Subject: Announcement from Richard Cooke, President of RSI Posted by Research Systems Inc. on Mon, 09 Feb 2004 18:36:41 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

As many of you may have heard this morning, Research Systems, Inc. (RSI) has been acquired by ITT Industries as part of ITT's purchase of Kodak's Remote Sensing Systems operation. As RSI is presently a stand-alone business within Kodak, the transition to ITT should occur quite seamlessly with little to no impact on our customers.

RSI has a proven track record for commercializing software technologies and services, and will continue to develop the IDL and ENVI software technology platforms and grow its global services offerings for the same customers and markets that we have traditionally served. The RSI customer base will enjoy the same high level of product support and services during and following this transition.

With this acquisition, ITT will combine the offerings of Kodak's Remote Sensing Systems business, and RSI, with its own to form a new Space Systems Division. This new division will maintain the current management structure of Kodak and RSI, which will further enhance continuity within RSI's business.

I would like to thank you for your continued support of RSI and our products. We look forward to working with ITT Industries to further enhance our product and service offerings for the benefit of you, our customers.

If you have questions feel free to contact your RSI Account Manager. To locate your representative, please visit:

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