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Thomson Micromedex Partners with Logical Images to Offer Visual Diagnostic Software

Greenwood Village, Colo. (September 21, 2005) – Thomson Micromedex today announced a strategic partnership with Logical Images to provide hospitals and other healthcare organizations with access to VisualDx®, a point-of-care clinical decision support software system for visual diagnosis. Micromedex is a part of The Thomson Corporation (NYSE: TOC; TSX: TOC), a leader in enterprise-wide clinical knowledge solutions for scientific and healthcare professionals. Logical Images is a proprietary diagnostic software provider based in Rochester, N.Y.

VisualDx is an intuitive and easy to use visual differential diagnostic tool that minimizes the potential for medical error concerning conditions with visual signs and symptoms. The application is used at the point of care to make more accurate diagnoses, yielding faster and better treatment decisions and improved clinical outcomes.

“Complementing our proven disease continuum of care products, VisualDx helps clinicians in hospitals, emergency rooms, government agencies and other organizations make better decisions, ultimately reducing costs and improving outcomes and safety—including potential bio-terrorist acts,” said Jay Katzen, vice president of marketing and product development, Thomson Micromedex.

In addition, VisualDx is an essential tool for early detection and treatment of conditions caused by chemical, biological and radiological substances. The application is a front-line diagnostic solution enabling institutions to meet bioterrorism preparedness mandates for early detection and treatment as set by the U.S. Department of Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) and Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). VisualDx can be purchased with preparedness funding from those programs.

“For more than 30 years clinicians have depended on Micromedex for proven clinical knowledge solutions to help them make better treatment decisions, and we are delighted to team with this pioneering industry leader to add to their existing solutions,” said Michael O’Connor, president of Logical Images.

About Logical Images

Logical Images develops and markets proprietary point-of-care visual diagnostic software that enables health care providers to accurately diagnose and treat infectious diseases, agents of bioterrorism, drug eruptions, immunocompromised and oral lesions, and a wide range of common ailments and medical conditions. The company's flagship product, VisualDx®, represents an expansive set of tools that merge the world's largest collection of digitized images of medical conditions with rich textual information and provides a unique patient-centric approach to accessing relevant information. Logical Images is a global company with headquarters in Rochester, New York. For more information, visit www.logicalimages.com.

About The Thomson Corporation and Thomson Micromedex

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