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ProfitKey Announces Mobile MES – The Next Generation of their Manufacturing Execution System

SALEM, N.H., July 31, 2020 – ProfitKey, a leading provider of ERP solutions and services for small and medium-size custom manufacturers and job shops, today announced the availability of their Mobile Manufacturing Execution System (MES).

Mobile MES allows ProfitKey customers using their PK ERP application (versions 7.7.1 and higher) to log jobs on a Microsoft tablet with a built in camera and bar code reader that workers will carry with them around the shop floor, instead of disengaging and walking across the shop floor to a central kiosk to log the job. This change in technology drives three very important benefits:

1. Labor Cost Savings – The elimination of the cumulative time involved in traveling back and forth all day logging jobs can drive a payback for this new technology of less than 3 months.
2. Shop Floor Space – Removing installed kiosks frees space for expansion on the shop floor without the necessity of expanding current square footage.
3. COVID 19 benefits – Best practices in this time of pandemic means social distancing and constant cleaning. Workers queuing at the kiosks and then cleaning and wiping down the kiosk after every use is eliminated with the tablet. No queues and no cleaning and wiping until the shift is over.

“We are excited to announce the release of Mobile MES. We are already seeing great interest in our customer base to move to this new functionality and we will be taking orders immediately with availability in September,” said Kevin O’Keefe, CEO of ProfitKey. “These benefits and cost savings to our customers, as well as the higher level of safety it provides during this pandemic, makes this a very easy decision.”

About ProfitKey

Founded in 1979, ProfitKey provides integrated ERP/MES solutions and services designed for small and medium-size manufacturers and job shops operating in make-to-order, make-to-stock, engineer-to-order, and other discrete manufacturing environments. These proven solutions are designed to improve operational performance, control costs and enhance profitability. ProfitKey’s full-featured solutions are supported by the industry’s most experienced professionals who help customers transform and grow their businesses. For more information visit: www.profitkey.com

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