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ASI/Mavpro, industry leader in the development of software products for Product Life Cycle Management, announces that it has changed its name to Cetaris. This new name replaces both Actco Systems Inc. (ASI) and Mavpro Consulting and reflects a tighter integration between the software product development activities of ASI and the technology consulting/professional services business of Mavpro.

Going forward, Cetaris will continue to produce ASI's best-of-breed Product Life Cycle Management software, including Fleet Assistant and Parts Assistant, for customers in the transportation and manufacturing industries.

"This is another key step in our strategy to develop the market for our software products. With the tough economic environment, we are finding many customers need software like Fleet Assistant to better control their costs. By rebranding all of our products and services under the Cetaris name, we will be better positioned and more readily accessible to the market", said Ric Bedard, president of Cetaris. Product implementation services and the custom development components of the ASI/Mavpro business will also be rebranded with the Cetaris name. All such work will be managed through the Cetaris Professional Services Group and we will work with all of our customers to ensure they experience a seamless transition with minimal impact on their business operations.

According to Larry McLennan, VP of the Professional Services Group, "the ASI/Mavpro team has been working together for three years now, but this is an important step to present one unified message to the market and to reiterate our commitment to providing expert services in support of the Product Life Cycle Management products we are developing and deploying".

We thank all of our customers and partners for providing us with the opportunity to work with them and we look forward to continuing our proud tradition as Cetaris.

About Cetaris

Cetaris Software Inc. as a premier provider of enterprise asset management solutions helping organizations around the world reduce the cost and complexity associated with managing their fleet related assets. Their solution Fleet Assistant was built by fleet people for fleet people, whose evolution began on the shop floor with an understanding and emphasis on the needs of fleet owners, managers, service technicians and administrative personnel. Their solution continues to evolve addressing all the key requirements a business demands to optimize the performance and productivity of its fleet related assets. Consequently, today some of the world's largest; most sophisticated and efficient organizations depend on the Web Fleet Assistant to manage millions of their assets in more than 50 countries worldwide.

Headquartered in Toronto, Cetaris is more than just a software provider, combining exceptional human capital, with best of breed business processes and world class software tools to deliver a robust, turnkey solution.

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