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CheckSum Signs Distribution Agreement with MTQ Testsolutions of Germany

Arlington, WA—October 16, 2008—CheckSum today announced that it has signed up MTQ Testsolutions of Schonstett, Germany, as a new distributor of CheckSum products within Germany. The distribution agreement covers sales, installation, and service of all CheckSum products, including the successful, high-speed MultiWriter ISP device programming system and the popular, low-cost Analyst in-circuit test systems.

“MTQ Testsolutions is experienced and successful at providing test equipment and services to the German electronics assembly industry,” said John VanNewkirk, president & CEO of CheckSum. “By partnering with MTQ, we look forward to growing our business with Germany customers who need in-circuit test equipment and on-board programming systems.”

“We are pleased to have the opportunity to offer our customers CheckSum products, especially the innovative MultiWriter ISP programming system,” said Nikolai Sapounov, Managing Director of MTQ Testsolutions. “CheckSum in-circuit test and on-board programming systems complement our current product line and offer innovative technology and economic value to our customers.”

About CheckSum

Based in Arlington, Washington, CheckSum is a leading supplier of ISP device programming solutions and low-cost circuit board test—including systems, fixtures, and programs—to the electronics manufacturing industry. CheckSum has been delivering reliable, cost-effective, and flexible test solutions to OEMs and contract manufacturers for 20 years. With an installed base of over 3,000 test systems at more than 200 companies in over 40 countries, CheckSum helps customers ranging from automotive electronics manufacturers to global EMS providers reduce their total test and manufacturing costs and increase their manufacturing margins. For more information, visit www.checksum.com.

About MTQ Testsolutions

MTQ Testsolutions is a supplier of test technologies and services for the design, manufacturing, and quality assurance of electronic assemblies. Products and services include in-circuit test systems, functional test systems, in-line handling equipment, and software. MTQ Testsolutions has more than 25 years of international experience in the development, manufacturing, sales, and maintenance of test equipment. Utilizing this experience and working with its partners, MTQ can design and implement cost-effective and easy-to-use, customer-specific test concepts and solutions, including maintenance and support. For more information, visit www.mtq-testsolutions.de.

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