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GST To Maintain/Support WV DOT Document Management and Imaging Projects **Award is GSTs Third under West Virginia ITECH Contract**

Fairmont, WV – Global Science & Technology, Inc. (GST) has been awarded a two-year contract with the West Virginia Department of Transportation (WV DOT) to provide on-going maintenance of the agencies document management systems.

“We are excited to have the opportunity to work with the WV DOT,” explained Cannon Wadsworth, GST’s Director of State and Commercial Projects, Cannon Wadsworth. “We can now use our document management and imaging expertise to assist one of the state’s largest agencies.”

The WV DOT project is the third project won by GST under the West Virginia ITECH contract. WV ITECH is a statewide contract designed to provide temporary staffing with computer technical expertise and to provide technology services for projects to all West Virginia State Government agencies and political subdivisions. GST was named as an ITECH vendor in September 2006.

The other contracts GST won under WV ITECH were a web programmer position for the Department of Health and Human Resources’ WV Board of Medicine and one senior level developer for the West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection’s Division of Water and Waste Management. The value of the WV ITECH contracts won by GST thus far is expected to exceed \$600,000.

“Clearly, the ITECH contract is doing exactly what state officials were looking for,” explained GST Director of State and Commercial Projects Cannon Wadsworth. “It is becoming a streamlined, cost effective vehicle that expedites technology procurements.”

GST was one of only 22 vendors who were awarded the WV ITECH contract.

GST’s award consists of nine technology service and 18 supplemental staffing categories. Staffing consists of up to 1,000 hours in any 12-month period. Technology service or a project is defined as having a pre-determined set of deliverables and expectations along with a set time period. According to the contract, projects will be limited to no longer than 24 months and costing no more than \$2 million.

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About GST

Global Science & Technology, Inc. was founded in 1991. With offices in Maryland, Washington, D.C., Virginia, West Virginia, Colorado, and North Carolina, GST has built a highly specialized workforce that includes experts in key domains of engineering, science, communications, and information technology. GST provides all levels of scientific and technical expertise and support within the federal R&D laboratory environment. GST's major clients include NASA Goddard Space Flight Center (GSFC), NASA Headquarters (HQ), the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), the Department of Defense, the State of West Virginia, and the US Air Force. Much of GST's work has been in direct support of NASA and NOAA science missions and related data systems. GST's signature emphasis is on systems interoperability and solutions based on open standards.