

## **SURESTOCK ANNOUNCES A NEW RELEASE OF ITS E-PROCUREMENT SYSTEM**

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SureStock Services Limited today announced the availability of a new release of its flagship e-procurement software – SSR Release 4.05.01.

The new release now offers even more functionality to help improve the productivity of requisitioners, authorisers and procurement staff. New features include:

- The ability to assign order types and sub-ledger codes in conjunction with adding prefixes to the order number to enable easier identification
- Extensions to the standing order capability to include template orders
- Enhanced template management, including the ability to upload templates via the data load process
- The capability to assign supplier types, for example NHS specific, Local Government specific, or general
- Improvements to the order searching capability to enable a user to search for orders containing specific products or suppliers

“The features in this new release were almost all requested by existing customers through the SSR User Group” said Terry Ephgrave, the company’s Head of Systems. “This shows our deep commitment to our customers, most of whom have been with us many years”.

The new release of SSR is available both as a traditional software licence and as a highly-resilient hosted service. Optional modules are available that cover punch-out, automatic invoice matching, third-party catalogues, and functions for specific vertical markets such as the NHS.

### **About SureStock**

SureStock is a leading provider of managed (outsourced) procurement services, procurement software, procurement consulting, procurement training, and procurement interim management. The company is a spin-off from the Unipart Group, one of Britain’s largest private companies, with sales of over £1 billion. SureStock has delivered over 250 person years of managed procurement, conducted over 2,500 tender exercises, processed nearly 4 million e-procurement transactions, and handles over £100M in client spend.

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