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Aspect Medical Systems Delivers MRO Purchasing via a Web Browser to Everyone in Company Using ISS Group's iPurchase™ Solution

Sparta, NJ – July 25, 2007 — Aspect Medical Systems Inc. (Aspect Medical), a global market leader in brain monitoring technology, needed a Web-based MRO requisition system that all user within the organization could use anywhere a Web browser could be used – any time of the day. They also needed a standardized and enforced approval process with full tracking of budgets for their projects and cost centers.

Before approaching ISS Group about their MRO Purchasing needs, Aspect Medical needed to consider all of their challenges and find the best overall solution. They were determined that their new MRO Purchasing solution needed to provide a fully visible web-based system. ISS Group was able to provide this full visibility with easy approvals via email and Web links to the Web system. They also needed the employees to be able to receive purchases at the desktop, yet keep receiving functionality and tracking in their MFG/PRO® ERP system. With ISS Group's Solution, each Requisitioner can access reports showing their open and closed PO's and Requisitions. Full data security ensures that Users only see those records and fields that they should see, based on their security roles within the system.

After a thorough review of existing MRO solutions from other suppliers, Aspect Medical selected ISS Group. A key differentiator was the ISS Group was able to provide an off-the-shelf total integration to their MFG/PRO System with their **iPurchase** offering. ***"When ISS Group demonstrated they easily connect their iPurchase with our MFG/PRO system, this minimized a significant risk we associated with implementing any third-party solution. The idea that ISS Group could install their solution in a short time-frame was very impressive,"*** according to George Papamitrou, MRO Project Manager for Aspect Medical. ***"Cost and time-to-implement were critical to the success of the project. ISS Group convinced us that iPurchase was the way to go."***

About Aspect Medical

Aspect Medical Systems, Inc. is a global market leader in brain monitoring technology. To date, the Company's Bispectral Index (BIS) technology has been used to assess approximately 20 million patients and has been the subject of more than 2,800 published articles and abstracts. BIS technology is installed in approximately 75

percent of hospitals listed in the July 2006 U.S. News and World Report ranking of America's Best Hospitals and in approximately 55 percent of all domestic operating rooms. In the last twelve months BIS technology was used in approximately 16 percent of all U.S. surgical procedures requiring general anesthesia or deep sedation. BIS technology is available in more than 160 countries. Aspect Medical Systems has OEM agreements with eight leading manufacturers of patient monitoring systems. The company is also investigating how other methods of analyzing brain waves may aid in the diagnosis and management of neurological diseases, including depression and Alzheimer's disease.

About ISS Group

ISS Group (ISSG) has been providing add-value solutions and services to the MFG/PRO community since 1995. Founded in 1986, ISSG has over 22 years of business process knowledge and experience servicing the Manufacturing & Distribution sectors. Over this 22 year period, ISSG has completed hundreds of ERP, eCommerce and CRM implementations, and continues to innovate and offer low cost solution 'extensions' for MFG/PRO. ISSG's solutions have been proven to reduce costs and improve employee productivity in specific areas of an MFG/PRO user organization, with many reference Clients including John Crane Inc, Eaton Corp, Laird Technologies, Remy International, Ingersoll Rand, Tyco, and ANH Refractories, to name just a few. With deep technical and functional knowledge of the MFG/PRO application and the common business requirements of the Manufacturing & Distribution sectors and MFG/PRO user community; ISSG has greatly expanded our MFG/PRO solution's portfolio functionality to streamline and provide additional control over business processes in [Purchasing](#), [Sales](#), [Marketing](#) and [Customer Service](#).

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