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## **MAJOR CONSUMER VICTORY – NATIONAL MOTOR VEHICLE DATABASE ACCESSIBLE ONLINE – FLORIDA COMPANY LEADING THE WAY**

**Car Buyers can now Investigate their Investment before they Spend.**

Damaged in a flood? Repaired after being “totaled” in a wreck? Salvaged? Stolen? Junked? Rebuilt? The questions that have haunted car buyers for decades can now be reliably answered with a few keystrokes. Instant access to the National Motor Vehicle Title Information System (NMVTIS) is now available. Auto Data Direct, Inc. (ADD) of Tallahassee, FL enables prospective buyers to immediately determine the status of a particular vehicle’s title, the title issue date, previous state of title, odometer reading and important “brand” information.

Currently, over half of the state jurisdictions are participating in the NMVTIS program with over 300,000,000 vehicles in the database. Salvage yards, automotive recyclers and insurance companies will also be required to participate in NMVTIS by reporting “end-of-life” and “salvage” vehicle data. This information is vital to protect consumers from purchasing vehicles that should not be on the highway.

Consumer groups and law enforcement agencies are hailing this national motor vehicle database as a powerful tool for reducing the fraudulent sales of damaged, stolen and rebuilt vehicles. Through NMVTIS, a vehicle’s title information is maintained and updated from state to state. The Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) is checked against a national pointer file, which provides the latest jurisdiction that issued a title on that vehicle and requests all title information from that jurisdiction.

Through the easy-to-use Auto Data Direct web site [WWW.ADD123.COM](http://WWW.ADD123.COM), consumers have instant access to NMVTIS online. ADD offers a fast, secure and inexpensive means for buyers to investigate their investment before purchasing a car. ADD President Jim Taylor notes: “Access to NMVTIS is the dawn of a new day in consumer protection for the auto buying public. While this system will grow to provide even more accurate and timely information, it is always prudent to have any vehicle thoroughly inspected by a sound, reliable mechanic before buying.”

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