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XCES 2010 – EXHIBITION FOR CONSTRUCTION AND ENGINEERING SURVEYING 2 & 3 MARCH 2010 - SANDOWN PARK RACECOURSE

SURCO Limited, the information business of the Chartered Institution of Civil Engineering Surveyors, presents XCES 2010. XCES will follow its established theme of being informative, educational and entertaining for all those who exhibit and attend. It will also be the first exhibition held to support the activities of the newly chartered institution.

We are bringing together the industry's commercial and geospatial professions and products showcased will include; measurement, mapping, modelling, machine control, GIS, GNSS, laser scanning, data collection, CAD, terrain modelling, visualisation, underground detection, photogrammetry, aerial imagery, education and training, project management software, bills of quantities, estimating, contract management, cost control, risk management, planning and programming, electronic document handling and monitoring.

XCES will be of interest to anyone who is involved with the measurement and monitoring of objects, space, quantities and costs within the built environment with the industry's leading professional bodies (ICE, CIAT, AGI, ABE, IHIE, RSPsoc and APM) co-sponsoring the event.

A large number of visitors are expected at XCES, where they will be offered the chance to attend different free workshops enabling exhibitors the opportunity to further promote their products and services. An educational zone will also be in place throughout the afternoon of 3 March providing the exhibitors with an opportunity to demonstrate and provide activities and hands on experience of the latest equipment and software to the next generation of surveyors.

On the evening of 2 March, a dinner will be held which is open to everyone. The dinner is sure to be a highlight of the event and consists of special guest speaker, Tommy Docherty – Scottish football legend, fine dining and top class entertainment not to be missed.

Further information is available at www.surco.uk.com and XCES will be promoted in *Civil Engineering Surveyor*, the monthly journal for the members of ICES, and other leading industry publications over the coming weeks.

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SURCO was established in 1992 when ICES became an educational charity.

SURCO supports the education and training aspects of ICES membership and offers specialist tutor training for surveyors working within civil engineering. SURCO Training can arrange for courses to be delivered either in-house or externally. Further information and a full course list can be found at <http://www.surco.uk.com/training.php>

SURCO also publishes the institution's journal, *Civil Engineering Surveyor*, as well as annual supplements on electronic surveying, construction law and GIS/GPS.