INIT, Inc. Selects STid Mobile ID® Access Solution and SMARTContactless to Secure its New Headquarters!

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SMARTContactless, a value-added distributor for contactless solutions, ABS Technology and STid, today announced they have been selected by INIT Innovation in Transportation Inc., provider of intelligent transportation systems for public transit, to create new mobile access control experience for its employees and visitors.

STid Mobile ID®, from the trailblazer and market leader in the design of secure solutions STid, is a contender for the best Bluetooth® access control reader on the market today. Common supported credential technologies are MIFARE®, MIFARE® DESFire® EV1/EV2, NFC and STid's mobile credentials using your smartphone and Bluetooth® for communications. The instinctive solution includes a free mobile app, the latest generation of multi-technologies Architect® Blue readers, Offline and Online programming tools.

INIT Innovation in Transportation Inc. has installed numerous STid's Architect® Blue readers at doors and entrances to secure their new Corporate headquarters thanks to SMARTContactless and ABS technology expertise. Employees and visitors use STid's patented identification mode features and can access the building or other sensitive entrances within the offices without taking their smartphones out of the pocket or bag. Jamie Thomas, Systems Engineer for ABS technology in Virginia Beach, VA, has selected the STid Mobile ID® solution for its innovative dimension. "This Bluetooth reader has so much technology built into it; it's future proof, easy to install and program."

Feedback on the mobile access solution has been positive and INIT USA Inc. is exploring the STid Mobile ID's options to remotely assign and revoke mobile credentials to employees and visitors over the air. "As a provider of innovative technology to our public transit customers, INIT desired an access control solution which mirrored our innovative technology solutions, matched our company culture, and was simple to install and administer" said INIT USA Inc. Director of IT, David Page. "In addition, we wanted the ability to start with a small proof of concept and eventually grow it as this type of technology inevitably transitions to a fundamental employee expectation instead of a bleeding edge innovation."

"STid is really leading the market with innovative RFID reader solutions for security-minded professionals and end-users" states Robert Gailing, President of SMARTContactless, STid's US Distributor. "The new STid Mobile ID® reader solution, with its 5 methods of mobile credential presentation using the smartphone and customizable distance to 60 feet, there is virtually no where the reader cannot be utilized throughout any access control deployment."

According to Vincent Dupart, CEO of STid, this new implementation is a testament of the growing smartphone adoption that merges high security and convenience. "We are pleased that both INIT USA Inc. employees and managers are enjoying the experience. We are also proud to work with strategic partners like SMARTContactless, offering high-quality customer support to promote our mobile access solution. The ability to use smartphones for high security access control is becoming increasingly important, as these devices are part of our everyday lives in the business workplace."

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About SMARTContactless

SMARTContactless identity and security solutions is a leading provider of contactless smart cards and biometrics since 2009. We offer identification solutions using RFID, NFC and Bluetooth® Smart technologies and focus on helping customers create custom, highly-secure solutions.

For more information, please visit www.SMARTContactless.com

About ABS Technology

ABS Technology is a Virginia-based, locally owned, 45-year-old organization and has been a Cisco Partner for 18 years & achieved Cisco Gold status in 2007. Through their dedication to customer service ABS has become a trusted partner to K12, Healthcare, Higher Education, Commercial, and Government organizations. ABS Technology offers expertise in Security, Cloud + Data Center, Structured Cabling, Networking, Collaboration, Standard Hardware + Software, Managed Services, LifeCycle Services and Staffing.

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About STid

Our business - Protecting people, goods and data through secure identification and access control

STid is a trailblazer in designing contactless solutions using Radio Frequency Identification technologies (RFID, NFC and Bluetooth® Smart). For more than 20 years, we have been inventing smart solutions in the **access security** and **asset track and trace markets for the most demanding industries**, including the aeronautic, energy and defense fields.

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