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### *Galitt confirmed by Visa as a Chip Vendor Enabled Service (CVES) provider*

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Galitt, a global trusted leader in the areas of payment systems consulting services, test tools and education, has been confirmed by Visa Inc. as capable of providing the Chip Vendor Enabled Service (CVES) aimed at streamlining the testing and reporting processes for the deployment of EMV-enabled contact chip and contactless NFC acceptance devices in the United States.

Galitt US, as a CVES enabled vendor using Galitt confirmed test tools, will run the mandatory Visa test cases (ADVT, qVSDC DM, CDET), analyze their outcome and submit the results to Visa using the Visa Chip Compliance Reporting Tool (CCRT).

“Streamlining the certification of payment terminals and ATM devices is one of the key challenges of the US EMV migration roadmap” said Gerard De Moura, President and CEO of Galitt US. “The CVES process is part of the Visa response to such requirements and Galitt immediately addressed the corresponding Visa invitation. It has indeed been a constant strategy for Galitt to support Brands’ efforts to automate and streamline testing and certification, and we are proud of this new Visa confirmation.”

Galitt US testing and certification solutions will be presented at the Smart Card Alliance Payment Summit in Salt Lake City (UT) on February 3-5, 2015.

**About Galitt US** ([www.galitt.us](http://www.galitt.us)) – Galitt US, with the support of its parent company Galitt, , has been dedicated for 25 years to providing consultancy, education, testing and certification services for payment systems and secure electronic transactions. Galitt US is focused on assisting US stakeholders more rapidly and productively streamline their EMV migration processes. Galitt has been helping financial institutions including Issuers, Acquirers, Processors, ISOs, ISVs and Merchants migrate to EMV since the first European deployments. Now, Galitt US is actively assisting US customers with a wide array of services ranging from off-the-shelf EMV education courses to Brand qualified EMV test tools, as well as consulting and certification services. Galitt also provides expertise in emerging payments, including GlobalPlatform and NFC technologies.

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