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Digital Field Solutions is Appointed UK Solutions Provider Partner for the FAS, Enterprise Class, Digital Pen & Paper Solution

Digital Pen & Paper enables people on the move to simply capture information using a special digital pen (that looks and writes like a normal pen!) on paper forms overprinted with a microscopic dot pattern and instantly send it back to the office via mobile phone. The Forms Automation System or FAS, is an enterprise class Digital Pen & Paper application designed for the business environment.

Tim Howard and Barry Wetherilt met at GAB Robins, one of the Worlds leading loss adjusting and claims management organisations, where Tim was the UK Strategy Director and Barry, the company's Global VP of Technology. Both worked together on the development of the emerging Digital Pen & Paper technology to help loss adjusters quickly and simply collect claims data in the field.

According to Wetherilt, "We started the first project in late 2004 and the results were simply amazing. The technology is so simple to use - field adjusters were able to collect claims data on paper forms with the Digital Pen and instantly send it back to the office via their mobile phone. We actually tripled the number of claims settled within 10 days compared to the previous year."

Says Howard, "Our experience of the Digital Pen was so positive we felt we just had to take the opportunity to market it more widely. With the blessing of GAB Robins, our first and most important customer, we transferred the development team and set up Digital Field Solutions. The technology has so many applications in so many industries – financial services, utilities, healthcare, market research, manufacturing - that we plan and expect to grow very quickly."

"We decided", says Wetherilt, "to Partner with the FAS Group because the Forms Automation System has many advantages for the business market, including higher levels of security and traceability plus the ability to configure forms rapidly, pre-fill them with back office information where appropriate and print them from a desktop laser printer. We look forward to a long and successful business partnership."

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Digital Field Solutions was established in March 2006 by Tim Howard and Dr Barry Wetherilt.

Digital Field Solutions helps businesses take advantage of low cost mobile technology to make life easier and more productive for people in the field and on the move. Our team has particular expertise in creating integrated Digital Pen & Paper solutions for organisations – providing affordable and secure data capture for a wide range of business applications across broad spectrum of industries including financial services, healthcare, manufacturing, utilities and research.

Digital Field Solutions is an Authorised Solutions Provider Partner for the Forms Automation System (FAS).

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