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### *Galitt KaNest®- ICC testing tool achieves AMEX Enabled accreditation*

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**Galitt is pleased to announce that the KaNest®-ICC AEIPS & Expresspay Card Test Suite has achieved AMEX Enabled accreditation for its Card Functional Test Tool.**

Galitt has promptly integrated the American Express specifications into its test tools and has updated KaNest®-ICC, the company's card functional test tool, to support AEIPS v4.3 and Expresspay v3.1. The KaNest®-ICC AEIPS & Expresspay Card Test Suite has been assessed by American Express and has been confirmed to meet the applicable test tool qualification requirements supporting Type Approval activities for American Express payment products.

The KaNest®-ICC Card functional test tool allows for simulation of commands from an acceptance device to the card and to check the conformity of card applications to the payment scheme's specifications. It supports both contact and contactless/dual interface cards.

Vincent Mesnier, Executive Vice-President - Testing Solutions at Galitt says: "The accreditation of our KaNest®-ICC AEIPS & Expresspay Card Test Suite allows Galitt to be able to fully support American Express payment products, as our test offer now covers the whole set of needs to develop cards, terminals, software or services."

**About Galitt** ([www.galitt.com](http://www.galitt.com)) – Galitt offers consulting and services dedicated to payment systems and secure electronic transactions. With a full set of recognized skills and know-how, Galitt assists its clients during the whole project life cycle: experts from the *Payment Consulting* Unit with their innovative approaches shed light on strategic choices; consultants from the *Payment Services* Unit support customers implementing their payment projects; teams from *Testing Solutions* Unit develop test software and take an active role in test automation and certification processes; staff from the *Payment Solutions* Unit build and run added-value payment applications; trainers from the *Payment Education* Unit broadcast Galitt expertise and skills during their seminars.

Catti™, KaNest®, VisuCard®, G-Tokenizer™ and VisuBank® are software designed, developed and maintained by Galitt that may also host and operate them.

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