

**LOWRY COMPUTER PRODUCTS AWARDED U.S. GOVERNMENT BLANKET PURCHASE AGREEMENT FOR ACQUISITION OF RFID PRODUCTS****Previous RFID Class 1 Tag Award Expanded to Include RFID Hardware and Software**

**BRIGHTON, MI – August 17, 2005** Lowry Computer Products, Inc., a leading provider of wireless, RFID-EPC, bar code, and data collection solutions, today announced the award of a Blanket Purchase Agreement by the Army Contracting Agency (ACA). This Group 3 award follows a Group 1 Lowry award for RFID-EPC Class 1 Tags. Under the terms of this agreement, Lowry will supply the Department of Defense (DoD) with Zebra multi-protocol and Printronix EPC-1 enabled printers and supplies, as well as TEKLYNX CODESOFT® label design and integration software.

“This BPA more narrowly defines the list of qualified bidders for government orders,” said Mark Brown, VP of New Business Development. “Lowry is very enthusiastic about our potential opportunity to work with all branches of the DoD.”

In July of 2004, the Acting Under Secretary of Defense for Acquisition, Technology, and Logistics signed a memorandum and outlined a policy for the use of RFID within the Department of Defense (DoD). The strategy was to take maximum advantage of the inherent life-cycle asset management efficiencies that can be realized by integrating RFID throughout the DoD.

“The DoD can now leverage Lowry’s expertise with Zebra and Printronix RFID solutions to meet specific requirements for product identification, tracking, locating, and monitoring of assets and commodities within their own operations,” said Brown. “In addition to relying on Lowry as a qualified source for RFID-EPC Class 1 tags, the DoD can now also rely on Lowry as an experienced, certified provider of Zebra and Printronix RFID solutions.”

Lowry’s RFID solution expertise is a natural extension of more than twenty-five years of selling, installing and servicing Zebra and Printronix systems. Drawing upon an extensive nationwide service network, Lowry provides authorized service for all lines of Zebra and Printronix printers.

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## **About Lowry Computer Products**

Lowry Computer Products, Inc. is a synergistic organization made up of manufacturing, services, and systems integration, enabling the company to provide complete wireless, RFID, bar code, and data collection solutions in the vanguard of technology, equipment, and industry compliance. Lowry is a manufacturer of Print, Encode & Apply™ systems for case and pallet RFID labeling applications and Smart Trac™ RFID labels with tag inlays from leading suppliers, and a systems integrator of RFID printers, encoders, scanners and middleware from best-in-class partners. Lowry's experienced professional services team has the skill set to conduct site surveys, recommend and install products, and determine optimal tag selection and tag placement for RFID supply chain applications. The company's nationwide service network ensures that hardware is well maintained, whatever your location, and Lowry's service team conducts authorized on-site and depot repair. Comprehensive service and media programs are available to customers. Lowry is a Founding Solution Provider of EPCglobal and a member of AIM Global, the organization for Automatic Identification and Mobility. To find out more about Lowry products and services, call 800-733-0210 or visit us at [www.lowrycomputer.com](http://www.lowrycomputer.com).

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