



WEATHERBANK, INC. RELEASES NEW SOFTWARE

“WEATHERBRIEF[®]-SATELLITE, Version 2.00 for Windows[®]”

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MARCH 1, 2004, EDMOND, OKLAHOMA. WeatherBank, Inc., a leader in the weather services industry, announced today that it has released the latest Windows[®] version of its popular, WeatherBrief[®]-SATELLITE Software (the “Software”). This release, known as version 2.00, operates on any primary Windows[®] platform (NT4, ME, Windows 98 and 2000, and XP). Version 2.00 upgrades several features of the earlier-released Version 1.50, including Hurricane graphics and Watch and Warning graphics.

The Software allows a user to receive any one of WeatherBank’s nearly 40,000 weather products and graphics in real-time through a service offered by WeatherBank. The service employs a continuous KU-Band, digital satellite transmission, technology known as Single Channel Per Carrier (“SCPC”), and has an effective baud rate of 19.2 kilo-characters/second. WeatherBank leases the satellite transmission service from Mainstream Data, Inc., based in Salt Lake City, Utah.

“The satellite transmission has footprint that covers most of Canada and Mexico, and all of the United States,” stated Steven Root, WeatherBank’s President and CEO. “This service is ideally suited for users in remote areas that are without broadband access to the Internet, or users who require a delivery method with a higher reliability factor than what is offered from traditional Internet access.”

The service requires a user to have installed a 1.2-meter KU-Band dish and a data receiver – both of which are provided by WeatherBank. A user can then receive the desired weather products, automatically through the Software on a 24/7 basis, as they are produced and transmitted from WeatherBank’s network facility. The Software contains a very high degree of functionality, that allows a user to automatically save weather products to disk, display the products in animated “movie loops”, and print upon receipt, among other features.

“The WeatherBrief[®]-SATELLITE service, used primarily by businesses, can be installed on a stand-alone PC or in a network environment,” stated Michael Root, WeatherBank’s Executive Vice President and CFO. “In a network environment, even though there is just a single point of data receipt, each user on the network can receive and archive weather products that are unique to their own, individual application.” WeatherBank continually improves and enhances the Software and provides the upgrades to its clients via the satellite transmission.

WeatherBank, Inc., is located in Edmond, Oklahoma, a suburb of Oklahoma City. The company is a leader in providing custom weather data and products, with applications to all industries. The company also offers unique programming solutions for all types of applications. WeatherBank has one of the largest meteorological teams of any private weather company, and operates 24 hours a day, seven days a week. WeatherBank serves clients in all industries, including energy, transportation, emergency management, broadcasting and others. “WeatherBrief” is a copyrighted trademark of WeatherBank, Inc. Get more information about WeatherBank’s products and services on the World Wide Web at <http://www.weatherbank.com> or by calling Michael R. Root, Executive Vice President/CFO at (405) 359-0773.

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