avation moved a massive amount of equipment all within the very tight timeframe requested by the client.

Managing Director of Avation, Andrew Baudinette said *"This was a thrilling project to be involved in. AIT had the trucks ready and at the moment they won the rights they contacted us and asked us for help. In all we had about 5 weeks to procure, test and ship the equipment to outfit 3 large broadcast trucks. Our trucks have since helped AIT to not only cover local football but to go on and cover some amazing local news stories thus reinforcing their position as Nigeria's leader in news and events broadcast."*

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