



Contact:  
Kevin Howard  
Secure Network Systems, LLC  
Phone: 888-CRITSEC or 303.637.7617  
Email: K.Howard@SecureNetworkSystems.com

## Media Release

### Secure Network Systems Launches IdShield™ Suite of Credential Wallets and Holders

- **SNS IdShield™ wallets and holders protect sensitive data on smart cards and comply with the most stringent US Federal security standards that exist today.**
- **Blocks unwanted access of private information on Personal Identity Verification credentials, First Responder IDs, and credit cards yet allows easy usage for door or turnstile entry.**

**Boulder, CO – February 6, 2007** – Continuing to expand its products and services that help protect and defend the American way of life, Secure Network Systems (SNS) has received approval from the United States Government's General Services Administration (GSA) for a suite of Electromagnetic Opaque Sleeves that are now listed on the Approved Products List for FIPS 201 compliance.

FIPS 201 is the Federal Information Processing Standard covering Personal Identity Verification (PIV) for Federal employees and contractors, and includes IT/Network and physical access control. SNS currently has nine products approved across four FIPS 201 categories and is listed as a Qualified HSPD-12 Service Provider for a complete end-to-end solution under SIN 132-62 by the GSA.

"We are concerned that determined adversaries can compromise PIV systems at multiple critical control points, and will be continuing to launch innovative countermeasure offerings to protect these important identity authentication systems and reduce risk. With our heritage in IT/Network and physical systems security, SNS systems avoid many common vulnerabilities due to superior architecture, yet balance interoperability in a cost-effective manner", said Greg Reith, Chief Technology Officer of SNS. "Our solutions also work with existing components found in sophisticated, large enterprise environments, leveraging investments in place for devices and provide smooth migration paths to achieve HSPD-12 compliance."

The SNS IdShield™ wallets and credential holders are attractive as well as functional. Featuring Kena Kai's DataSafe™ patent pending shielding material, the suite of identification and credit card sleeves protect stored information from 'skimming' or unauthorized reading of private information without the cardholder's knowledge. "Kena Kai's commitment to information privacy led us to develop our DataSafe groundbreaking technology into beautiful, stylish wallets for the consumer market, and our exclusive partnership with SNS for identity credentials has expanded our line into identification/badge holders", said Geb Masterson, CEO of Kena Kai. "Together with SNS, our team will continue to design and develop elegant, effective products to secure confidential information."

IdShield wallets are available in a choice of leather and rip-stop fabric designs, from traditional tri-fold and zippered wallets to camouflage holders with Velcro closures. While the holders feature a clear face backed by shielding and are designed to be attached to clothing by a clip/pin or worn on a lanyard, they are also easy to use for door/turnstile entry using just one hand.

#### **Pricing and availability**

Credential holders are priced at under \$8.00 and discounts for quantity orders are available. Wallet prices range from \$39.99 to \$79.99 retail. All styles can be private labeled for an agency or organization and custom designs can be developed and delivered with minimal lead time. Visit [www.SecureNetworkSystems.com](http://www.SecureNetworkSystems.com) and contact us for our free catalog.

**About Secure Network Systems**

Secure Network Systems is an emerging leader in the converged IT/network and physical security market with a strong background in solving difficult problems and delivering world-class solutions. SNS has distinguished itself through delivery of innovative results that encompass people, processes, and technologies, improving the overall security posture. SNS employees are dedicated to providing products and services that help protect and defend the American way of life.

SNS IdShield™ is a trademark of Secure Network Systems LLC.  
DataSafe™ is a trademark of Kena Kai, Inc. and is patent pending.