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Electronic Data Solutions Acquires Clarke VCMS Data Management System

Electronic Data Solutions expands field data collection for Public Health market with acquisition of Clarke Vector Control Management System

Jerome, ID, (February 16, 2011) – Electronic Data Solutions, Elecdata, a leading developer of GIS/GPS software applications and supplier of field data collection instrumentation for natural resource applications, today announced it has acquired the VCMS[®] (Vector Control Management System) from Clarke for an undisclosed sum.

Clarke, a global environmental products and services company, serves the vector control market worldwide. It's VCMS system has been used since 1995, as an integrated database, GIS and mobile field data collection system designed for mosquito / vector control organization, public health agencies, and other firms involved in arbovirus surveillance, disease tracking, pest control and integrated pest management (IPM) activities. It is an excellent support tool for nuisance and

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public health mosquito control programs to help prevent infectious diseases such as West Nile Virus.

“We are excited about having the ability to take the best of both the Elecdata desktop Esri-based Sentinel™ GIS system and the multi-user enterprise VCMS system and develop a next generation of vector control management capabilities for the industry.” said Linda Dean, VP/Marketing & Sales of Elecdata.

“We see a fit for both desktop and enterprise systems given the wide organizational size range of mosquito control programs. Combining our software development skills with VCMS will permit us to develop a next generation system that will make field data collection more efficient to gather, more accessible and meaningful.”

Clarke will remain the exclusive marketer of VCMS and the Next Generation Systems, with Elecdata providing installation, training and on-going customer support. “This alliance will have a positive impact on the industry and the future product pipeline. It leverages the strengths of both companies: Elecdata in mapping, software and systems development; Clarke in knowledge of mosquito control and sales presence.” says Joel Freundt, VP, General Manager of Clarke.

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About EDS

Since 1986, Electronic Data Solutions (Elecdata) of Jerome, Idaho has built its reputation by supplying quality instrumentation and unparalleled customer support for field data collection solutions. In addition to providing mobile devices, industry-specific software and expert guidance for efficient capture of field data, Elecdata has an award-winning support, service and training team and a programming staff available to customize software to meet each customer's unique needs. For more information visit www.elecdata.com.

About Clarke

Clarke is a global environmental products and services company. A family-owned business since 1946 based in Roselle, Ill., our mission is to make communities more livable, safe and comfortable for families around the world. We do this by pioneering, developing and delivering environmentally responsible mosquito control and aquatic services to help prevent disease, control nuisances and create healthy waterways. For more information, visit www.clarke.com.

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