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PRESS RELEASE

VisiCom Systems announces the Retirement of Kenneth Hutchison.

STONE MOUNTAIN, GEORGIA, January 03, 2005 - Ken Hutchison, one of the founding partners of VisiCom Systems, retired effective January 1, 2005. Ken was instrumental in growing VisiCom Systems into one of the leading videoconferencing integrators in the Southeast. When the company was founded in 1994, its first contract was with the State of North Carolina. VisiCom built, installed and serviced custom distant learning classrooms for customers in North Carolina who were part of the original North Carolina Information Highway. VisiCom has installed custom videoconferencing systems in high schools, community colleges, health departments and auditoriums. The majority of the custom systems that were installed in the early years (1994 through 1996) are still in use today.

Ken's ability to analyze and engineer a solution for a complex room environment was instrumental in growing the company. Each new job was a challenge that he looked forward to resolving. One challenging application was the installation of a videoconferencing system in a doublewide office trailer. Conduit layouts to be hidden in the ceiling had to be detailed prior to the manufacture of the modular office, as the unit was to be installed in the western area of North Carolina and the overhead could not be penetrated after the unit was installed due to code requirements.

Ken will continue to be available to VisiCom Systems as a consultant. Ken's immediate plans are to travel and enjoy retirement. The employees at VisiCom thank him for his contribution and wish him well in retirement.

VisiCom Systems is a videoconferencing integrator selling and servicing systems manufactured by Tandberg, Polycom and VTEL. The company recently celebrated ten successful years of business. VisiCom is a leading provider of videoconferencing system for distant learning applications in North Carolina and is on statewide contracts in South Carolina and Mississippi.

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