

IDENTIPHOTO ANNOUNCES SALE OF HOMELAND SECURITY  
"SMART DSMS" (Disaster Site Management System) TO COLUMBUS, OHIO,  
Franklin County EMA (Emergency Management Agency)

Mobile, Affordable Solution Meets Growing Demand for Homeland Disaster Site Management System's  
Rescue Effort Tools

Willoughby, Ohio, April, 2005 – Identiphoto Company, Ltd.

Identiphoto, a leading provider of smart card and electronic identification solutions, today announced that the City of Columbus, Ohio, Franklin County Emergency Management Agency has selected the Smart DSMS (Smart Disaster Site Management System) to help bring control to disaster recovery operations. The system is a critical tool in order to meet the requirements of Homeland Security Presidential Directives 5, 8 and 12 for management of domestic incidents and national preparedness. The system was sold by SuperCom's distributor Identiphoto Company, Ltd. of Willoughby Ohio to Franklin County, Ohio for the Terrorist Advisory Team of Central Ohio. The team will have representatives from police, fire EMS, emergency management, health, communications and public works departments. This team, one of the first to request and receive Homeland Security funds will be used as a model for other agencies and task forces to emulate and learn from.

"Smart DSMS" by SuperCom, Ltd. is a comprehensive end-to-end solution for access control and personnel tracking. The system will be deployed in stages beginning June, 2005. It is expected that several thousand smart cards will be issued containing fingerprint biometrics and biographical data to first responder emergency personnel. Additional smart cards will be issued at the on-site Enrollment Center to non-enrolled personnel. For access control and management at the disaster site, the system features wireless-enabled, mobile units designed for rapid installation in the field. Once deployed, these units monitor the movement of personnel through access points and facilitate 24/7 real-time communication between disaster managers and on-site forces.

"Perimeter and entry control at the scene of a disaster or terrorism event must be addressed in the planning stages of response", comments Sgt. Timothy McVey of the Columbus Police Department and the project coordinator for the Terrorist Advisory Team. "Positive control of a disaster scene is vital to ensure the safety of both emergency responders and the general public. Considerations for response to disasters resulting from acts of terrorism become compounded, as these events are also crime scenes. Aside from the safety factors involved with securing and controlling entry into these sites, evidence must be secured and protected to avoid contamination and destruction. The initial response to a disaster will be extremely chaotic; however control of the scene must be established quickly, without hindering rescue efforts. Positive control of the scene must be achieved and maintained to ensure only authorized personnel are granted access and to provide accountability for the responders within."

"Once a perimeter is secured, entry control points must be established to permit only authorized personnel into the area. A credentialing system must be set in place using established protocols to identify those with legitimate entry needs and qualifications. Logs maintained at each entry control point will provide specific documentation of personnel along with date, time and function upon ingress and egress. Electronic credentialing and entry control will provide a method of securing the scene with minimal manpower and immediate access to critical information."

About Identiphoto Company, Ltd.

Identiphoto Company, Ltd. is a leading full-service ID technology systems integrator providing card-based solutions for multiple applications. We specialize in identification technology and Smart Card solutions for health care, education, financial, organizations, law enforcement, industrial, corporate and government applications. For over 35 years, the Company has been specializing in Digital Photo Identification Systems, Biometric Verification Systems, Lobby/Visitor Management Solutions, PC/Network Data Security, Mobile Wireless Perimeter Management Systems and Point-of-Sale Cashless Cafeteria Systems. As a Certified Female Business Enterprise, we feel that our long term commitment to service and attention to detail is what sets us apart.

For more information on SmartDSMS contact us at 800-860-9111.