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Panic Alarm Technology Mandate for New Jersey Schools Goes Into Effect May 2020

VISUALC3 Exceeds “Alyssa’s Law” Requirements, Offers Other Security Features

Garden City, NY: April 16, 2020—Although schools throughout the nation are currently closed in response to health threats from the Covid19 Virus, they will almost certainly reopen in autumn 2020. At the time of those reopenings, the “Alyssa’s Law” signed in early 2019 by New Jersey Governor Phil Murphy will have already gone into effect, requiring all primary and secondary schools in NJ to have installed a “panic alarm” that can silently and directly notify law enforcement of a life-threatening or emergency situation requiring their response. The law was named for former New Jersey resident Alyssa Alhadeff, a 14-year-old student who was one of 17 people tragically killed during the February 2018 mass shooting at Marjory Stoneman Douglass High School in Parkland, Florida.

The law requires that an alarm call system mechanism be placed in every classroom and worn by teachers, placed on walls, or implemented via a smartphone application. The systems, which when triggered must not be audible within the building, are fully funded by the NJ Department of Education for equipment or technology applications that meet the law’s specific requirements.

A browser-based platform application, VISUALC3—Command * Control * Communicate—developed by Long-Island based Cloudscann Inc. fully meets the law’s requirement to provide a silent “panic button” capability, as well as a wealth of mass notification, verification, alert, dispatch, and emergency response tools that improve security, enhance communications, and provide a unique level of situational awareness. The VISUALC3 platform is easily customized for the working environments, security, and emergency response needs of the education, energy, facility management, and public transit and transportation industries.

About VISUALC3

Cloudscann’s VISUALC3 (Command, Control, Communicate) platform allow public, private, educational and government organizations to minimize threats and risks, monitor and respond to incidents in real time, improve operations, and reduce costs. The platform is a product of Cloudscann Inc. based at 226 7th Street, Suite 202c, Garden City, NY 11530. Visit www.visualc3.com or call 646.546.5372.

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