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**Interface Security Systems, LLC Completes 12 Acquisitions in 2002**

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**Dallas, TX-January 2, 2003** - SunTx Capital Partners ([www.suntx.com](http://www.suntx.com)) announced today that one of its portfolio companies, Interface Security Systems, LLC, closed out 2002 by successfully completing 12 acquisitions. Terms of the acquisitions were not disclosed.

Interface is aggressively pursuing the strategy of gaining market share and driving scale in its existing markets. "We feel that there are tremendous opportunities in the security industry right now, and we are excited about the year ahead," said Michael Shaw, chief executive officer of Interface.

Since forming the relationship with SunTx, Interface has grown its recurring monthly revenue by more than 38% and has been expanding its presence in Arkansas, Illinois, Indiana, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, Tennessee, and Texas. "We are pleased that our partnership with management has resulted such a rapid increase in building value for the company," said Craig Jennings, a partner at SunTx.

**About Interface Security Systems, LLC**

Based in St. Louis, Interface Security Systems, LLC is the 14th largest security alarm company in the United States. Providing design, installation, maintenance and monitoring services, Interface serves both residential and commercial clients in the Mississippi Valley region, as well as provides large integrated security, controlled access, video and fire detection systems to Fortune 500 Companies. Further information on Interface Security Systems can be found at [www.interfacesys.com](http://www.interfacesys.com).

**About SunTx Capital Partners**

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