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Ortega InfoSystems wins pilot IP video security project at Visalia Municipal Airport

Fremont CA – August 15, 2005 -- With funding supplied by the Department of Homeland Security, the Visalia (CA) Municipal Airport authority has chosen Ortega InfoSystems to provide its VideoSmart™ IP Video solution for a pilot security program covering the airport facilities.

Visalia airport (VIS) is a full-service aviation facility providing the air service for the California Central Valley. The airport provides daily scheduled service to Los Angeles, with connections to over 150 destinations throughout the United States. Along with commercial and passenger service, the airport authority has over 150 acres of property available for lease and development on the airport grounds. The City IT management team has been searching for a comprehensive IP-based video surveillance system with an open system architecture for future expansion.

Working with the project system integrator, KerTel Communications, Ortega is integrating the VideoSmart solution into a wireless network consisting of CCTV stationary and PTZ cameras, operating through Ortega's single-channel MPEG-4 IP Video Encoders. Ortega's Web-based GUI (graphical user interface) software will manage the system, allowing security personnel to access, monitor, and control the facility-wide system centrally through a web browser on the local area network.

VideoSmart™ software is based on Ortega's broadly-deployed FacilitySm@rt™ mapping and security management software, and offers a powerful, integrated IP video solution for airports and other transportation facilities that require enhanced security coupled with the flexibility to expand as needs evolve.

"Ortega is pleased to be selected for this pilot program funded by the Department of Homeland Security", said Eric Hsu, President and CEO of Ortega InfoSystems. "Our new VideoSmart IP video solution is ideally suited for the demanding security needs of facilities like the Visalia airport. With the increasing emphasis on mission-critical IP video monitoring and recording, we are very pleased with the high level of interest in Ortega's VideoSmart solution by the transportation security industry."

The Visalia project is scheduled for completion Fall 2005.

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