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Allegion to Preview New ENGAGE™ Technology at ISC West, April 15-17
New Connectivity Platform Provides Cost-Effective And Efficient Solution

CARMEL, IND., March 9, 2015 – Allegion announced it will be showcasing its new ENGAGE™ technology, one of the industry’s newest connectivity platforms, on April 15-17 inside the Sands Expo in Las Vegas, Nev., at ISC West.

ENGAGE™ technology makes it easy to connect people, openings and access together, delivering cost-effective intelligence and efficiency to any facility.

Schlage® NDE Series wireless locks are the first locking platform to use ENGAGE technology and are designed to be easy to install, connect, manage and use. With the NDE Series, there is now a new option to help clients migrate from mechanical hardware to a credential-based electronic solution.

Property and facility managers with multiple tenants can now recommend an access management solution for the interior that is simple, affordable and easy to manage as a compliment to their traditional perimeter solution.

The NDE Series simplifies installation by combining the lock, credential reader, door position sensor and request-to-exit switch all in one unit which can be installed with a Phillips screwdriver in minutes; no need to install additional components, drill holes or run wires to each opening.

“Whether you want the simplicity of a standalone system or the sophistication of fully integrated access control with one of our alliance partners, ENGAGE technology delivers a new level of security and convenience to the workplace,” said Brad Aikin, Business Leader for Electronic Locks. “And, because it works with most credential platforms, the same credential can be used from the exterior to the interior – a win for both tenants and property managers.”

Solutions featuring ENGAGE technology can be customized to fit any size business or budget and can easily adapt to growing or changing business needs. The NDE Series is compatible with most proximity and smart cards including aptiQ™ and aptiQmobile.™

ENGAGE cloud-based web and mobile applications make it simple to manage and configure NDE Series locks. For customers who are looking for basic capabilities, the mobile application is used to manage locks, add and delete credentials and view lock history from anywhere. For customers looking for more advanced capabilities, it is used to configure and connect locks to an access control alliance partner system. The ENGAGE mobile application – which is now available on the App store and will be available on Google Play in April – is compatible with Android and Apple devices.
The NDE Series can be field configured to be Wi-Fi enabled, allowing it to connect to an IT network for automatic daily updates. And, with the introduction of the ENGAGE gateway, which will be shown at ISC West, Allegion will offer the ability to manage, update and monitor the NDE Series in real time when linked with the ENGAGE gateway connected over RS485 or IP to an alliance partner system.

“ENGAGE technology and the NDE Series give integrators the opportunity to add access control deeper into the building, enabling them to provide connectivity to more doors – including interior office doors, conference rooms and sensitive storage spaces. This will enhance the revenue opportunity for each and every job,” Aikin said. “We are thrilled to showcase ENGAGE technology this year at ISC West because we believe this is a platform that will dramatically increase the value and adoption of electronics in the marketplace.”

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