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SUBJECT:

**FairCom<sup>®</sup> releases new version of ODBC Driver<sup>®</sup>, version 2.7 with full read/write capabilities**

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FairCom<sup>®</sup> Corporation announced the latest release of its FairCom ODBC Driver with both 16 bit and 32 bit models. Both 16 and 32 bit drivers offer transaction processing. The FairCom ODBC Driver 2.7 offers full read capabilities, with writes enabled through the ODBC Administrator program. The 16 and 32 bit drivers are available in single user, multi user and client/server models.

The ODBC standard from Microsoft<sup>®</sup> allows connectivity between FairCom's c-tree Plus<sup>®</sup> data files while using ODBC compliant applications like Microsoft Access, Crystal Report Writer and Power Builder.

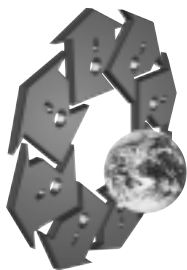
The client/server model of the FairCom ODBC Driver supports the SPX, TCP/IP and Netbios communication protocols. Other features include: a new dictionary creation option, which allows the users to browse and select the files they wish to query; alternate types support via the c-tree Plus DLL, which allows the application developer to support custom data types; individual record control; padding for fixed length string customization and more.

FairCom first released its ODBC Driver as a single-user read-only driver in early 1995.

FairCom introduced its highly portable file handler c-tree in 1979 and released its first portable data server in 1988. FairCom now markets its technology worldwide for use in vertical market applications,

embedded systems and OEM licensing, most recently in Computer Associates CA-Realia product line.

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