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Cegedim presents its CG Pass e-signature solution at the Salon Solutions DEMAT' convention

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Cegedim, a major player in electronic exchanges in Europe, announces that it will be participating in the 2016 Salon Solutions DEMAT' convention from September 20 to 22 in Paris at the Porte de Versailles convention center. Cegedim's booth (E6) will present its growing range of e-signature products for companies.

Law 2000-230 of March 13, 2000, gives e-signatures the same legal weight as handwritten signatures for any type of document. To serve as evidence and ensure document security, e-signatures must offer proof of the identity of the person signing the document, and the process must be executed by using a certificate generated by a trusted third party. This legal framework was clarified in 2010, when the concept of the digital signature¹ was introduced to French law in Article R 249-11 of the Criminal Procedure Code.

Cegedim meets all of these requirements with *CG Pass*, a comprehensive and compliant e-signature solution. It can be used in any area of business to sign any type of document: estimates, sales contracts, purchase orders, engagement letters, listing contracts, lease agreements, employment contracts, SEPA mandates, emails, and more.

Efficient digitization thanks to iSign Solutions

CG Pass creates electronic signature files containing one or more documents and an accompanying digital signature workflow. This workflow decides the order of signatures and, for each signer, the documents that he or she must sign or simply review, the type of certificate to use, the signer authentication method, any fields that need to be filled in or changed, and the list of recipients.

The solution lets each signer sign documents using either their own certificate (individual or company certificates) or a digital signature pad, smartphone or tablet computer (Android, iOS, or Windows). The digital signature is attached to the signed document (PAdES ISO 32000) as the document's signature.

To digitize a manual signature, *CG Pass* uses SOCS, a software suite by iSign Solutions that draws on a dozen patents held by Stanford University. Cegedim is the exclusive distributor of iSign Solutions products in Europe.

Round table on the keys to legally binding signatures

During the convention, *Jean-Marie Simon, Director of Cegedim Global Payments*, will participate in a round table on September 20 at 3:15pm that seeks to answer the question, "Signing digital contracts online and on tablets is useful, but what processes and solutions are needed to make it safe and legal?" He will detail all of the steps necessary to implement an e-signature process that complies with French and European laws.

For more information on the Salon Solutions DEMAT' convention, please visit: www.salons-solutions.com

¹ Defined as the digital storage of a handwritten signature done on a touch-sensitive screen using a secure terminal ensuring that the process is compliant and auditable as soon as the signature has been recorded.

About Cegedim:

Founded in 1969, Cegedim is an innovative technology and services company in the field of digital data flow management for healthcare ecosystems and B2B, and a business software publisher for healthcare and insurance professionals. Cegedim employs more than 3,600 people in 11 countries and generated revenue of €426 million in 2015. Cegedim SA is listed in Paris (EURONEXT: CGM).

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