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EMRlogic's activEHR™ 2011.1 Electronic Health Record Software for Eye Care Providers Receives ONC-ATCB Certification by Drummond Group

*Eye Care Providers can now leverage activEHR™ to make significant care improvements,
to achieve "meaningful use" and qualify for incentive funds under ARRA.*

Torrance, CA, 18 March 2011—EMRlogic Systems and Kowa Optimed today announced that activEHR™ 2011.1 has received the federal government's "Meaningful Use" stamp of approval by earning 'Complete EHR Ambulatory' certification. Tested and certified under the Drummond Group's Electronic Health Records Office of the National Coordinator Authorized Testing and Certification Body (ONC-ATCB) program, the EHR software is 2011/2012 compliant in accordance with the criteria adopted by the Secretary of Health and Human Services. In addition, the designation officially deems the electronic health record (EHR) software capable of enabling providers to qualify for funding under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA).



"We are excited to see activEHR™ achieve the Complete EHR milestone and we are now ready to move forward in supporting clients preparing to implement the new certified solution," said Dr. Ian Lane, Executive VP Technology for Kowa Optimed, exclusive distributor of activEHR™. "The certification validates that our software can help providers take part in the electronic revolution reverberating across healthcare. We are proud to offer ECPs the opportunity to truly improve eye care in their communities."

Alistair Jackson, EMRlogic Vice President of Sales & Marketing added, "We completed certification as planned and now continue our efforts to provide EHRs that meet government requirements both now and in the future. We believe the delivered solution must add value to the doctor if it is to be widely adopted long term. That has been, and always will be, our focus. Meaningful Use requires certification but not at the cost of profitability to the practice."

activEHR™ 2011.1 is a fully-integrated software solution for both optometry and ophthalmology. The Certification ID # for activEHR™ 2011.1 is **03112011-5633-1**. The Clinical Quality Measures to which activEHR™ 2011 has been certified include: NQF 0013; NQF 0024; NQF 0028; NQF 0038; NQF 0041; NQF 0086; NQF 0088; NQF 0089; and NQF 0421. The additional software activEHR™ 2011.1 relied upon to demonstrate compliance includes Windows OS; DrFirst Rcopia; Medline Plus.

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Drummond Group's ONC-ATCB 2011/2012 certification program tests and certifies that EHRs meet the meaningful use criteria for either eligible provider or hospital technology. In turn, healthcare providers using the EHR systems of certified vendors are qualified to receive federal stimulus monies upon demonstrating meaningful use of the technology -- a key component of the federal government's push to improve clinical care delivery through the adoption and effective use of EHRs by U.S. healthcare providers.

This Complete EHR is 2011/2012 compliant and has been certified by Drummond Group, an ONC-ATCB approved to certify any complete or modular EHR both ambulatory and inpatient, in accordance with the applicable certification criteria adopted by the Secretary of Health and Human Services. This certification does not represent an endorsement by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services or guarantee the receipt of incentive payments. Vendor name, Date Certified, Product Version, Certification ID number, Clinical Quality Measures Certified, any additional software relied upon to certify, where applicable the certification criteria to which each EHR modules has been tested and certified.

About EMRlogic Systems, Inc: Since 1988, EMRlogic Systems, Inc. has been dedicated exclusively to eye care professionals. We are a privately-held company based near Vancouver, Canada. Our team totals approximately 45 persons at present, most living in Canada with several based in and around the United States. We serve as application partners for InterSystems Corporation, Cambridge, MA. We offer comprehensive and fully-integrated Optometry and Ophthalmology software solutions. More information is available at www.emrlogic.com.

About Kowa Optimed, Inc: Kowa Optimed, Inc. was founded in 1980 to provide a direct presence to the North and South American markets for Kowa's Electronics and Optics products. Kowa Optimed is a part of Kowa Company Ltd., which was founded in 1894. Kowa is one of the largest privately-owned companies in Japan. In order to maintain a competitive advantage, Kowa has created highly successful divisions; Electronics & Optics Division, Pharmaceutical Division, Textile Division and the Non-Textile (General Merchandise) Division. For information, contact KOWA Optimed, Inc., 20001 S. Vermont Avenue, Torrance, CA 90502, Phone: (800) 966-5692 or visit www.kowa-usa.com.

About Drummond Group

Drummond Group Inc., the trusted software test lab, provides effective and efficient electronic health record (EHR) testing to healthcare information technology vendors and hospitals. As an Office of the National Coordinator Authorized Testing and Certification Body (ONC-ATCB), Drummond Group works closely with healthcare software vendors and hospitals to certify EHRs that are looking to qualify for incentive funds under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA). Drummond Group is approved to certify both complete and modular EHR for both ambulatory and inpatient. Leveraging more than a decade's worth of interoperability, conformance testing and certification experience in multiple industries, Drummond Group delivers what's needed in healthcare: highly reliable and readily affordable software testing services. For more information, go to www.drummondgroup.com.

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