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Press Release

IADLEST and VirTra Provide a Rare Opportunity for a Deserving Law Enforcement Agency to Receive a Training Simulator Free of Charge

The International Association of Directors in Law Enforcement Standards and Training (IADLEST) and VirTra (Nasdaq: VTSI) have announced that they are partnering to provide a free VirTra portable V-100 simulator to a law enforcement agency that would not be able to purchase one otherwise. This unique project is designed for the holiday season and titled “Taskforce Santa.” A form is provided to anyone who wishes to nominate an agency of their choice, stating the reason why they believe that agency is deserving of a training simulator.

Law enforcement agencies around the United States have been struggling with the effects of being understaffed. According to a survey of 200 agencies by the Police Executive Research Forum, police resignations [increased 47%](#) last year compared to 2019. Because of this trend, police departments have had less staff designated for training. Funding may prioritize hiring efforts over training. IADLEST and VirTra believe that providing an opportunity to help smaller agencies obtain a simulator free of charge will ease that department’s concerns.

The chosen agency will not only receive the simulator itself, but its full suite of training software, NCP-certified coursework, a carrying case for the screens and projector, and a full year of service and warranty. The goal is to provide a true Christmas gift to an agency without adding any stress or concerns.

The portable V-100 is a single-screen training simulator that can be set up quickly and easily, making it ideal for smaller training rooms. Not only does it provide everything from a vast scenario library including de-escalation, mental illness, autism, domestic violence, and practice ranges, but there is 80+ hours of curriculum that has been NCP-certified by IADLEST. This third-party certified curriculum is out of the box training that will immediately save a department time and money. The training offers a solution for small bursts of exercises that can be done at roll call so there is no overtime spent on large block training off site.

We invite anyone to fill out the form and bring cheer this holiday season to your local deserving department.

Task Force Santa Application Form

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About IADLEST

IADLEST's mission is to support the innovative development of professional standards in public safety through research, development, collaboration and sharing of information, to assist states and international partners with establishing effective and defensible standards for the employment and training of public safety personnel.

About VirTra

VirTra (Nasdaq: VTSI) is a global provider of judgmental use of force training simulators and firearms training simulators for the law enforcement, military, educational and commercial markets. The company's patented technologies, software, and scenarios provide intense training for de-escalation, judgmental use-of-force, marksmanship, and related training that mimics real-world situations. VirTra's mission is to save and improve lives worldwide through practical and highly effective virtual reality and simulator technology. Learn more about the company at www.VirTra.com.

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