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## **MedQuist and Amerinet Sign Three-Year Contract for SpeechQ for Radiology™**

*Mount Laurel, NJ, June 19, 2007* – MedQuist Inc. (Pink Sheets: MEDQ.PK) announces that it has signed a long-term contract with Amerinet Inc., one of the nation's largest group purchasing organizations, for SpeechQ for Radiology™ speech recognition software. The agreement was awarded for three years beginning on June 1, 2007.

Amerinet serves more than 22,000 acute and non-acute healthcare providers nationwide. According to John Sutton, Senior Contracting Manager, Diagnostic Imaging, "Amerinet has a comprehensive program of healthcare informatics, including PACS (Picture Archiving and Communication Systems) and other technologies. SpeechQ will be a valuable addition as we continue to build our technology portfolio. I look forward to working with the MedQuist team to ensure the delivery of true value and cost savings to all Amerinet members."

Powered by the Philips SpeechMagic™ speech engine, SpeechQ for Radiology integrates with most radiology-specific information systems and PACS, and was rated number one for front-end speech recognition by its customers in the most recent KLAS Enterprise Speech Recognition Report<sup>1</sup>.

With SpeechQ for Radiology, radiologists have full control of their report creation process. They decide whether to immediately electronically sign a report, save and complete it at a later time, or send it to a transcriptionist for editing. This flexibility allows radiologists to select the best method to handle each report and improves their productivity.

"We are pleased that Amerinet has selected MedQuist to provide its physicians with a speech recognition solution," says Scott Bennett, MedQuist senior vice president of Sales and Marketing. "SpeechQ for Radiology's ability to integrate with Amerinet's existing PACS will streamline the radiologists' workflow, giving their referring physicians the clinical information they need to treat their patients promptly and efficiently."

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## **About Amerinet Inc.**

Amerinet partners with healthcare providers to improve operating margins through a comprehensive line of strategic resources designed to reduce costs, improve efficiencies and create new revenue streams.

Supported by a team of clinical and data experts, and a comprehensive portfolio of purchasing contracts, Amerinet identifies immediate cost savings and provides a choice of quality, competitively priced products and services supplied by industry leaders.

Based in St. Louis, Mo., with offices in Salt Lake City, Utah; Providence, R.I.; and Warrendale, Pa., Amerinet serves more than 22,000 acute and non-acute healthcare providers nationwide. To learn more, visit [www.amerinet-gpo.com](http://www.amerinet-gpo.com).

## **About MedQuist**

MedQuist, a member of the Philips Group of Companies, is a leading provider of clinical documentation workflow solutions in support of the electronic health record. MedQuist provides electronic medical transcription, and health information and document management products and services, including digital dictation, speech recognition, Web-based transcription, electronic signature, medical coding, mobile dictation devices, and outsourcing services.

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