

## **THE NEW DIGITAL SIGNATURE KIT**

- ✓ **A complete solution that integrates with most existing applications**
- ✓ **An economical alternative to buying software to convert and sign PDF documents**

The new digital signature kit gives you more!

By adopting digital signing, you get

- Entrust Entelligence™ Security Provider 7.1 for Windows® (data encryption and digital signature software)
- ConsignO (software incorporating PDF file signing features),
- PDF995 (tool for converting files to PDF format).

The new digital signature kit offers more flexibility, lowers software acquisition costs, makes it easier to integrate digital signatures and streamlines their use by signers and recipients.

### **STREAMLINED INTEGRATION WITH THE WINDOWS ENVIRONMENT!**

The new encryption software, Entrust Entelligence™ Security Provider 7.1 for Windows®, integrates seamlessly with the security features of the Windows desktop. This version simplifies the interoperability of the digital signature with the Office suite of programs and certain commercial programs such as AutoCAD and Adobe Acrobat.

For example, if you digitally sign a plan designed in AutoCAD, recipients can open and read it with the same software and see that it was signed without having to use Entrust digital signature software. They will see the word *Signed* in the document name, unless the file has been altered. If it has, an error message will be displayed.

### **CONVERT YOUR FILES TO PDF FORMAT AND SIGN THEM AT NO EXTRA COST**

It is quite possible that some recipients of your files do not have the specialized software used to create your plan which would let them open and read it and see that the document has been signed. Given its extensive use due to Adobe Reader software being available for free on the Internet, the PDF format is the ideal way to make exchanging documents easier. The PDF format is also recommended for document storage and archiving purposes. Yet another reason to use it!

### **Definitely use PDFs but not at any cost**

To convert a technical engineering document to PDF format and then sign it using your digital signature, you have to buy software, such as Adobe Acrobat (Standard or Professional version) that has conversion and signing features. The cost of acquiring licences for this type of software can be steep, especially if there is a high number of users.

## **ConsignO - an easy, economic and efficient solution**

Because the acquisition costs of buying software such as Adobe Acrobat (Standard or Professional version) are so high, Notarius is offering its clients an entirely new digital signature kit. Among others, it includes a tool for converting files to PDFs and ConsignO software. Developed by Notarius, ConsignO is used to digitally sign PDF files.

### **With ConsignO, you can sign your PDFs in batches!**

The ConsignO software not only allows you to digitally sign technical documents in PDF format but also to sign entire batches AT ONCE! This feature—not necessarily offered in the software available on the market—is practical and even essential in the working environment of engineers.

### **How to digitally sign a PDF document using ConsignO**

1. Create your engineering document with your usual software.
2. Convert the document to the PDF format using the PDF995 application provided as part of the Digital Signature Kit.
3. Sign the document using ConsignO and your digital signature.

Using Adobe Reader software, all the recipients of your document will be able to easily read it and verify the authenticity of your digital signature.

### **Benefits of the new Digital Signature Kit**

Simple, fast, economical and secure.

- ✓ One kit has all the applications needed to convert documents into PDFs and digitally sign them.
- ✓ Signer and recipients do not have to purchase any software.
- ✓ Can digitally sign any type of file from Office Suite and several other commercial applications.
- ✓ Lets all recipients view signed PDF documents and verify their signature at no charge.
- ✓ Associates the handwritten signature and digitized seal with the digital signature so that the document can be authenticated easily and quickly in a single step.
- ✓ Allows documents of the same type to be signed as a single batch.
- ✓ Prevents the document from being modified in any way.
- ✓ Meets the guidelines of the *Ordre des ingénieurs du Québec* [order of engineers].

### **Required equipment**

- Microsoft Windows 2000 operating system (or later version)
- Minimum of 256 MB of RAM (512 MB recommended)
- Firewall ports open: x500a.notarius.net (389) and entrust.notarius.net (829)

**Subscription fee**

Your digital signature subscription covers all of the software in the new Digital Signature Kit and the user fee is payable annually (monthly payment option available on request). To obtain a group rate, see the new rate listing on [www.ingenieur.notarius.com](http://www.ingenieur.notarius.com) under the *Get Your Signature* heading.

**More benefits, less cost and effort**

This turnkey software solution offers great flexibility and reduces the time and costs associated with the deployment and use of digital signatures. It simplifies this task for both signers and recipients.

Don't delay! Ask for your kit now! Contact Notarius at (514) 281-1442 or toll-free at 1-800-567-6703 or visit [www.ingenieur.notarius.com](http://www.ingenieur.notarius.com).