

**Press Release: Dublin Airport Authority chooses GEMsoft7s Permit to Work System, P2W, to support major expansion programme.**

GEMsoft7 Ltd, creators of electronic Permit to Work and contractor management system P2W, today added another airport operator to their client list with the announcement of a new major contract win with Dublin Airport Authority, (DAA).

One of the ten busiest airports in Europe, Dublin is expecting to increase passenger throughput to 35 million by the year 2020. To support this growth DAA has embarked on a €2 bn investment programme which will see the upgrading of the customer check in area, a new boarding gate and a further new terminal, set to open in 2010.

DAA approached GEMsoft7 after seeing P2W in use at Stansted Airport. "The increase in the amount of construction work has led to many more contractors and staff working in potentially hazardous environments around the airport. The airport's engineering managers needed a system that would give them an overview of all the planned, past and current activity. GEMsoft7's P2W fitted the bill exactly," said Tom McShane of Turner Townsend, who is working with DAA on their health and safety processes.

P2W allows DAA to record who is working at the airport, what they are there to do and that they have the appropriate security clearance to work there. As the volume of activity increases over the next few years they also needed a system that will scale and adapt to match their safety and security requirements.

"We saw that P2W is being used to handle more than three hundred contractors and maintenance staff at Stansted. We also understood that the system was originally developed with the requirements of airport operators in mind, so the system already closely matches what we need; anything extra we can easily configure ourselves," said Rowan Fogerty, Head of Safety, Security and Operational Compliance.

Phil McKell, MD of GEMsoft7 said, "The Airport operators are an important market for GEMsoft7 and so we are delighted that P2W will be part of the ambitious developments at Dublin Airport."

**About GEMsoft7 Ltd**

GEMsoft7 has extensive experience in delivering business and technology solutions to organisations in a range of markets including Energy, Transport, Utilities Health Services and Pharmaceuticals. GEMsoft7 has developed P2W, working closely with H&S specialists, to ensure the system addresses the needs of the Industry and the requirements stipulated by the HSE for Permit to Work applications.