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Polk State College Goes Paperless with Certified PDF Transcripts™

DENVER, CO – October 29, 2010 – Avow Systems, Inc., the leading provider of products and services for certifying and delivering secure electronic documents on behalf of educational institutions, announced today that Polk State College is the first higher education institution in the nation to use Avow's Authentic Document Delivery Service (+ADDStm) to deliver official transcripts exclusively in electronic format, eliminating time-consuming and costly paper processing.

Polk State College students and alumni can now order their official transcripts online and have them delivered via Certified PDF™. In conjunction with the Florida Automated System for Transferring Education Records (FASTER), which supports Electronic Data Interchange (EDI) data transfer with other Florida network institutions, Avow's service now enables secure electronic transcript delivery to any institution outside the FASTER network and to any individual worldwide. Avow's Authentic Document Delivery Service (+ADDStm) is seamlessly integrated with Polk State College's student information system developed and administered by Florida Community College Software Consortium (FCCSC). This enables real-time ordering, processing and delivery of official Certified PDF Transcripts™ 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.

The Avow Authentic Document Delivery Service (+ADDStm) is expected to improve services to students and alumni while saving Polk State College paper, printing, postage, and administrative costs compared to traditional paper-based transcript services. "We applaud Polk State College for leading the way by transitioning to a completely automated and paperless transcript process," said Ron Hyman, General Manager of Avow Systems, Inc. "Avow is proud to partner with such a progressive institution as Polk State College. Not only are they saving money, they are improving services and doing so in an environmentally responsible way."

"Avow Systems' Certified PDF Transcript™ provides the best solution for securely delivering official transcripts, while ensuring the integrity of Polk State records" said Kathy Bucklew, Polk State College Registrar. "Going paperless will not only provide a more timely service to our students and alumni, but save costs too."

About Avow Systems, Inc.

Avow Systems, Inc. is a software-as-a-service company which offers the only real-time, fully integrated service that supports ordering, PDF generation, certification, rights management and secure delivery of electronic transcripts as well as other high-stake documents. Avow hosts and maintains its patent-pending Authentic Document Delivery Service (+ADDStm) for leading institutions nationwide including Stanford University, University of Kansas, DePaul University, University of Chicago, Pennsylvania State University, South Carolina University, University of Colorado, University of Southern California, Indiana University, Princeton University, American Public University System, and many other premier institutions. For more information, please visit www.avowsystems.com.

About Polk State College

Polk State College is a quality-driven educational institution, providing access to affordable associate, baccalaureate degrees, career certificates, and workforce development programs, delivered by diverse, qualified faculty and staff who are committed to student learning and achievement through the consistent practice of collaboration and focus on excellence. For more information, please visit www.polk.edu.