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## Keyscan Introduces Smart-Gate

Whitby, Ontario, March 5, 2009 – Keyscan Inc. today announced that it will in partnership with Cogent Systems debut its Smart-Gate biometric reader / contactless Mifare smartcard reader at ISC West in Las Vegas, Nevada, April 1-3 2009.

The Smart-Gate addresses the vigilance demanded by today's security needs while simultaneously respecting an individual's right to privacy. The Smart-Gate is a true one-to-one biometric reader in that the biometric template is stored on the Mifare contactless smartcard, not on a network database. So biometric information always remains securely in the possession of the individual cardholder.

Smart-Gate offers state-of-the-art dual verification. As a biometric reader, this compact device uses a SecurASIC chip and preeminent matching algorithm for the highest level of fingerprint accuracy and performance. As a Mifare contactless smartcard reader, the Smart Gate can be customized for Wiegand outputs up to 128-bits.

Smart Gate includes Easy Step™, the one time card enrollment software that integrates with Keyscan providing the most secure, user-friendly biometric integration in the industry.

Not only is the Smart-Gate vigilant, it's versatile - three modes of operation, as well as single finger or two finger enrollment options depending on the smartcard credential in use, integrates with Keyscan access control systems, integrates with other manufacturer's access control systems, and it has an on-board relay for single-door, standalone applications.

Where the highest level of security is demanded – Smart-Gate is the solution. If you'd like to know more about Keyscan's Smart Gate biometric/smartcard reader or have a product demonstration, visit our booth # **25041 at ISC West**.

Keyscan is a privately-owned manufacturer of access control security systems. A market

leader in electronic access control with unsurpassed customer service and technical support, Keyscan offers flexible, scalable, and adaptable systems that deliver world-class solutions for real-world security challenges. Keyscan systems are used across a broad market spectrum for securing industrial, commercial, government, institutional, and residential buildings.

Cogent Systems is a leading biometric manufacturer with over 17 years of R&D experience. Cogent's algorithm scores in the top 3 of 18 biometric company submissions based on NIST testing.