Wintriss SmartPAC2 Application Note: Networking & Tool Memory Backup

There are many FREE benefits to networking your SmartPAC2:

- Easier firmware upgrades.
- Receive text messages via email, pagers, and cell phones.
- SmartView (View Press status from anywhere)
- The new SmartView backup/restore (see below)

There are OTHER optional benefits to networking your SmartPAC2:

- Info Center allows users to display setup sheets, photos or part prints right at the SmartPAC2!

- Once the SmartPAC2's are on the network, it's a natural transition to LETS! (efficiency tracking & reporting software)

There are various ways to backup / restore a SmartPAC.

OPTION 1: Any SmartPAC 2 can be backed up and restored via SmartView for free! SP2 firmware must be V4.59 or higher. Any SP2 on a network can be updated on line for free also. You can find the user instructions on-line at http://www.smartpac2.com/SmartView/

This backup/restore feature is included in new SmartPAC2's. In this scenario, the SmartPAC2 is placed on the network, and backup/restore is done over the customer's network.

For existing SmartPAC2's that require a firmware upgrade, use the following pricing;

- FREE if the SmartPAC2 on their network (customer can do this themselves right from the SmartPAC2).
- \$50.00 to send the upgrade via email.
- \$100 to send the upgrade via USB key.

OPTION 2: Any SmartPAC 2 can be configured with the new USB Disk Backup Installed option firmware for \$300. Then SP2 can be backed up and restored simply by plugging in a USB disk! One USB disk can back up as many SP2s that will fit on it. Each SP2 backup takes 600Kb. Each SP2 file is identified by its serial #-- so user doesn't have to do anything. During restore, if it is ever needed, an SP2 will only accept its own file!

In this scenario, the customer plugs a USB key into the SmartPAC2 and performs the backup (or restore).

- \$300 option for new SmartPAC2 orders.

Existing SmartPAC2's;

- \$300 option + \$50 to send the upgrade via email
- \$300 + \$100 to send the upgrade via USB key.

OPTION 3: RSR software is replaced with new software called SBR (SmartPAC Backup and Restore) for a laptop. SBR uses the same serial cable to connect to either SmartPAC 1 or 2.

This is a laptop backup/restore solution. This solution is the same as the old stand-alone RSR but only works with SmartPAC1 and/or SmartPAC2.

One major change in all three above, compared to RSR, is that ALL existing tools and Initialization data are backed up or restored together in a single command. You don't have to (and cannot) select individual tool for either backup or restore.

The Wintriss SmartPAC2 is a modular multi-function press automation control with communication features that allow you to monitor your power press from a web browser. You will find more information here: <u>Wintriss SmartPAC2</u>.