



Clapper to boost SCM offerings

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Clapper Technology Sdn Bhd hopes to strengthen its offerings for the supply chain management (SCM) market through a recently formed partnership with US-based Intermec Technologies a player in the radio frequency identification (RFID) technology.

The partnership involves Intermec supplying hardware systems and technology while Clapper providing systems integration services, said Clapper's chief executive officer George Gan.

Also, Intermec, whose current customers include companies as TNT and TESCO, will be supporting Clapper to tap into the local transportation, logistics and Government markets.

Intermec has solutions that are able to integrate with local proprietary supply chain solutions, said Intermec Technologies (S) Pte Ltd's managing director Asia-Pacific Henri Juvanon. The rising trend in the RFID technology uptake in Malaysia and globally is expected to translate into business opportunities for players such as Intermec.

RFID technology can enhance operations in the areas of yard management, inventory control, shipping and receiving, and labour productivity. The technology can also be integrated into a company's services to meet future requirements.

Intermec develops, manufactures and integrates wired and wireless automated data collection, RFID solutions, mobile computing systems, barcode printers and label media. The company's products and services are used to improve productivity, quality and responsiveness of business operations, from SCM and enterprise resource planning to field sales and service.