



## IES Provides its Customers with a Highly-Integrated Plan For 10+2 Compliance

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**Midland Park, NJ – January 14, 2008** – Amid an industry that rushes to comply with increasing CBP (Customs and Border Protection) regulations, IES, Ltd., a leading provider of supply chain software, today announced its formal compliance with the eventual implementation of the 10+2 Rule.

The industry has been aware of the 10+2 Rule for quite some time and has been informed that the Bureau of Customs and Border Protection would require importers and carriers to supply additional fields not found on a ship's manifest. As businesses brace for the looming implementation of the 10+2 rule, IES, Ltd. is leading the way in formal compliance with a full understanding of the complex rules inherent when doing business in the global arena. As an intrinsic result, customers running the IES suite of supply chain software products have a competitive advantage over those not using its products and who may not have the required data elements readily available.

Regardless of when the regulations finally go into effect, CBP will adopt its standard enforcement process similar to the one utilized when the 24-Hour Rule and Trade Act regulations were implemented. Instead of taking a reactionary position, IES views the upcoming regulation as an opportunity to decrease costs and overall cycle-time while simultaneously reducing errors and keystrokes. IES views this proposed regulation as an opportunity to even further optimize the advantage of its existing platforms.

The core of IES's success is its suite of integrated platforms that seamlessly transfer data throughout the entire shipment process. The addition of the new fields comes naturally to IES, with its customers looking to the software provider to evolve with ever-changing Customs regulations.

### **More About IES, Ltd.**

IES Ltd., based in Midland Park NJ, is one of the largest software transportation companies in North America. Since 1989, the IES suite of import and export solutions target freight forwarders, NVOCCs, Customs house brokers and other transportation intermediaries who seek advanced systems to manage growth, differentiate their service and improve profitability. IES is known for the complete integration and automation of all aspects of creating and managing an international transportation shipment. Also, IES is a specialist in AES and ABI solutions with complete support for Ocean AMS, Air AMS, Canadian ACI, US Truck ACE e-Manifest and Electronic In-Bond. IES solutions are available as both a managed service and a packaged software. Operated in over 70 countries with thousands of users and millions of daily transactions, IES is the proven solution for the most demanding, mission-critical logistics automation needs.

IES is a proud member of the following industry organizations: National Customs Brokers & Forwarders Association of America, Inc., Hong Kong Sea Transport and Logistics Association, Intermodal Association of North America, Organization of Women in International Trade, International Federation of Customs Brokers Associations, American Association of Exporters and Importers, Ontario Trucking Association, New York/New Jersey Foreign Freight Forwarders and Brokers Association Inc., Houston Customhouse Brokers & Freight Forwarders Association, Inc., Florida Customs Brokers & Forwarders Association, Los Angeles Customs Brokers & Forwarders Association, Inc. and the Airforwarders Association.

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