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Draeger Medical and Aruba Networks Enter Technology Solution Provider Agreement for Network and Bandwidth Management

Testing Demonstrated Interoperability between Dräger's Infinity® OneNet Solution and Aruba's Secure Wireless LANs

Telford, PA and Sunnyvale, CA – Draeger Medical Systems, Inc., US headquarters of Dräger Medical AG & Co. KG, an international leader in the field of medical technology and Aruba Networks, Inc. (NASDAQ: ARUN), a global leader in wireless LANs and secure unified mobility solutions, today announced the execution of technology solution provider agreements for medical network and bandwidth management. Under the agreements, the companies are undertaking joint marketing programs. Aruba has issued a Compatible Partner interoperability rating to Dräger's Infinity® OneNet solution, and Draeger Medical has qualified Aruba's Multi-Service Mobility Controllers and access points for use in the OneNet solution, using both dedicated and shared wireless networks.

"Infinity OneNet allows vital patient monitoring information to be sent over Wi-Fi networks using Aruba's bandwidth management, QoS, and security features," said Peter Mongroo, Aruba Global Healthcare Marketing. "Aruba's unique traffic management technology ensures that bandwidth will be made available for patient monitoring data, while our Compatible Partner interoperability rating provides assurance to integrators and end users that the Dräger and Aruba products have been tested to work well together."

Traditional application traffic management systems can be very costly and are not always suitable for use with wireless LANs. Aruba's ability to enforce high security standards ensures that only those devices that meet the security requirements can access the Wi-Fi network. Security enforcement at the Application and Physical level by the Aruba infrastructure ensures that data collected from patient monitors is completely secure throughout the transmission, while built-in QoS capabilities ensure that sensitive real-time data are protected against latency and jitter. Bandwidth management allows hospitals to dynamically allocate bandwidth to individual or groups of high-priority devices, such as Dräger's Infinity® Patient Monitors. When patient monitors are not present, Aruba automatically frees reserved bandwidth for other uses.

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“This agreement reinforces our commitment to standards-based technology that supports clinical efficacy and simplifies the lives of hospital IT managers,” said Steve Menet, Director, Enterprise Patient Monitoring and IT of Draeger Medical, Inc. “The OneNet solution represents a new way of thinking about patient monitoring networks and Aruba enables the system to operate very efficiently from a price/performance perspective. We are very pleased to be an Aruba technology solution partner, and look forward to working with Aruba to bring new technologies to our customers.”

For additional information about interoperable products and Aruba’s partner programs please go to

http://www.arubanetworks.com/partners/existing_solution_partners.php.

About Aruba Networks

People move. Networks must follow. Aruba securely delivers networks to users, wherever they work or roam. Our unified mobility solutions include Wi-Fi networks, identity-based security, remote access and cellular services, and centralized network management to enable the Follow-Me Enterprise that moves in lock-step with users:

- Follow-Me Connectivity: 802.11a/b/g/n Wi-Fi networks ensure that users are always within reach of mission-critical information;
- Follow-Me Security: Identity-based security assigns access policies to users, enforcing those policies whenever and wherever a network is accessed;
- Follow-Me Applications: Remote access solutions and cellular network integration ensure uninterrupted access to applications as users move.

The cost, convenience, and security benefits of our unified mobility solutions are fundamentally changing how and where we work. Listed on the NASDAQ and Russell 2000® Index, Aruba is based in Sunnyvale, California, and has operations throughout the Americas, Europe, Middle East, and Asia Pacific regions. To learn more, visit Aruba at <http://www.arubanetworks.com>.

About Dräger

Drägerwerk AG & Co. KGaA is an international leader in the fields of medical and safety technology. Dräger products protect, support and save human life. Founded in 1889, in 2006 the Group achieved sales of €1,801.3 million worldwide and an EBIT of €148.2 million. Today, Dräger employs around 10,000 people in more than 70 subsidiaries worldwide and has representation in around 190 countries. The Dräger Medical subsidiary offers products, services and integrated system solutions which accompany the patient throughout the care process – Emergency Care, Perioperative Care, Critical Care or Perinatal Care and Home Mechanical Ventilation. For more information, visit www.draeger.com. See Dräger at HIMSS, booth 3173.

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