



LexisNexis and Avantstar Partner to Offer Advanced File Viewing and Document Storage Capability within Visualfiles

Capsticks and Bates Wells & Braithwaite early adopters of the enhanced solution

LONDON, 21 July 2011 – LexisNexis UK (www.lexisnexis.co.uk), a leading global provider of content-enabled workflow solutions, today announced its technology partnership with [Avantstar](http://www.avantstar.com), a provider of desktop file viewing, content conversion and web content management software, to provide advanced file viewing and search capabilities to users of case and matter management software LexisNexis Visualfiles®. Visualfiles customers now have access to Avantstar's Quick View Plus® 11 Professional, a file viewing solution for the legal sector that lets users view documents in over 300 native formats without the need for underlying native applications.

By incorporating Quick View Plus® 11 Professional within Visualfiles, LexisNexis has significantly enhanced the software's data storage and access functionality, while also supporting e-discovery and computer forensics. Early adopters of this enhanced version of Visualfiles, healthcare law firm Capsticks and charity and commercial law firm Bates Wells & Braithwaite, have already implemented the solution.

Users at both firms have benefited from increased productivity and significant time savings. The single preview pane within Visualfiles makes it easy for lawyers to effectively search for and identify files, which have accurately displayed fonts, formatted text, graphics and electronic links within documents, regardless of the native formats. The integrity of source documents is preserved, ensuring accuracy at all times.

"We are committed to continuously adding value to Visualfiles, ensuring that customers have the best and most cost-effective solutions to meet their business needs," said Tim Cheadle, Managing Director, LexisNexis Enterprise Solutions. "We chose Avantstar because its solution is well-suited to the legal sector and pairs easily with third party, high-volume case and matter management systems – both as an embedded or standalone product. It is important that we offer customers this flexibility."

Pete Rockers, Founder and Co-President, Avantstar, added: "LexisNexis is our first major technology partner in the U.K. Given its presence in the legal market and proven reputation as a technology leader, we are excited to announce this partnership. We look forward to a long and mutually beneficial relationship."

About LexisNexis

LexisNexis® (www.lexisnexis.com) is a leading global provider of content-enabled workflow solutions designed specifically for professionals in the legal, risk management, corporate, government, law enforcement, accounting and academic markets. LexisNexis originally pioneered online information with its Lexis® and Nexis® services. A member of Reed Elsevier [NYSE: ENL; NYSE: RUK] (www.reedelsevier.com), LexisNexis serves customers in more than 100 countries with 15,000 employees worldwide.

In the UK, LexisNexis (the trading name of Reed Elsevier (UK) Ltd) (www.lexisnexis.co.uk) online legal solutions include: Lexis®PSL, Lexis®Check and Lexis®Library - named Online Product of the Year at the Legal Technology Awards. Published resources include both Butterworths and Tolley. LexisNexis provides the most comprehensive source of legal and tax commentary in the UK.

As a leading provider of software platforms, LexisNexis Enterprise Solutions works with customers to drive productive, efficient and reliable business decisions. Its solutions include LexisNexis Visualfiles®, a case and matter management software; LexisNexis dna, a fully-integrated practice management software; LexisNexis Streamline, a best-of-breed, single platform for legal and business process workflow management; LexisNexis Redwood Analytics®, a business intelligence and budgeting software and services; and LexisNexis InterAction®, a customer relationship management tool.

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