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PDES, Inc. Welcomes Kubotek3D to Model-based Standards for the Digital Enterprise Consortium

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PDES, Inc. welcomes Kubotek3D to its international model-based standards consortium as an Industry 6 Participant. Kubotek3D delivers core precision 3D technologies and easy-to-use software to help engineers speed time-to-market, reduce costs, and improve quality.

By taking part in the consortium, Kubotek will be able to provide real-time feedback to the standards based on the actual requirements of their customers. This will ensure that Kubotek will be on the forefront of implementation of the manufacturing standards supported by PDES, Inc., resulting in a more robust product for Kubotek's customers.

"Kubotek brings significant capabilities and a great vision for their products to the PDES Inc. Team. They will be a strong addition to the CAx-IF organization," noted Jack Harris, General Manager of PDES, Inc.

"Supporting product definition data mobility across design and manufacturing is at the core of all Kubotek software," adds Ram Eswaran, COO & CTO, Kubotek3D. "Partnering with PDES will strengthen our development of advanced CAD file translations, especially PMI support in formats like STEP AP242."

About Kubotek3D

Kubotek3D empowers the supply chain with the right design information by delivering core precision 3D technologies and easy-to-use software products. This strategy allows geometry, no matter where it originated, to be used to speed time to market, reduce costs and improve quality. Kubotek3D is a division of Kubotek USA, Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of Kubotek Corporation (7709.T Tokyo Stock Exchange). Kubotek Corporation was founded in 1979 and is headquartered in Osaka, Japan. For more information see www.kubotek3d.com

About PDES, Inc.

PDES, Inc. is a participants-based consortium focused on the development and implementation of model-based standards to support the digital enterprise. Founded in 1988, the organization includes members from industry, government and academia. More information can be found at <http://pdesinc.org/>

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