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### For Immediate Release

Forum Communications Showcases Consortium II and Alert II Products at the National Guard Bureau's (NGB) Tenth Annual Joint Command, Control, Communications, Computers and Intelligence (JC4I) Conference.

Forum Communications Showcases Consortium II JITC Certified Conference Systems and Alert II Primary Crash Networks at the NGB JC4I 2010 Conference in Nashville, Tennessee.

Richardson, Texas - December 20, 2010 - Forum Communications International announced today its successful participation in the National Guard Bureau's (NGB) Joint Command, Control, Communications, Computers, and Intelligence (JC4I) Conference (Formally known as the Joint Information Technology Conference and Exposition). Approximately 2,000 Guardsmen from all 54 States, Territories, and the District of Columbia who work in Information Technology and Intelligence attended this important event and Forum Communications International enjoyed overwhelming responses from existing and potential military customers.

This year's NGB JC4I 2010 Conference was the Tenth Annual Conference with the theme "Joint



The National Guard has provided this country's Homeland Defense for over 370 years and the conference had compelling Keynote presentations and breakout sessions. Additionally, this year the normal attendees, the J6 Group (Command, Control, Communications & Computers Directorate) were joined for the 1st time by the J2 Group (Intelligence Directorate). This is significant in that the collaboration between the two has become mission critical for their Homeland Security mission.

Solutions-Turning Stove pipes into Clouds" focusing on enterprise solutions improving collaborating efforts for the future. The purpose of the conference was to bring the NGB Joint Staff, ARNG, ANG and our strategic partners together to review the various IT and Intel structures within, and related to, the National Guard's dual role (State and Federal), and discuss opportunities for integrated solutions.



Forum's JITC certified Consortium II conference server and the Alert II Crash Alarm Systems were showcased. The Consortium II provides key communications capabilities for government and military conferencing and collaboration applications and the Alert II provides Airfield emergency communications for aircraft rescue and fire fighting and emergency first response teams. Forum Communications has deployed many of these systems within the National Guard facilities.



This leading industry conference addresses the key military market segments served by Forum; the Army and Air National Guard forces and bases across the US. The conference provides the opportunity for Forum to meet with its National Guard customers, and also with the strategic distribution partners who provide Forum solutions to mutual DOD customers. "The Army and Air National Guard forces represent a significant part of Forum's installed customer base, and a great opportunity for us to meet with existing and new customers within the Guard," said Noel

H. Schnell, Vice President, Forum Communications. "Having the opportunity to review new products and capabilities in a hands-on setting with our customers is a great benefit and a real pleasure."

#### **About Forum Communications**

Forum Communications has been at the forefront in Conferencing and Collaboration solutions with a commitment to design quality and customer satisfaction for almost 20 years. With over 100,000 ports in service for Business, Federal, State and Local Governments, and DOD installations around the Globe, Forum continues to demonstrate our proven commitment to customers with on-going enhancements, innovative feature sets, and award winning product solutions. Forum products are purpose built and designed using the latest in technology and user interface design practices. From conferencing to emergency response solutions, Forum continues to deliver.

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