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SurCode for Dolby E Encoder Ships

Industry First Plug-in for Dolby E Encoding

Minnetonka, MN - February 23rd, 2009 -- Minnetonka Audio Software, Inc. is now shipping the recently announced SurCode for Dolby E Encoder as either a single encoder plug-in or as a bundle with the already available SurCode for Dolby E Decoder. SurCode for Dolby® E brings the Dolby E standard to your workstation as the first complete Dolby E file-based toolkit. SurCode for Dolby E is a complete Dolby E Encoder and Decoder application suite for quick processing and management of file-based Dolby E assets and metadata in your digital audio workstation or computer.

SurCode for Dolby E Encoder provides encoding of up to eight channels of audio, with a variety of user selectable program types. These range from 5.1 and stereo to four independent stereo or eight mono channels - all including Dolby E and program metadata via a simple user interface. SurCode for Dolby E seamlessly integrates with your workstation such as Pro Tools, AudioTools AWE and VST qualified surround hosts. A future release will include a stand-alone version for both Mac and PC operating systems. All flavors of SurCode for Dolby E Encoder are included with a single license.

“The addition of SurCode for Dolby E to our product line is essential for our broadcast and post customers who need a software based version of this important and required delivery format,” says John Schur, President of Minnetonka Audio Software, Inc. “Adding SurCode for Dolby E Encoder continues to strengthen the SurCode family as being the most comprehensive collection of professional surround sound encoders and decoders available in the market today, and provides the only Dolby E plug-in solution that can run on a wide variety of workstations.”

SurCode for Dolby E Encoder retails for \$3,495, but is also part of a bundle that includes both SurCode for Dolby E Encoder and Decoder for \$5995, and is available through an international network of pro audio resellers, and online at www.minnetonkaaudio.com.

About Minnetonka Audio Software: Minnetonka Audio Software is an award winning solutions provider for video, broadcast, games, and CD/DVD production. SurCode, discWelder and AudioTools AWE provide must have technology for top professionals around the world. Supported codecs include Dolby E, Dolby Digital, Dolby Pro Logic II, DTS, and MLP formats. Spanning over two decades and based in Minnetonka, Minnesota, Minnetonka Audio Software, Inc. has offices in Texas and Germany in addition to an international network of distributors and channel partners who share our commitment to quality and service.

About Dolby Laboratories: Dolby Laboratories (NYSE:DLB) develops and delivers products and technologies that make the entertainment experience more realistic and immersive. For more than four decades, Dolby has been at the forefront of defining high-quality audio and surround sound in cinema, broadcast, home audio systems, cars, DVDs, headphones, games, televisions, and personal computers. For more information about Dolby Laboratories or Dolby technologies, please visit www.dolby.com.

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