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## **New St. Louis Based Company Helps Employers Wipe Away Drug Use**

St. Louis, MO. –October 5, 2005-No magic wand exists that will completely wipe away the problem of drugs in the workplace. However, a new device called DrugWipe comes close. Using DrugWipe technology, Integrity Detection Systems, LLC., a new St. Louis company, can test employer owned surfaces for the presence of illegal narcotics deposited by those using or trafficking drugs in the workplace.

Integrity Detection Systems (IDS) recently completed its first surface assessment for Freezer Refrigeration Storage Inc., a cold storage facility located in National City, IL. Using the patented DrugWipe technology, IDS technicians wiped down forklifts, computers, phones and other company owned surfaces in the facility. Dave Macheca, president of Freezer Refrigeration Storage said the IDS general assessment offers “a comprehensive, real-time snapshot of drug problems that may be present in our facility. It’s a proactive way for us to assess our risks and make the necessary changes to improve worker safety and productivity as well as ensure we’re providing our clients with a consistent, quality service.”

DrugWipe is a handheld device that detects and identifies the invisible residue of illegal narcotics on a surface down to the nanogram level. The device tests for Cocaine, Cannabis, Opiates (including Heroin) and Amphetamines/Methamphetamines (including Ecstasy) and produces legally defensible results within minutes.

Originally used by law enforcement in Europe for “drugged-driving” traffic stops, DrugWipe has been used in the United States by the FBI, DEA, and US Customs. The White House Office of National Drug Control Policy (ONDCP) tested DrugWipe and has included it as a vital component of their National Technology Transfer Program. DrugWipe is now available to the private sector where businesses are using it as a tool to reduce liability, lower self insured costs and insurance premiums, reduce workplace theft, increase quality and productivity, and improve workplace morale.

While not a magic wand, DrugWipe is an effective new tool that is helping businesses combat the issues caused by drugs in the workplace one swipe at a time.

For more information visit <http://www.integritydetection.com>

About Integrity Detection Systems, LLC.

Integrity Detection is a forensic narcotics company that offers a range of products and services that detect drug abuse and drug trafficking in businesses, homes and schools by sampling surfaces (such as phones, computers, steering wheels, etc.) for the presence of illegal narcotics. By swiping surfaces with a device called DrugWipe, IDS can detect

nanogram level traces of Cocaine, Cannabis, Opiates (including Heroin) and Amphetamines/Methamphetamines (including Ecstasy). IDS also offers a product called PreScreen which can screen individuals on-site in a fast, non-invasive manner by simply swiping the device across their forehead and/or palms. Both DrugWipe and PreScreen are handheld devices that yield accurate, highly sensitive results in less than 5 minutes.

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