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**NEWS RELEASE**

## **Contemporary Controls Joins the EnOcean Alliance as Partner Member**

**Downers Grove, IL 2014** – Contemporary Controls, a developer and manufacturing of networking and control products, has joined the EnOcean Alliance as a Partner Member. Becoming a member of the well-established EnOcean ecosystem for sustainable buildings, Contemporary Controls pursues its consistent approach of providing integrated customized automation solutions, now integrating BACnet and EnOcean.

Contemporary Controls designs and manufactures the system building blocks for networking, integrating and controlling automation processes where performance and reliability are important. With headquarters based in the US, the company has operations in the UK, Germany and China. Contemporary Controls' building automation solution (BASautomation) is based on a BACnet product line consisting of routers, gateways and controllers. This portfolio will now be expanded by offering EnOcean connectivity.

“We see EnOcean as one of the most innovative and established technologies introduced in recent years. Its low-power wireless approach plus energy harvesting technologies fits in very well with our company's quest to develop sustainable building automation products”, says Kirk Clousson, Product Marketing Manager, Contemporary Controls. “We are looking forward to supporting the EnOcean Alliance in promoting the standard and increasing its awareness around the world.”

“The EnOcean Alliance is delighted to welcome Contemporary Controls, this long-established international company of the building industry as a new member. It's great to see these experts, who always combine customer needs and sustainability to an integrated system approach, bringing closer together the BACnet and EnOcean world. The automation specialist plans to expand its portfolio of established BAS solutions with the EnOcean energy harvesting wireless standard to refine its integrated system approach.”

Today, the EnOcean Alliance counts more than 350 companies of the building industry worldwide. They all develop and market quality-based building automation systems integrating the EnOcean energy harvesting wireless standard. Being wireless and batteryless, the 1,200 products combine highest flexibility with reliable performance and the unique advantage of a green technology that avoids hazardous battery waste. This is the basis for a sustainable system approach for energy-saving buildings.

### **About Contemporary Controls**

Contemporary Controls is your ideal partner for applying network technology to your building automation project. With over 35 years of networking experience, locations around the world, and a reputation for technical support, Contemporary Controls has the expertise required to make your building automation projects successful. For more information, visit [www.ccontrols.com](http://www.ccontrols.com), call 630-963-7070 or email [info@ccontrols.com](mailto:info@ccontrols.com).

### **About EnOcean Alliance**

Leading companies worldwide from the building sector collected to form the EnOcean Alliance and establish innovative automation solutions for sustainable building projects – and so to make buildings more energy-efficient, more flexible and lower in cost. The core technology of the Alliance is energy harvesting wireless technology for flexibly positioned and service-free sensor solutions. The EnOcean Alliance aims to internationalize the energy harvesting wireless technology, and is dedicated to creating interoperability between the products of OEM partners. Basis for this is the international standard ISO/IEC 14543-3-10, which is optimized for wireless solutions with ultra-low power consumption and energy harvesting. More than 350 companies currently belong to the EnOcean Alliance. The headquarters of the non-profit organization is located in San Ramon, California. [www.enocean-alliance.org](http://www.enocean-alliance.org)

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