

Smart Packaging Solutions SA ("SPS") filed suit against two companies in United States on April 20, 2021

ROUSSET, FRANCE, April 22, 2021 – Smart Packaging Solutions SA ("SPS") filed lawsuits against two companies in United States federal court for the District of Delaware on April 20, 2021 - case number 21-cv-00556 and case number 21-cv-00557. The Complaints alleged that the companies have infringed certain U.S. patent rights controlled by SPS, covering dual interface inductive coupling technology in smart cards.

SPS is a French company with offices and principal place of business at 85 Avenue de la Plaine, ZI De Rousset-Peynier, 13790 Rousset, France. With over 250 employees and representatives in the Americas, Europe, Africa, Asia, and the Middle East, SPS is a world leader in the development, manufacture, and sale of smart card technology. As explained by SPS's President, Frédéric TROJANI, "Our technology forms the heart of our company, and we are strongly committed to protecting it. We try hard to respect the technology rights of other companies, and so we expect that other companies will respect our technology rights."

SPS is represented in the litigation by the Chicago law firm McDonnell Boehnen Hulbert & Berghoff. Any inquiries about the matter should be directed to Philippe LAURI, SPS - <u>philippe.lauri@s-p-s.com</u>, Phone: +33 4 42 53 84 40