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POLICE CENTRAL Installs System at FULTON COUNTY JAIL

Atlanta, Georgia, September 8, 2003 – Police Central, Inc., and the Fulton County Sheriff's Department today announced the installation of a new computer system to improve effectiveness and control at the Fulton County Jail. The Police Central system is installed in the Intake Area of the Jail, and captures relevant Arrest Information and digital Mugshot Photographs. This information is then networked throughout the Jail.

Under the terms of the contract awarded by the Fulton County Sheriff's Department, Police Central, Inc. will be adding functionality to the system, in a series of phases in the coming weeks. The first phase has been completed and is fully operational.

"Police Central's proven web-based Law Enforcement solutions provide a key element of our overall plan to improve the efficiency and safety of our Jail Operations," said Jacquelyn Barrett, Fulton County Sheriff. "It replaces an aging system that was purchased almost ten years ago, and provides our Jail with the latest technology. Over the coming weeks, this system will be directly linked to our new Automated Fingerprint Identification System, and to our Jail Operations computer systems. This will provide us with positive identification prior to both the Booking and Release of an inmate. In essence, this lets us work better, faster and smarter."

IMPROVED EFFICIENCY AND ACCURACY

"Prior to Police Central, a single arrest would need to be entered into multiple computer systems at the Jail. In Phase Two of our contract, we will reduce this process to a single step -- thus saving labor and eliminating the possibility for mistakes," said James S. Martin, CEO of Police Central, Inc. "We will have this phase completed within weeks," he added.

"This installation at the Fulton County Sheriff's Department is a great step forward for the Jail," said Sheriff Barrett. "We installed web-based technology to build on for the future. The County Commissioners concurred with my assessment that this critical system needed to be replaced; and Police Central really helped by getting this system on-line quickly -- and converting almost 700,000 existing records and mugshots into the new system. When they finished their installation, we had all historical data and photos ready to go."

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METRO DATA SHARING

"The City of Atlanta Department of Corrections (the City Jail), City of East Point PD and the MARTA Police also have the same Police Central system," commented Sheriff Barrett. "Very soon, we will be interconnected to share information between all of these agencies. This will give us well over one million combined Arrest Records and mugshots -- all available at a Detective's or Investigator's desktop. I am proud to say that the Fulton County Sheriff's Department has been a strong advocate of this data-sharing initiative -- and we will be among the first in the nation to have such data-sharing capabilities."

"Our web-based software makes this all possible," said Martin. "Authorized police officials will have access from virtually any location through a highly secure web-site. This will save countless man-hours when mugshots or arrest information from another agency is needed." Martin added, "We all know that criminals often cross jurisdictional lines when committing crimes. Our system will provide information for investigations -- including Wanted Posters and Photo LineUps regardless of where in Metro Atlanta the suspect may have been arrested."

ABOUT POLICE CENTRAL, INC.

Police Central, Inc., a privately held company headquartered in Atlanta, GA, is a leading provider of integrated software solutions designed for Law Enforcement agencies. The Company's software products encompass all aspects of Law Enforcement, including Computer Aided Dispatch, Incident Reporting, Jail Operations, Warrants and Civil Process, as well as numerous other applications. Since its establishment in 1995, the company has experienced steady growth in its number of users, including the Atlanta Police Department, the Atlanta Department of Corrections, the Allegheny County (Pittsburgh) Sheriff's Office, the Bexar County Sheriff's Office (San Antonio), the Metro Nashville Police Department (TN), and numerous other agencies in 22 US States. Information about Police Central may be found at www.policecentral.com

ABOUT THE FULTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

The Fulton County Sheriff's Department is the largest sheriff's department in the State of Georgia. It is responsible for maintaining the County Jail, security for the County Courts and its Judges, serving Civil Papers and Arrest Warrants, and various other duties as assigned by the Court.

FCSD is actively involved in the community through our Community Relations Section, and the Fulton County Sheriff's Department is among the few Law Enforcement agencies in the US that hold the prized "Triple Crown" as awarded by the National Sheriff's Association. The "Triple Crown" designates the achievement of accreditation from the three pre-eminent law enforcement accreditation organizations: the National Commission for Correctional Health, the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies, and the American Corrections Association. Information about the Fulton County Sheriff's Department may be found at www.fultonsheriff.org