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Esker Celebrates 20th Anniversary, CEO Highlights Momentum in Automated Document Delivery

DeliveryWare leader marks two decades of customer love

Madison, WI – Feb. 14, 2005 – Esker Software, a leading provider of solutions to eliminate manual paper processes via automated document delivery, celebrates its 20-year anniversary this month. With two decades' experience working with enterprises to increase business process efficiency, control IT costs, boost productivity, and improve profitability, Esker's passion to streamline business information exchange is stronger than ever.

“Esker began in 1985 as a software consultancy, so problem-solving and strong customer-listening skills have always been core attributes of our company,” said Jean-Michel Bérard, co-founder and CEO of Esker. “We're proud of our history and the reputation we've established around the world — first as a host access pioneer, then a leader in fax server solutions, and now an expert in automated document delivery. As we celebrate this important milestone in Esker history, we're ready for an exciting future and poised to deliver for our customers and partners.”

A recent Amplitude Research survey commissioned by Esker notes that while companies have implemented software solutions to reduce the amount of paper in business processes, they have not adequately addressed the area of document delivery. Almost 70% of those surveyed noted that their lack of an automated document delivery solution for fax delivery negatively impacts their organization's competitiveness. The survey findings also state that half of the enterprises plan to, by the second quarter of 2005, purchase or upgrade an automated document delivery solution.

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According to Bérard. “Esker is very well positioned to meet the needs of enterprises wanting to blend content management with business processes management. Thanks to the contributions of Esker employees, customers, and business partners, we have the technology, the expertise, and the distribution channel presence to satisfy the demand of enterprises that need better ways to exchange business information cost-effectively and without complications. These resources will help Esker continue to grow and move forward.”

Bérard cited a number of indicators that bode well for Esker’s continued success throughout 2005:

- ◆ Sales of Esker DeliveryWare automated document delivery software increased 79% during 2004.
- ◆ Esker now offers its software as a service, considered by many analysts as the next “hot” technology. Its unique and visionary Esker on Demand hosted document delivery solution, introduced in 2004, has already reached 2.5 million pages of traffic.
- ◆ As an SAP Software Partner with certified integration, Esker has provided numerous large enterprises with heightened capability to manage content and deliver documents directly from their SAP solutions. As a result, Esker DeliveryWare is recognized as the document delivery solution of choice among SAP customers.
- ◆ In January 2005, the Software & Information Industry Association (SIIA) notified the company that Esker DeliveryWare was chosen as one of five finalists in the “Best Document Management Product or Service” Software Category for the 20th annual Codie Awards. Codie Award winners will be announced at a special gala event in Universal City, California, in May of 2005.

About Esker

Esker is a recognized leader in helping companies eliminate manual paper processes with Esker DeliveryWare Solutions — software and hosted services automating every phase of document delivery.

Specializing in the automated capture, formatting, and delivery of output from SAP systems, Esker solutions work with any enterprise applications to streamline document flow without custom programming. Customers gain significant operational efficiencies, save time and costs, and realize ROI in as little as three months.

Founded in 1985, Esker operates globally and has over 70,000 customers and millions of licensed users worldwide. Esker has global headquarters in Lyon, France and U.S. headquarters in Madison, WI. For more information, visit <http://www.esker.com>

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