



Press Release

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## **Mastek continues its strategic support for UK Digital Skills employment**

03.05.21, Reading & Leeds, UK: Mastek UK Ltd. a leading enterprise digital transformation provider to the UK Public Sector, today reinforced its commitment to support UK's economic recovery and growth by announcing more than 350 jobs in the country, driven by its growth in delivering mission critical public services in the UK.

Mastek UK Limited has been operating in the UK for over 28 years, implementing major programmes across the UK from Schools solutions to Local Government to major critical national infrastructure in Health and Immigration & Border protection.

For the last 5 years, we have been committed to enabling UK employment and digital skills enablement through our localised recruitment in the South East and the North out of the base in Leeds. Our graduate & apprentice program works with the colleges and educational institutions and has trained over 50 graduates in the last few years.

Our recent expansion in the digital services to Public Sector include £800m framework delivering in the North for NHS Digital, our recent wins at the Home Office Biometrics Programme and HMRC Customs Declaration Services.

The outcome of this has been a significant investment in local recruitment throughout 2020 and 2021 and leveraging of UK Small to Medium Enterprises (SMEs). We have on-boarded and targeting to hire more than 350 new roles in the UK in this time period. This injects capital spend of approximately £1m and circa £18m in annual wage bill for these roles in the UK. We are committed to expanding in the northern part of the country, in and around our northern headquarters of Mastek in Leeds, UK. Mastek UK continues to be committed to serving the digital agenda of the UK Government and our Enterprise customers.

***UK Prime Minister Boris Johnson said, "Trade and investment between the UK and India is creating good jobs and sustaining livelihoods in both of our countries. I'm very pleased that Mastek UK has decided to join the legions of Indian companies investing in the UK, boosting our digital technology services sector and driving economic growth."***

Commenting on this announcement, President of the UK Business, Abhishek Singh said, "Mastek is proud to be able to build and support critical national infrastructure and mission critical projects including, HMRC Customs Declaration Service and the Test and Trace programme for DHSC. We endeavor to be the agile digital services partner to the various Government Departments, assisting them meet their digital & IT services requirement arising from the need to drive innovative digital services for UK Citizens. We will continue to partner with the UK Government for their future requirements and enabling the UK Government's Social Value agenda."

Commenting on this announcement, Mastek Co-Founder, MD and Interim Group CEO, Ashank Desai said, "Depth, duration and longevity sum up the troika of Mastek's foray into the UK. We have been participating in projects of national importance. Over the past 28 years we have strengthened key parts of the national infrastructure, notably developing and implementing the London Congestion Charge for Transport for London (TFL) and the NHS SPINE programme. We look forward to our serving the Digital Agenda of the UK Government in years to come."

About Mastek: Mastek is an enterprise digital transformation specialist that engineers excellence for customers in the UK, US and India. We enable large-scale businesses change programmes through our service offerings, which include digital services, application development, support and testing, BI and analytics, agile consulting and digital commerce. Whether it's creating new applications, modernising existing ones or recovering failing projects, we help enterprises to navigate the digital landscape and stay competitive. Learn more by visiting





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