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Vanderbilt Industries Announces Integration of ASSA ABLOY Intelligent IP-Enabled Locks with Security Management System (SMS)

PARSIPPANY, New Jersey, April 1, 2014 – Vanderbilt Industries, a global leader in access control innovation, today announced the integration of their enterprise access control system (Security Management System) with ASSA ABLOY’s intelligent IP-enabled locks. ASSA ABLOY is the global leader in door opening solutions, dedicated to satisfying end-user needs for security, safety and convenience.

Vanderbilt Industries’ Security Management System (SMS) provides a powerful, single source solution for integrating a facility’s access control, digital video and alarm monitoring systems. In 2013 Vanderbilt announced the integration of SMS with ASSA ABLOY Aperio™ wireless lock technology. Today, integration to the ASSA ABLOY intelligent IP-enabled technologies offers an added layer of flexibility to address an even larger variety of openings and applications throughout a facility.

ASSA ABLOY’s IP-enabled offering includes a broad range of WiFi and Power-over-Ethernet (PoE) locks from ASSA ABLOY Group brands CORBIN RUSSWIN and SARGENT. IP-enabled locks lower the total cost of ownership by leveraging existing or planned network infrastructure to reduce installation time and material costs. The WiFi locks connect to Vanderbilt’s SMS through a facility’s 802.11b/g/n WiFi network, and the IEEE 802.3af compliant Power over Ethernet (PoE) locks connect to SMS through the Local Area Network (LAN) utilizing a single Ethernet cable for both power and data.

“ASSA ABLOY intelligent IP-enabled solutions will now allow Vanderbilt to bring long awaited and needed IP-enabled/Wi-Fi locking solutions with advanced management capabilities and real-time alarm notification without the need for a control panel to our channel partners and end-users”, states Mitchell Kane, President, Vanderbilt Industries.

“The integration of ASSA ABLOY IP-enabled locks with the Vanderbilt SMS platform allows facilities to leverage their IT infrastructure to bring EAC deeper into the building for a much lower cost than traditional hardwired openings,” said Martin Huddart, President Access and Egress Hardware Group, ASSA ABLOY Americas. “We are excited to expand our partnership with Vanderbilt to offer customers even greater flexibility to maximize their security coverage.”

About ASSA ABLOY

ASSA ABLOY is the global leader in door opening solutions, dedicated to satisfying end-user demands for security, safety and convenience. www.intelligentopenings.com

About Vanderbilt Industries



Vanderbilt Industries is a global leader in creating state-of-the-art security systems. Vanderbilt's innovative approach to access control technology from design, manufacturing, through to distribution makes environments safe, secure and easy to maintain. Vanderbilt's products range from single-user systems so simple that they can be installed in one day to highly customized applications that fit the unique requirements of leading multi-national corporations. Our product line includes the bright blue and SMS access control systems, as well as enterprise video solutions. www.vanderbiltindustries.com

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