

SKYVIEW SYSTEMS ACQUIRES WEATHER REPORTER FROM THE ADVISORY UNIT

Skyview Systems Ltd (Skyview) has agreed to acquire the Advisory Unit's specialist 'Weather Reporter' division, which provides comprehensive weather monitoring equipment to schools.

Following the acquisition, Skyview will incorporate the Weather Reporter products into its own portfolio, strengthening the offering for schools looking to introduce weather to students through practical applications. Fitting in with the requirements of the curriculum, the new comprehensive range will be suitable for all age groups and have applications within Geography, ICT, Maths and Science.

Diana Freeman, Director at The Advisory Unit, says: "We have spent many years liaising with schools and developing the Weather Reporter for education out of the knowledge we accrued. We are delighted that Skyview has agreed to acquire the division, following the Advisory Unit's decision to focus on AEGIS, GIS for schools, mapping product solutions."

Nic Hart, MD at Skyview Systems, says: "Weather Reporter is an ideal addition to our already strong portfolio. It enables schools to teach students about weather and the environment using real-time knowledge that they have collected and collated first-hand; something that we feel is important for students in really understanding how the weather impacts them and their environment."

As a result of this acquisition Skyview will have the UK's largest coverage of weather stations in the education sector, with over two thousand five hundred users.

Schools requiring sales or technical help or more information on weather monitoring solutions, please call Skyview on: 01787 883138 or email: education@skyview.co.uk

Ends.

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About the Advisory Unit

The Advisory Unit is a charitable organisation, which advises schools and other educational bodies on using technology and computers in line with the national curriculum, and is subsequently a leading supplier of Geographical and ICT products and training to schools through its trading company.

Weather Reporter was borne out of the specialist knowledge and understanding cultivated from liaising with schools about their requirements for teaching students about weather and the environment. Aimed at education institutions, Weather Reporter is an automatic data logging weather station that collects weather data at site at one hour intervals, and collates the data for study in an easy to understand, accessible way. The Weather Reporter is manufactured in Britain by Aardware Design.

About Skyview Systems

Skyview Systems provides professional weather monitoring equipment and solutions for both domestic and commercial applications. Having supplied weather stations and monitoring systems to schools nationwide, Skyview has considerable understanding of what schools are required to provide for their students in line with national curriculum guidelines.

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