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MÄK TECHNOLOGIES ADDS SIMAUTHOR AS VAR SimAuthor to Offer VR-Link Module to FlightViz

ITEC, LONDON, England, April 30, 2003 – MÄK Technologies, the world's leading supplier of distributed simulation software, announced they have signed SimAuthor as a Value Added Reseller (VAR). SimAuthor will be using MÄK's VR-Link simulation networking toolkit to develop an HLA/DIS networking module for their FlightViz product. FlightViz creates fully interactive, animated visualizations of actual flight or simulator data, showing aircraft in three dimensions, along with actual runways, surrounding terrain, and navigational aids. This Windows-based software can also depict instruments and digital approach plates - all synchronized with the other displays.

"Building our networking module on VR-Link, the leading distributed simulation networking toolkit, saves us development time and cost," said Stephen Lakowske, chief technology officer of SimAuthor. "The module will fill our customer's distributed simulation needs and allow us to continue to offer high-value solutions."

"SimAuthor's FlightViz has earned them their position as the established leader in flight visualization tools," said Marc Schlackman, vice president of sales for MÄK Technologies. "Their use of VR-Link for simulation networking takes our product into a new marketplace."

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About SimAuthor

SimAuthor, Inc., developer of FlightViz flight data visualization and FlightAnalyst analysis software, is based in Boulder, Colorado. FlightViz enables non-programmers to quickly and easily visualize and analyze aircraft, simulator, or telemetry data. It provides numerous data display formats whereby analysts, managers, pilots, and students can visually examine a flight from a variety of perspectives. FlightAnalyst data analysis software allows users to extract valuable information from single or multiple data files and look for averages, trends, or significant anomalies in those files. For more information, visit SimAuthor's web site at www.simauthor.com.

About MÄK Technologies

MÄK Technologies develops software to link, simulate and visualize the virtual world. We create tools and toolkits for distributed simulations, develop PC-based military tactical trainers, craft custom solutions, and research and develop the latest simulation technologies. We build commercial off the shelf simulation software that is flexible, portable and supported. Whether you choose our best-selling networking toolkit, VR-Link or our computer generated forces toolkit, VR-Forces, you have purchased a product backed by the industry's leading distributed simulation experts. Our worldwide customers include ITT Industries, Boeing, Lockheed Martin, Raytheon, Tenix, Dassault and BAE. Please call 617.876.8085 or visit www.mak.com for more information.

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