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WFS Defense opens new Washington D.C. office

Alexandria, VA, USA (25 March 2010) – WFS Technologies, the world’s leading developer of through-water and through-ground wireless communication, navigation and sensing solutions announces the opening of a new WFS Defense office based in Alexandria, Virginia.

WFS Defense Inc. was formed in 2008, as a US affiliate of UK-based WFS Technologies, to provide the US Defense, Homeland Security and Government sectors with innovative and cost-effective wireless communication and telemetry solutions.

The new office is based in the National Capital Region to allow WFS Defense to better serve the growing United States customer base with a local team of Research & Development, Engineering and Sales support experts.

WFS Defense is also proud to announce that Dr. Thomas Nielsen has joined the company to head up the US R&D team. Dr. Nielsen, formerly of Quasar Geophysical Technologies, has considerable experience in the Aerospace and Defense industries in technical development of underwater systems and has been instrumental in the development of electromagnetic sensor technology for a variety of applications.

WFS Defense is led by William Porter who served 28 years as a US Naval Officer before coming to WFS. He comments:

“WFS Defense Inc has supported the defense, homeland security, and government sectors since its founding in 2008. We are pleased to increase our presence in North America with the opening of new headquarters in historic Old Town Alexandria, Virginia on the banks of the Potomac River. The new location is steps from the Old Town waterfront and very convenient to reach from all locations in the greater DC Metro area, including the Pentagon, Ft. Belvoir, the Washington Navy Yard, most government agencies, and all regional airports. The Alexandria headquarters will coordinate all WFS Defense activity in North America.”



“We are also extremely pleased to have Dr. Tom Nielsen aboard to head up our research and development efforts at WFS Defense. Tom has many years of experience and leadership working in the field of underwater electromagnetics and other related technologies. He has conducted advanced research and has driven new product design and testing. I am confident his leadership will bring outstanding capabilities to our US technical team.”

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About WFS

WFS Technologies is the world's leading developer of through-water and through-ground wireless radio frequency (RF) technology for communication, navigation and power transfer.

With over 90 patent applications filed in Europe and North America, our revolutionary wireless connectivity products and services deliver cost savings and new capabilities to the Energy, Environmental, Homeland Security and Defense industries.

WFS's disruptive communications and sensing products extend the reach of conventional communications, telemetry, control systems and sensor networks providing cost savings, improvements in operational performance and flexibility. Headquartered near Edinburgh in the UK, WFS has research facilities in Belfast, Northern Ireland, and U.S. offices in Washington and Houston.

For more information about WFS Defense and its products, visit the company's website at: www.wfsdefense.com or www.wfs-tech.com.