The System 10 Microstation
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MICROCOMPUTER BREAKTHROUGH BRINGS

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Emergency Data Systems (EDS) announces a breakthrough in the application of microcomputers to Fire and Emergency Medical services with the introduction of the System 10 Microstation (sm). The System 10 (sm) is the first self-sufficient, fully transportable microcomputer workstation specifically designed to meet the speed, reliability, and emergency data requirements of small and medium-sized departments.

The System 10 harnesses a powerful microcomputer with 10 megabytes of data storage capacity to a full-featured, 1200 baud modem and a battery pack. The modem allows the microcomputer to connect into the phone system and access any of the large, national data services such as the National Library of Medicine or the Chemical Information System (CIS). The battery pack allows the entire system to operate during power outages and electrical storms as well as from a vehicle at the scene of an incident. The System 10 Microstation is built into a single, rugged transport case to protect it from dust, debris, and vibration.

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One of the key features of the System 10 is its Fast Data Access (sm) software specifically designed to give first responders rapid access to information about their community. One FDA module even provides emergency personnel with critical information on hazardous materials. In addition, every System 10 comes equipped with a full line of general administrative software and a master menu to make operation virtually self-explanatory. With these programs , personnel can wordprocess letters and reports, project alternative budgets, and retrieve records quickly. All software is stored on a 10 megabyte hard disk inside the computer so that the operator does not have to handle magnetic diskettes.

Service for the System 10 is provided by Xerox Americare, America's leading microcomputer service company. When the workstation arrives, an Americare representative unpacks, connects, and tests it before turning it over to the. department.

All of this means that a small or medium-sized department can now enjoy the benefits of a completely integrated, fully serviced microcomputer workstation for between $4,500 and $9,500 depending on specific requirements. This allows Fire and EMS departments to provide their communities with a higher level of emergency reponse and disaster planning without the risks and hassles that result from piecing together a system themselves.

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