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**MagTek Introduces Excella MDX, a Secure, Single-feed,
Compact Check Reader and Dual-sided Scanner**

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MagTek, Inc., a global provider of the most secure electronic payment technology, today announced the availability of the Excella MDX, a compact check reader and dual-sided scanner that offers a cost-effective alternative to implement PC-based electronic check applications, including Check 21, BOC, POP, ARC, and Remote Deposit Capture. The MDX also secures card based payment transactions by encrypting the encoded card holder data on debit, credit and gift cards through its integrated MagneSafe™ MSR. It can also be used with an ID card for 2 Factor Authentication during web based financial transactions.


“The MDX is the latest addition to MagTek’s broad family of check readers and scanners that are currently being used by retailers and financial institutions around the world to read and image millions of checks daily,” said Mr. John Arato, Vice President and Business Unit Manager of MagTek. “However, our products today now offer the security needed by retailers, small merchants and financial institutions to thwart the attacks that are happening with network and terminal data breaches,” concluded Mr. Arato.

For more information on MagTek’s Excella MDX, please visit us at Booth #621 at the 2008 ETA Meeting and Expo in Las Vegas, NV.

About MagTek

Since 1972, MagTek has been a leading manufacturer of electronic devices and systems for the reliable issuance, reading, transmission and security of cards, checks, PINs and other identification documents. Leading with innovation and engineering excellence, MagTek is known for quality and dependability. Its products include secure card readers, check scanners, PIN Pads and distributed credential issuing systems. These products are used worldwide by financial institutions, retailers, hotels, law enforcement agencies and other organizations to provide secure and efficient electronic payment and identification transactions.

Today, MagTek continues to innovate with the development of a new generation of security centric products secured by MagneSafe™. By leveraging strong encryption, secure tokenization and real time authentication, MagneSafe products enable users to assess and



validate the trustworthiness of credentials used for online identification, payment processing, and other high-value electronic transactions.

MagTek is based in Seal Beach, California and has sales offices throughout the United States, Europe, and Asia, with independent distributors in over 40 countries. For more information, please visit www.magtek.com.

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