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AEGIS Delivers Explosive Ordinance Device Trainer to Huntsville Police Department

Huntsville, Alabama (August 11, 2011) - AEGIS Technologies has agreed to deliver an Explosive Ordinance Device Trainer (XPT for Andros) to the Huntsville Police Department Bomb Squad. The Huntsville Police Department will use this training simulator to enhance and maintain robot operation skills in a virtual environment, allowing operators to be proficient with the robot’s use when required in real time. Additionally, training in a virtual environment eliminates wear and damage to the actual robot, which decreases maintenance costs.

XPT for Andros is a feature-rich training simulator for the Remotec Andros F6A robot, integrated with a high fidelity physics engine. The system offers scenario-based training and includes features and capabilities of the Andros F6A robot.

“We are very excited to receive the XPT Andros training suite provided by AEGIS Technologies. Our operators will benefit by practicing critical aspects required to maintain proficiency of the robots without incurring the daily wear and tear on the devices,” said Sergeant Burnie Stedham, Arson/Bomb Squad Commander for the Huntsville Police Department.

David King, AEGIS Vice President of Simulation Development said, “AEGIS is very pleased to provide the XPT training environment to the Huntsville Police Department. We benefit by having access to the operators which allows us to continuously adapt the training device to new and developing techniques required to maintain proficiency in the field.”

AEGIS President & CEO, Steve Hill, added, “All of us at AEGIS Technologies place a high value on the Huntsville Police Department’s outstanding service to our community. We are very excited about our partnership with the city to further enhance our police officers’ training and effectiveness in utilizing state-of-the-art robotics for law enforcement efforts. We are pleased to launch this new product in our own community and are very appreciative of Mayor Battle’s and Chief Hudson’s continued vision and emphasis on a safe community.”

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