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### **Encore Business Solutions Offers Document Imaging**

**Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada – November 20<sup>th</sup>, 2003** - Encore Business Solutions announced today the integration with ImageLink from Computer Information Enterprises (CIE). ImageLink gives users the tools to link supporting documents with their accounting records. It provides a natural interface for users to scan and archive documents.

Products now supporting ImageLink include Encore's Grant Management, Recurring Contract Billing and Project Tracking solutions.

*Grant Management ImageLink* provides the following functionality:

- Ability to track all grant activity communications – from the pre-award phase through the entire life cycle of the grant
- Archiving and tracking all grant sponsor correspondence communications

*Recurring Contract Billing ImageLink* provides the following functionality:

- Tracking all correspondence relating to a customer contract and saving this information with the contract master
- Scanning customer purchase orders and other supporting documents and saving them with the customer contract

*Project Tracking ImageLink* provides the following functionality:

- Tracking all correspondence relating to a project and saving information with the project master
- Scanning supporting documents and saving them with the project master so that all information pertaining to the project is stored in one location
- Scanning invoices and other supporting documents and saving them with the Project Distribution at the time of transaction entry

"We are thrilled to collaborate with CIE in delivering document imaging technology to our customer base", states Encore Vice President Product Division, Rene Desaulniers. "This new functionality will help our clients centrally archive documents pertinent to their projects, grants and contracts. We are adding value by partnerships - a true sense of community living!"

"The results of our integration partnership with Encore are truly remarkable", says Computer Information Enterprises CEO, Craig Chandler. "By image-enabling their software, Encore has given users the ability to capture and view documents at the source point of contact. Our ImageLink product provides access to the documents from within the Encore software and on through the Great Plains accounting system. Together, we have produced a seamless offering based on Encore software, ImageLink document management and Great Plains accounting".

#### **About Encore Business Solutions Inc**

At Encore Business Solutions Inc., we are committed to furthering your success through innovative business solutions. Since 1994, we've been developing, marketing and supporting applications specifically designed to integrate to Microsoft Business Solutions – Great Plains and Small Business Manager.

We deliver world-class, high quality products that satisfy the special reporting, budgetary, fundraising and business management needs of not-for-profit and government organizations. Encore has the knowledge and understanding of the unique demands of not-for-profit and government organizations, and our experience in developing solutions that meet those growing needs. In addition, Encore's Project Tracking Series and Billing Series offer powerful reporting and management capabilities that enable organizations to move towards their financial goals with confidence.

#### **About Computer Information Enterprises**

Founded in 1976, Computer Information Enterprises continues to deliver leading edge software for business and industrial use. From its Irvine, California location, CIE develops and supports ImageLink, a document management system with seamless integration into the Great Plains and Solomon IV accounting systems. A variety of high-end products use ImageLink as their platform technology. For example, AP-Distar is a web-based system that allows users to view and approve AP documents from anywhere in the world. PayCue helps staffing agencies automate the handling of timecards and image-enables their invoicing process. As a hub product, ImageLink allows developers to extend the capabilities of their applications and provide document automation support to their clients.