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The ClipCard® system – European Commission in official visit in Cannes the 5th of December 2003

The ClipCard®'s project (within the IST programme from the European Commission) is underway and has started in Cannes (France) on the 25th of September 2003 and in Ventimiglia (Italy) on the 20th of October 2003. After 2 months of real life trial, we have already the opportunity to identify first results.



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Nigel Bryant, New Managing Director, to Lead Cubic's UK-European Transportation Subsidiary



Nigel Bryant has been named managing director of Cubic Transportation Systems Limited, the UK-based subsidiary and European headquarters of San Diego-based Cubic Corporation's (AMEX:CUB) mass transit fare collection operations.

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Showcase Update

Control with Eagle Vision at Multiple Car Parks

The new Main Control Centre by SKIDATA

A software-based on-screen control interface, the locally installed standard version of the Parking System Control Centre has already a lot of useful features to offer: system operators can instantly see whether or not all barrier gates are working properly, how many vehicles are at the car park, or the current overall POS cash balance. All required information, including customer details for marketing purposes, can be called up at a simple click of the mouse.

Clearly, car park operators have been very well provided for so far. But what about proprietors who operate several parking facilities in the city or all over the country? Are the capabilities of the regular Control Centre sufficient in this case? Or would it rather drive the benefits down and the costs up?

That's where new Main Control Centre (MCC) by SKIDATA comes in. It offers a lot more than the standard version: it can control and monitor several car parks at the same time with the same accuracy and reliability as a standard Control Centre, but with even greater economic efficiency. Multiple facilities controlled via a Main Control Centre have several clear advantages:



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Son engagement s'exprime par la fierté de servir les villes en mettant à leur disposition des techniques de pointe et le savoir-faire d'équipes professionnelles

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Forum Update

• Charging for Valet Handicap Parking

We have had the question arise about charging parking fees to handicapped placarded vehicles. The most recent question is the exposure that we may have if we decide not to charge these individuals for valet parking. It is not a question concerning the loss of revenue as much as could this be construed as a discriminatory violation by not charging these individuals? I recall that at one point in the early stages of the ADA enactment that it was stated that this would be considered discrimination. Has anyone had this type of question arise and if so what did you decide to do with this and/or what was you or your legal counsels interpretation of this matter. Thanks for any help..

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- I think it depends greatly on if you provide ample, close in, and available handicap parking. We do not charge on state property due to state law which precludes charging a fee, but then we have no close in handicap parking available. I do not think this is a discrimination issue. It is an availability issue.

Bob Turner (Bobby.Turner@utsouthwestern.edu)

- Special parking for the Handicapped is ALL about accessibility and mobility, not about cost. Those people who are not qualified for handicapped placards already feel discriminated against as the truly handicapped get all the "good parking spaces" so I would not worry about that being an issue.

KS Beechum (kbeechum@ksbservices.com)

• Parking Technology

Within the Nottingham City Council we are currently preparing an information pack for employers within the city to aid them with design and best use of their car park spaces. Any information with regards to current technology such as license plate recognition, and means of identifying cars that should or should not be in their car parks at a specific time would be extremely useful.

- I can suggest you contact with Circutor SA a Spanish firm which provides first class technology in this type of products. You can find it at www.circutor.com/cirpark.pdf Best regards Miguel J. Balanya.

Miguel Balanya (mbalanya@inicia.es)

- Nottingham is using ANPR extensively for Policing. I suggest you contact Appian Technologies plc who were responsible for this technology. They have a solution for Car Parks also.

Paul McIlvride (paul@sabar.com.au)

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Who visits Parking Network?

'You can imagine that this platform gives the industry a very good overview of the parking industry worldwide. Therefore we attract the following visitors: public bodies, awarding authorities, project developers, the urban planning specialist, infrastructure consultants, purchase managers, and other persons interested in the latest developments in the parking industry.'



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