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AIA ALASKA COMMENDS AEPLANS™ CONSTRUCTION BID SERVICE

Anchorage, AK June 1, 2006: The AIA Alaska Executive Board met on May 23rd and following a presentation by Kelly Lawrence, Regional Vice President of Business Development for AEPlans, LLC, the Board voted to commend AEPlans services and products to their membership. “AIA Alaska will receive 5% of any fees collected from Alaskan firms that do choose to use this service. The service seems to me to be one of those things computers were meant to do - improve communication and coordination”, commented Genevieve Holubik, AIA Alaska Chapter President.

AEPlans LLC, the national bid site service for construction projects, was originally envisioned by the American Institute of Architects (AIA) Louisiana component based on the idea that making the bid documents conveniently available free of charge maximizes project exposure and guarantees the project owner the best possible bid. Project owners pay a one-time fee for listing projects, and the AEPlans service makes them securely available free of charge to all interested parties including other local and national plan rooms and reprographers. By supplying the design professional with free originating software, AEPlans makes the job of assembling the documents and managing the bid process much easier and it creates a complete end-to-end electronic environment.

AIA Alaska joins several States including Louisiana, Iowa, North Carolina, and Kansas in commending AEPlans. Garrett Maupin, AIA/CCS, project manager with the Alaska firm Koonce Pfeffer Bettis arranged the introduction to the AIA Board. Garrett has also used the AEPlans



gotoCollab™ site, another service for construction project collaboration and remarked, “using the online Collab site has been embraced by both the client and contractor, and was of particular benefit during the winter months of inclement weather, making meeting attendance more convenient and less time-consuming”.

About AEPlans, LLC

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