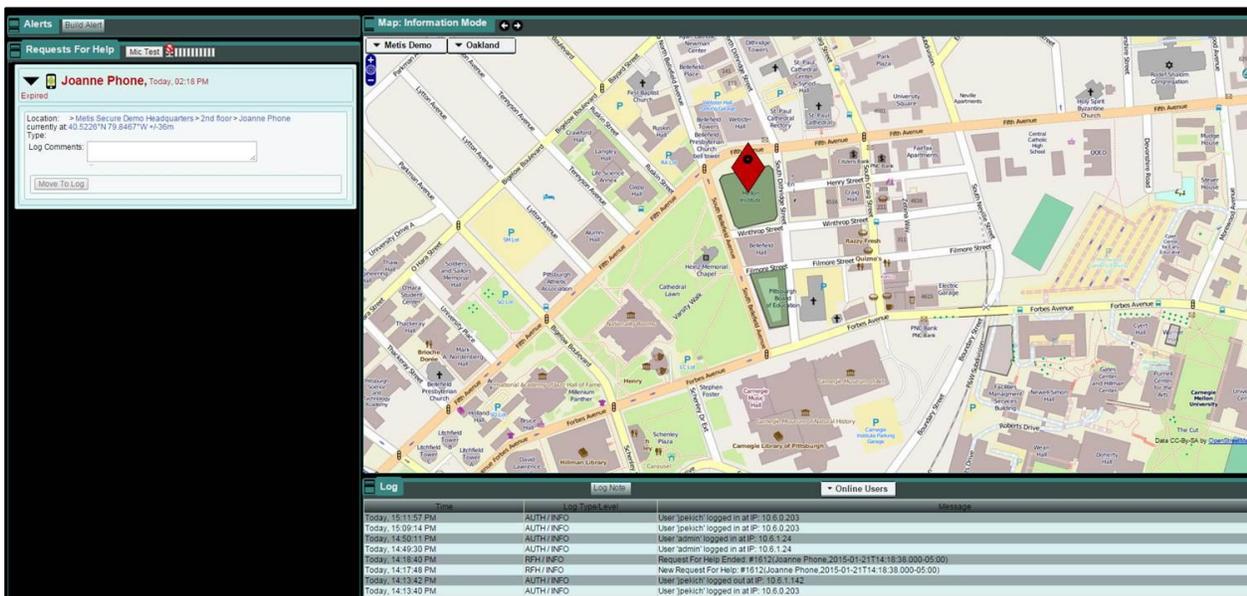# Metis Secure's GIS Mobile Mapping Provides New Emergency Response and Management Capabilities

PITTSBURGH—Emergency communications and management just got smarter. Metis Secure's award-winning Command Center software now features GIS mapping, so security personnel can track the location of Metis mobile app users in an emergency.

Now, if someone activates the Metis mobile panic app from their phone, the Metis system instantly alerts security, and displays the real time "panic" location on a GIS map. Security personnel can see the locations of all on-site responders on the same map, and can immediately deploy the nearest appropriate person.

This can significantly accelerate emergency response at large sites such as school or university campuses, where police must rapidly get control of incidents involving students; and industrial plants, where specialized teams need to urgently respond to work injuries or hazardous materials releases.

Security personnel operate Metis Secure's cloud-based emergency management software via any computer or mobile device. If an emergency or security incident strikes, they can quickly see the real time locations of both people who need help and security and safety personnel. They can also instantly broadcast emergency instructions to targeted areas or facilities across the globe.

Unlike stand-alone GPS "panic" applications that simply provide the coordinates of a person who needs help, the Metis Secure platform also provides full emergency communications and response capabilities. For example, if confronted with an emergency incident that affects multiple people or sites, security personnel can broadcast actionable directives to large groups of people, throughout multiple/remote locations. They can also use the Command Center software's maps and floor plans to identify important safety-related devices and information—fire extinguishers and AEDs, location and types of on-site hazardous materials, water and gas shut-offs, emergency exits and shelter locations, and other relevant information.

In addition, the software platform also unifies a variety of communications, security, and life safety systems and devices, connecting them via Local Area Networks and public IP networks. These include video cameras, access control systems, hazardous materials and temperature sensors, National Weather Service data feeds, and communications channels such as IP phones, computer screens, digital signs, and many others.

This unification of systems means that safety personnel can monitor, control, communicate, and manage disparate systems in an emergency from any internet browser or mobile device, via one easy-to-use Metis Secure interface. As a result, organizations can respond to security and emergency threats much more quickly and effectively.

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About Metis Secure Solutions

Metis Secure Solutions delivers breakthrough in-building and outdoor emergency communications systems. Security and emergency management at commercial office buildings, industrial and research facilities, and universities depend on Metis Secure multi-purpose systems for both outbound emergency notification and inbound emergency communications—filling critical security gaps, optimizing emergency response speed and effectiveness, reducing liability, and leveraging pre-existing security investments. For more information, visit www.metissecure.com, or contact us at 412-828-3700 or info@metissecure.com.