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### **Appointment of Scott Robertson as ePAT Chief Technology Officer**

ePAT Technologies is pleased to announce that Scott Robertson has joined the company today 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2017 as the Chief Technology Officer (CTO).

Scott has a Bachelor of Engineering (Computer Systems) from the University of Technology, Sydney and Masters of Business Administration from Deakin University.

Scott brings 25 years of experience in designing and implementing complex enterprise IT systems to ePAT. He has most recently worked in the telecommunications and billing industries and is used to working in highly regulated environments.

Scott has worked in successful, customer focused, private enterprises where adapting to changing client needs, markets directions and government regulations were paramount to commercial success. He's taken systems that were focused on the specific needs of a single client and expanded them into solutions that supported numerous clients in multiple industries.

"We are delighted to welcome Scott to the ePAT team. Scott's skills and experience will ensure ePAT can implement solutions that quickly meet the immediate needs of our clients and partners, as well as supporting our long term strategic plans" said ePAT Managing Director Philip Daffas.

"Scott's short-term priorities at ePAT are ensuring the successful deployment of the first version of the iOS version of ePAT. He will also be closely evaluating our technologies and processes to ensure that they will meet the immediate and future requirements of our clients, partners and regulators" he added.

Scott will also be concentrating on the development of the technical team, looking to ensure ePAT has a flexible and capable team to support our clients and work with our partners in the commercialization process.

**About ePAT:**

ePAT Technologies Limited is an Australian based company which is developing mobile medical applications that are intended to provide pain assessment for individuals that are unable to communicate verbally with their carers.

**The ePAT business:**

The ePAT business has evolved from research undertaken by Curtin University in Western Australia over the past 3 years. ePAT now owns the intellectual property resulting from Curtin University's research on the ePAT Apps.

ePAT's technology, a mobile application (**ePAT App**), uses cameras in smartphones and tablets to capture a brief video of the person, which is analysed in real time using facial recognition software to detect the presence of facial micro-expressions that are indicative of the presence of pain. This data is then combined with other indicators of pain, such as vocalisations, behaviours and movements captured through the ePAT App to calculate a pain severity score.

Due to its ease of use and its reproducibility, it is intended that the ePAT App will be able to be used in the first instance to detect and measure a person's pain, and then further measurements can be used to monitor the effectiveness of pain management provided to the person.

The ePAT App is being developed and will be rolled out globally in two phases: first, the ePAT App for Dementia for persons who have lost the ability to communicate with their carers, and the second, the ePAT App for Children who have not yet learnt to speak.

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