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CCS New England Earns Multiple Minority-Owned Business Certifications

NASHUA, N.H. – (March 15, 2011) – CCS New England, an [Audio Visual Equipment Solutions](#) Integrator today announced its recent certifications from the Greater New England Minority Supplier Development Council and the New Hampshire Department of Transportation's Disadvantage Business Enterprise (DBE) program.

The Greater New England Minority Supplier Development Council (GNEMSDC) fosters business relationships with certified minority business enterprises and corporate members. The GNEMSDC certifies that organizations are minority businesses when 51 percent of the company is minority-owned and controlled. The certification process includes an extensive business review and is designed to insure compliance with the National Minority Supplier Development Council (NMSDC) member standards for certified minority businesses. Certification by the GNEMSDC is a nationally recognized NMSDC Certification and is honored nationwide.

Additionally, CCS New England is now a part of the New Hampshire Department of Transportation's DBE program. The program helps small businesses participate in contracting opportunities created by U.S. Department of Transportation financial assistance programs.

"We're proud to be certified by both of these organizations and thankful for their assistance to minority-owned small businesses," said Cheryl Gamst, president and owner of CCS New England. "Through these programs, we're able to connect with more businesses that want to bring [audio visual](#) technologies into their companies to help them improve their team collaboration and communication effectiveness."

CCS New England serves customers in the corporate, government and education sectors. The company sells, installs, services, and trains clients to use audio visual technology and equipment. CCS offers multiple product lines to enhance presentation effectiveness and customer experiences including SMART Board™ interactive whiteboards, NEC, Panasonic and Samsung displays, Crestron, AMX and Extron room control systems, Epson, NEC and Mitsubishi projectors, Tandberg and Polycom video conference systems and Da-Lite projection screens.

About CCS New England

CCS New England was founded in 1998 by Cheryl and Chris Gamst. CCS serves New England-area customers in the corporate, government and education sectors. The company provides full service sales, design, integration, installation and maintenance of audio and video equipment including interactive whiteboards, classroom response systems, projectors, LCD and plasma displays, Video Conferencing Systems, Digital Signage, audio systems, document cameras, energy management systems, sound masking and more. During the past twelve years, CCS New England has been named a Top 50 Woman Owned Business, Top 50 Diversity Owned Business and Top 50 Privately Held Business. CCS was also recently ranked by *Systems Contractor News* magazine as the nation's number 3 top audio visual integrator. For more information about CCS visit www.ccsprojects.com/nh.

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