

Ecessa Extends SD-WAN to The Cloud with WANworX Virtual Instance for Azure

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<u>Systems, Inc.</u> (NASDAQ: JCS) company, today announced a major upgrade to its <u>SD-WAN</u> product line with the release of the WANworX Virtual Instance for Microsoft Azure.

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migration easier, more resilient, and more secure. It gives organizations a low-latency, secure on-ramp to the Azure public cloud with same-IP failover and the full control and flexibility customers have come to expect from Ecessa.

"WANworX is a gamechanger for companies that are currently deploying SD-WAN," said Mike Siegler, Ecessa's General Manager. "With WANworX, network professionals can connect their locations anywhere in the world to the public cloud in Microsoft Azure for resilient, Never Down[®] network performance without going through a third-party SD-WAN supplier's cloud gateway. Control of the gateway and the network stay with the end user, an important

feature missing from competitive offerings. It's Your SD-WAN — Anywhere™."

All WANworX physical appliances and virtual instances include:

- Eull Router functionality
- •Dayer 7 Next Generation Firewall
- •SD-WAN appliance
- •Network monitoring and performance management
- •Tier One technical support 24x7x365 with optional fully managed services

The WANworX Virtual Instance for Azure solution gives users the flexibility to selectively route traffic up to the Azure Public Cloud, while maintaining local ISP load balancing and failover for non-critical and less sensitive traffic, like general internet traffic. This flexibility offers better cost control of the Azure Public Cloud piece. The company notes that early adopters of the technology are enjoying fully reliable performance of their cloud-based phone systems and other applications with same-IP failover capabilities.

Since the early 2000's, Ecessa has provided premises-based WAN routing, load balancing and failover devices to improve application performance and ensure network resilience for businesses around the globe. With this product release, Ecessa solutions extend resilience and flexibility to Azure cloud-based networks, as well as to SaaS and UCaaS providers of choice.

"With support for Azure, WANworX is the most flexible, feature-rich, cost effective solution on the market," said Siegler. "No other solution combines all the features of a router, firewall, SD-WAN device and network monitor with independent Azure access."

Ecessa has an eighteen-year tradition of innovation, developing technologies that not only meet market needs, but offer the most customization options and unlimited technical support. Ecessa recognizes that every network is unique. The company's goal is to empower network architects to easily create the exact solutions they need.

About Ecessa Corporation

Ecessa Corporation, a Communications Systems Inc. company (NASDAQ: JCS), manufactures and distributes software-defined wide area networking (SD-WAN) solutions for business. Since 2002, the company has deployed over 10,000 field installations of Ecessa Edge[®], PowerLink[®], and WANworX[®] controllers and enabled organizations of all sizes to reliably run Internet and cloud-based applications, connect offices worldwide and distribute traffic among a fabric of multiple, diverse ISP links, ensuring business continuity by removing bottlenecks and eliminating network downtime. These capabilities optimize Never Down[®] performance of business-critical applications, aid in lowering IT costs, and make it easier to provision, maintain and support business networks and the applications that run over them. For more information about Ecessa and its SD-WAN products, visit <u>www.ecessa.com</u>.

About Communications Systems

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