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Data Aire and FieldServer Technologies Announce Cooperative Venture towards Interoperability

September 1, 2003 – Data Aire, Inc., a pioneer and builder of the most complete line of precision cooling equipment, is pleased to announce a cooperative association with FieldServer Technologies to use the FieldServer gateway to provide an interface for legacy and non-Metasys devices to Data Aire products.

FieldServer Technologies enables communication between various instruments, systems, machines and devices that utilize non-compatible data protocols. By enabling Data Aire systems to interface with the primary building automation control systems using LonWorks, BACnet, Modbus and more, the integrator can easily bring the Data Aire information into the central controls.

Utilizing the Metasys output from the Data Alarm Processor II (DAP II) the FieldServer converts the data to BACnet IP, LonWorks, Modbus or any other common protocols used in the building automation industry. "The use of the FieldServer technology enhances Data Aire capabilities to easily meet the full interoperability needs of our customers," said Data Aire Marketing Manager, John Martin. "We are proud to work with FieldServer Technologies who has proven their leadership in building automation interoperability solutions."

"The basic idea of the FieldServer Bridge is to act as a link between the DAP II and major building automation systems," said Steve Ferree, Vice President for FieldServer Technologies. "Data Aire already has an excellent reputation in the precision cooling industry. The FieldServer Bridge helps the LonWorks, BACnet and Modbus systems to access the power of the DAP II."

About Data Aire

Data Aire is meeting the challenge of controlling the computer room as well as the expanding telecommunications industry where precision cooling is vital to everyday communications. Telecommunication equipment requires a controlled environment with clean and properly distributed air, and as in the computer room, the environment must be precisely controlled - 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.

Data Aire is committed to being the supplier of choice for environmental process cooling with flexibility, reliability, and expertise required to meet the customer's needs. For more information about Data Aire, please visit its Web site at <http://www.dataaire.com>.

About FieldServer Technologies

FieldServer Technologies, a wholly owned division of Sierra Monitor Corporation based in California, designs and markets a broad line of devices that enhance communication between various instruments, systems, machines and other devices that utilize non-compatible data protocols. The FieldServer combined with the extensive driver library makes the perfect package to achieve interoperability. Drives included in this library are Modbus, LonWorks, BACnet, Metasys, DH+, Profibus, plus drivers for fire alarm panels, controllers, and many other devices. For more information about FieldServer Technologies, please visit its Web site at <http://www.fieldserver.com>.

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