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PRESS RELEASE

Tackling data projector theft in schools

A forum to tackle the issue of data projector theft in schools has been set up by Becta, the British Educational Communications and Technology Agency. As the technological equipment needed by schools to deliver classroom teaching effectively has increased, so too has it become more attractive to thieves.

"Between January and March 2005 in London alone there were 194* school burglaries involving data projectors which are particularly desirable due to their high value."

The first meeting of the security forum took place on 11 May, and brought together members of the police, manufacturers, installation companies, the government and LEAs, to address the problem. The difficulty for education is wider than a monetary one. Damage to school property, lost teaching time and teaching resources also provides an extra burden on schools.

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Mark Wallbank, Assistant Director, Infrastructure said: "If a concerted effort is not made to combat this problem then there is likely to be a significant impact on the quality of teaching in schools.

"Whilst there is a need for better security and different product offerings from manufacturers, we also need to make schools aware of the security features which are currently available on their equipment."

"Becta is committed to driving forward this agenda and will continue to facilitate regular meetings to resolve the issue."

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SANYO have incorporated the suggestions of both BECTA and regional LEA's in developing one of the first projectors specifically for the education market - with the emphasis clearly placed on security.

According to BECTA, theft of education equipment is a growing problem in schools, causing not only monetary loss but also loss of teaching time and teaching resources. SANYO's **SafeGuard** Projector includes a number of enhanced security features to address this issue.

Just some of the on-board security features include an in-built 100db alarm, a security coded start-up which requires a PIN, a remote control unit with unique IR codes and the **SafeGuard** Projector also has no external buttons which will render the unit useless if removed without authorisation.

Aside from these outstanding security features, the **SafeGuard** Projector is the perfect solution for the education market. Offering class leading lamp life and brightness, the projector can easily be ceiling mounted or incorporated within a security cadge for added protection.

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☑ **No external control buttons – will not work if removed!**

☑ **In-built alarm system – Will sound to 100db if jogged or jolted.**

☑ **Security coded start-up with a PIN request.**

☑ **A user programmable start-up screen can be programmed with a unique PIN PROTECTED security message. (Can be programmed to display lock – 'STOLEN FROM' security message).**

☑ **Class Leading 5,000* hour lamp life – Low Maintenance!**

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*Up to 5,000 hr lamp life when used in eco mode