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PRESS RELEASE

Sustainable Networks Solutions and constructNET International team up to provide Online Education and Training

DENVER, Colorado, 22 December 2011---Sustainable Networks Solutions a Division of ARS Companies, an Arvada, Colorado based company, today announced taking an equity position with constructNET International, Inc., of Phoenix, Arizona.

constructNet International, Inc. (cNI), is a private company spun out from Arizona State University’s School of Construction. The company provides customized online education products targeted to help the construction industry prepare and retain a skilled workforce. cNI partners with premier organizations in construction to aggregate and present online, best-in-class construction education and training globally, and to do so in many languages.

“We have an industry that is in critical need of construction managers and needs over 250,000 people annually to be certified in the skilled crafts like electrical and carpentry”, stated Lupe Carbajal, constructNET CEO. Carbajal pointed out the construction industry has a shortfall of over 5,000 construction managers annually. “This is cNI’s primary target market. Our courses are available anytime, anywhere online for an industry that can not afford to take people away from their jobs.”

“Construction industry employees, from top to bottom, from the crafts worker to the professional construction manager, need training and education resources available to them conveniently and readily,” said Kurt Sommermeyer, Vice President of Operations at Sustainable Networks Solutions. “cNI represents a great resource. The idea that people can be educated and trained anytime and anyplace is a long-overdue concept and we are pleased to join with cNI to fill that need with quality content and learning products.”

cNI’s client list include AACE International (the Association for the Advancement of Cost Engineering International), the National Center for Construction Education and Research, ASU’s W.P. Cary School of Business, the U.S. Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration, ASU’s Herberger Institute for Design and the Arts, Sundt Construction, Inc., Hunter Contracting, Corbins Electric, Achen-Gardner Engineering, and other leading construction and engineering firms.

Representative online courses designed, developed and produced by cNI:

- *Cost*
- *Planning & Scheduling*
- *Project Management*
- *Statistics, Probability & Risk Management*
- *Construction English I & II*
- *Trucker English I & II*
- *Cost Estimating*
- *Progress & Cost Control*
- *Economic Analysis*
- *Economic Analysis*
- *Construction Spanish I*
- *OSHA 10-Hour Certification Requirements*

