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#### Introduction

This user manual has been designed to provide complete, easy-to-use instructions for configuring and using the Remote Eyes Server, Player, and Client applications.

In the pages that follow, you will find out how to start using Remote Eyes, customize its wide variety of features, set it to record video when motion is detected, and monitor it remotely.

Finally, you'll learn how to quickly and easily use the Remote Eyes Player to review any recorded video from the Server location.

Of course if you have a question about Remote Eyes that we haven't covered, or if you need technical support for any aspect of the Remote Eyes software, you'll find complete contact information for our technical support team on the last page of this manual.

#### **Remote Eyes® Server**

The component of your Remote Eyes software that you install on the computer where you want to connect your cameras is called the Server.

Your Remote Eyes Server comes preset from Odyssey to **Auto Launch**; this means that the software will automatically start when the system is turned on.

After a moment, The Remote Eyes splash screen will appear, depending on whether or not the POS extension has been activated you will get one of two screens...

POS Extension Activated

Remote Eyes Odyssey Technologies, Inc. 14504 Greenview Drive Suite 100 Laurel, MD 20708 SUPPORT Tel: 301.256.0000 Fax: 301.362.9704 Email: support@remoteeyes.com www.remoteeyes.com/support



#### POS Extension NOT Activated

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#### ...followed by the camera display itself



Before you can start configuring Remote Eyes, you'll need to log in by pressing the F6 key on your keyboard.

A **User name** and **Password** must be provided each time you want to make changes to your Remote Eyes settings. You'll also have to log in each time you want to exit out of the server software. For your first login, you'll need to use the default User: **admin** and the default Password: **admin.** As you can see, the Password always appears as a series of asterisks, to keep people from learning your password by watching you enter it.

Login			
User	admin		
Password:	****		
0	ĸ	Cancel	

Now that you've logged in, you can start setting up Remote Eyes. Let's start with the **Configure** menu.

# **The Configure Menu**

Configure

Most of what you'll find in the configure menu are items that will help you to customize your Remote Eyes settings to fit your individual needs. You'll be able to schedule when Remote Eyes is armed to detect motion, set Remote Eyes to notify you automatically when motion occurs, and administer User IDs and passwords, among other things.

### Site Info

System Se	ttings 🛛 🔀
Communi Site Info	cations Scanning Web Cam Video/Display Switch/Relay Settings Access Admin Clips Arm Scheduler Back-Up/Reboot
	Site Address (First 4 Characters as ID):  1234 South Avenue
	Contact Phone Number :
	888-555-1234
	OK Cancel Apply

Using the **Site Info** tab, you can enter an address and contact number for your Remote Eyes Server. The first four characters will be used as the Site ID, a unique marker for video recorded at this location. For instance the example to the left will tag all video with a Site ID of 1234.

The Address and Contact Phone Number will also be listed on the Access and Event logs. We'll talk about them a little later.

### Settings

The **Export** and **Import Settings** options are really useful if you have more than one location that uses Remote Eyes Server, but you want to use the same system settings at all of your locations. Just click **Export Settings** and you'll be prompted to choose a place on your PC to store a settings file.

A floppy disk is a perfect choice, since you can take it to another location, insert it into the PC, and double click in the settings file, and then launch your Remote Eyes Server.

You can also generate a report of all of your system settings with the **Generate settings document report.** You can use this feature to print a full report of all of the system settings.

System Settings 🛛 🔀
Communications       Scanning       Web Cam       Video/Display       Switch/Relay         Site Info       Settings       Access Admin       Clips       Arm Scheduler       Back-Up/Reboot         System Settings       Export Settings       Import Settings       Import Settings
Settings Document Report Generate settings document report
OK Cancel Apply

### Access Admin

System Settings
Communications Scanning Web Cam Video/Display Switch/Relay Site Info Settings Access Admin Clips Arm Scheduler Back-Up/Reboot
admin administrator guard1 operator
Edit User Delete User
✓ Limit non-administrator connection time to:
OK Cancel Apply

If you want to allow more than one person to access your Remote Eyes Server locally or using the client, you can use the **Access Admin** tab to set up additional Users and Passwords.

You can also limit the **non**administrator connection time from this tab. This will cause users from the Admin Client and from modem connection to lose connection after ten minutes if the person is not an administrator. An administrator is defined by the ability to Add/Edit Users.

To add a new user, click the **New User** button.

From the **Privilege** window, you can create a User ID and Password that will be used for logging in and access privileges. There are two kinds of Users: **Administrators** and **Operators**. A user is an administrator only if he has the privilege to **Add/Edit User** enabled. Operators, who do not have this privilege, can also have their connection time limited by an administrator.

Privilege	
User ID	guard1
User Password	security
	Privileges
Add/Edit User	🔽 Delete Files
Configure/Setu	p 🔽 Camera Control
🔽 Schedule	Modem Access
🔽 Operation	IP Access
🔽 View Files/State	us 🔽 View Video Clip
OK	Cancel

### Clips

System Settings	
	b Cam Video/Display Switch/Relay Clips Arm Scheduler Back-Up/Reboot
Clip Storage	
Last video clip is stored at: D:Wide Current video pathes: D:Wideo;	Jeo
Clip Properties 1. Motion Clips: pre-event frames=5;post-event fran clip duration(Sec.)=60 2. Continous Clips;max clip duration	
3. Compression:H.263;Quality: med	
Record audio with channel 1	Space saver mode
Video Signal Format	
	OK Cancel Apply

Any segment of video that is recorded using Remote Eyes is referred to as a *Video Clip*. For convenience in storage and review, any extended recording will be separated into multiple video clips.

Using the **Clips** tab, you can specify where your clips are stored and set how large individual clips will be for both motion detection and continuous recording.

This is also where you would turn on audio recording or space saver mode.

You can also select the video format you want to use: **NTSC** or **PAL**.

### **Disk Usage Settings & Control**

When Remote Eyes records video clips, the system's hard drive is used as the storage medium. To adjust where your clips are stored, click the **Settings** button next to **Clip Properties** on the **Clips** tab.

Disk Usage Settings & Control	Within the <b>Disk Usage Settings</b> window, you can indicate what folder
Directories to save the video clips:	on your PC you want to use for clip storage. You can even select multiple locations. Once the first location in
E:Wideo Add	the list gets full Remote Eyes will start recording to the next one on the list.
Directories:	
D:\Video Up Down	The button will allow you to search for the folder that you want to store clips, such as a folder on a network.
OK Cancel Default	

### **Clip Properties**

The **Video Clip Properties** window can be used to change the characteristics of video recorded by Remote Eyes.

Video Clip Properties 🛛 🔀
Motion: Pre-Event: 5 Frames Post-Event: 10 - Frames
Max Clip Duration: 60 📻 Seconds
Record
Max Clip Duration: 10 📑 Minutes
Quality File Size
H.263 Compression High - Large
C Motion JPEG Medium
Low -  - Small
OK Cancel Default

Video clips fall into two major categories: **continuous recording**, where Remote Eyes records straight through for a set duration, and **motion detection** recording, where Remote Eyes records only when the Server is armed, and then only when motion is detected by a camera.

Using this window, you can set maximum clip duration for continuous recording	Record Max Clip Duration: 10 📑 Minutes
Motion: Pre-Event: 5 Frames Post-Event: 10 + F Max Clip Duration: 60 + Seconds	Frames as well as maximum clip duration for motion detection clips. In this way, larger periods of recording are broken up into small, more manageable clips.
You can also select the kind of compression used for all recording, either <b>H.263</b> or <b>Motion JPEG</b> .	Compression Quality File Size II.263 Compression High Large Motion JPEG Medium Medium Low Small

H.263, the default, combines good image quality with small file size. Motion JPEG files have very good image quality along with much bigger file size. On average, a Motion JPEG video clip will be ten times the size of the same clip recorded using H.263.

Within each of these selections, you can also choose the image quality, from **High** to **Low**. High quality clips will result in larger file sizes, and Low quality clips will generate smaller file sizes.

#### **Audio Recording**

Remote Eyes features integrated audio recording on channel 1. This feature will allow clips recorded on channel 1 to have audio with the video playback. You can turn on audio recording by checking the box next to **Record audio with channel 1**.

Record audio with channel 1

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#### **Space Saver Mode**

#### The Space saver mode check box

Space saver mode

allows you to cut the recording frame

rate by 50% so that you can get more storage from your server. However, this option does not affect the display rate of your server.

### **Arm Scheduler**

If you decide to record video clips only when your cameras detect motion, you can set up a schedule of when to arm and disarm the system. Just like with other security systems, in Remote Eyes the term *Armed* indicates that the security measures are **ON**, and any motion that occurs will cause the system to record. Likewise, *Disarm* means that the security measures are **OFF**.

System Settings	
Communications Scanning Web Cam Video/ Site Info Settings Access Admin Clips Arm Sche	
Arm Scheduling       Set         Current Schedule:       Monday: 0:0 ~ 24:0         Monday: 0:0 ~ 24:0       Vednesday: 0:0 ~ 24:0         Thursday: 0:0 ~ 24:0       Saturday: 0:0 ~ 24:0         Saturday: 0:0 ~ 24:0       Saturday: 0:0 ~ 24:0         Sunday: 0:0 ~ 24:0       Sunday: 0:0 ~ 24:0         Market Barbon Start       Saturday: 0:0 ~ 24:0         Sunday: 0:0 ~ 24:0       Sunday: 0:0 ~ 24:0         Sunday: 0:0 ~ 24:0       Saturday: 0:0 ~ 24:0	ttings
OK	Cancel Apply

The **Arm Scheduler** tab shows a listing of the currently scheduled recording times by day of the week.

You can also click the check box next to **Enable Siren** if you would like an audio alarm to sound when motion is detected. Please note that you will need speakers for this feature.

To adjust when the system is armed, click the **Settings** button next to **Arm Scheduling**.

Schedule for Arming the System 🛛 🔀							
🔽 Enable So	cheduler						
		- Time Ran	-		– Time Ran	-	
	On/Off	Start	End	On/Off	Start	End	
Monday	✓	11 : 0	24 : 0	Γ	0:0	24 : 0	
Tuesday		0 : 0	24 : 0		0:0	24 : 0	
Wednesday	◄	0 : 0	8:0		18 : 0	24 : 0	
Thursday		0 : 0	24 : 0		0:0	24 : 0	
Friday	✓	0:0	24 : 0		0:0	24 : 0	
Saturday		0 : 0	24 : 0			24 : 0	
Sunday	Γ	0:0	24 : 0	Γ	0:0	24 : 0	
* Please enter using military time (e.g. 2:30PM = 14:30)							
	OK		Cancel		Default		

The **Arm Scheduler** tells Remote Eyes when to turn motion detection on or off. You can specify up to two time periods per day for each day of the week, with the time of day given in 24-hour (military) time. All you need to do is enter your start and end times, and check the box next to the day of the week to enable that day.

In the first example, you'll see that on Monday, the system is set to be armed at 11:00AM and disarmed at 12:00 Midnight.

In the next example, Wednesday the system is armed from Midnight to 8:00AM, and then again at 6:00PM, until Midnight. This is one possible schedule that could be used for an office or other location that wants to monitor unauthorized access before and after business hours.

The last example shows how to set Remote Eyes to be armed 24 hours a day. 0:0 to 24:0 tells Remote Eyes to begin at Midnight and end the following Midnight. Used in conjunction across multiple days, the Server can be set to be armed 24/7.

Please note that the Server can also be armed and disarmed by selecting the **ON** or **OFF** buttons located on the right side of the main Remote Eyes screen.



### Back-Up/Reboot

The **Back-Up/Reboot** tab is used to set automatic back up and reboot.

You'll also see a listing to the right of the tab showing when **Auto Back-Up** and **Auto Reboot** have been scheduled to occur.

System Settings	×
Communications Scanning Web Cam Video/D Site Info Settings Access Admin Clips Arm Sche	
Clip Back Up       Settings         Auto Back-Up Enabled       Settings         Keep Original Files: No       Source Folders:         Destination Folder:       Settings         Reboot       Image: Settings         Auto Reboot Enabled       Settings	Enabled Time: Auto Back Up ( 0~23): 
ОК (	Cancel Apply

### Clip Back-Up

If you would like to back-up important video clips, or if you just want to archive your recordings for later examination, Remote Eyes **Clip Back-Up** feature can be used to move previously recorded clips to a specified location.

To access the disk back-up window, click the Settings button next to Clip Back-Up.

First select either Manual or Automatic Backup mode.

Disk Backup 🛛 🔀
Backup Mode
Manual C Automatic
Source Folders:
< add new directory>
Destination Folder:
, Keep original files after backup.
Cancel Copy Now Default

**Manual** is used to back-up files right now. Just choose the source folder (this should be the same one you chose in Disk Usage – see above) and the destination folder, which can be a removable hard drive, a network drive, or a CD-R/RW, just to name a few of the many possibilities. Then just click **Copy Now** to begin the backup. You can also select to keep your original files after backup is complete. If you do not choose to keep them then the files will be deleted.

Automatic back-ups are very similar to Manual, the difference being that you can schedule your backup operation to occur weekly or even daily.

sk Backup	2
Backup Mode	Schedule
Manual Manual	Day: Hour (0-23):
Source Folders:	🗆 Monday 🛛 🗍
< add new directory>	Tuesday 0
	🗆 Wednesday 🛛 🗍
×	Thursday 0
Destination Folder:	Friday 0
F:\Backup_Video	🔽 Saturday 🛛 🗍
Keep original files after backup.	🗆 Sunday 🔽

#### Auto Reboot

Auto Reboot can be used to schedule an automatic reboot of the server at a specified time.

To access Auto Reboot, just click the **Settings** button next to **Reboot** in the **Backup/Reboot** tab.

Then select the day or days of the week along with the hour of the day when you want to reboot your Server PC.

For security reasons, the actual reboot will randomly occur within 15 minutes of the hour you select. This feature prevents others from predicting when your video surveillance system will be unavailable.

Auto Reboot Scheduler 🛛 🛛 🔀		
🔽 Enable Auto Re	eboot	
Sched	lule	
Day:	Hour (1-23):	
🔲 Monday	1	
🔲 Tuesday	1	
🔽 Wednesday	1	
🔲 Thursday	1	
🔽 Friday	1	
🔲 Saturday	1	
🔲 Sunday	1	
L		
OK Cano	el Default	

## Communications

The next tab, **Communications**, lets you enable Remote Access and set your Server to notify you when an alarm occurs.

System Settings	$\overline{\mathbf{X}}$
Site Info Settings Access Admin Communications Scanning V	Clips   Arm Scheduler   Back-Up/Reboot   Veb Cam   Video/Display   Switch/Relay
Remote Access TCP/IP Enabled IP: 0.1.0.4 LAN: 10.0.0.112 Port for Admin: 2997	Modem Enabled
Notification EMail Enabled Settings. SMTP: Authentication: DISABLED; From: Subject: To: Enable Log: NO; (*): video clips attached	
	OK Cancel Apply

### **Remote Access**

To enable Remote Access, click the **Settings** button next to **Remote Access.** 

To enable remote connections to Remote Eyes, you'll need to first enable the method of connection. You can choose to permit **Modem** or **TCP/IP** (cable modem or LAN) connections, or both. The LAN address is your internal local network address. The Internet address is the external address that you would use to connect from a remote location. Remote Eyes also supports the ability to change what ports are used to connect to the server. This allows you to have more than one server us the same IP address.

Ena	ble Remote	e Surveillan	ce	$\overline{\mathbf{X}}$
	Modem	U.S. Robotic	s 56K Faxmodem I	US Select
	☑ TCP/IP	10.0.0.11		LAN
			Port for Admin	
		2997	(3500~3999,	
		2999	Port for Viewer (2999~3499)	r
	OK		Cancel	Default

### **Configure Email**

If you would like to have an email sent to you each time Remote Eyes detects motion, you can use the Email notification feature by clicking on the **Settings** button next to **Email Enabled.** 

E-Mail Server SMTP 123.456.789.101	- Attach Video Email Address
This server requires authentication.	Add
User Name server	bill@email.com x joe@email.com
Reply-to Address     server@email.com       Subject     Alarm!!!       I✓     Enable Logging       Filename     email.log       View     Browse	E-Mail Content Text Message An Alarm has been triggered!

Just place a check in the **Enable E-mail Notification** box, and then enter your **SMTP** (outgoing mail server) address. Your ISP or Network administrator should be able to provide you with your SMTP address if you're not sure what it is.

This server requires authentication.		
User Name	user	
Password	****	

🔽 Enable E-		
SMTP	123.456.789.101	

If your SMTP server requires that you use and name and password to send email through the server you will need to enter that username and password into the section under **This server requires authentication.** 

E-Mail Notification Recipients Attach Video Email Address ✓ sam@email.com Add bill@email.com Remove	Next, add the email addresses of whomever you would like the email sent to. Just type their address in the space provided, place a check in the <b>Attach Video</b> box if you would like the video of the motion that was detected to be sent to them, and click <b>Add</b> . In the example to the left, joe@email.com will receive a video attachment, but bill@email.com will not.
Next, enter the <b>Reply-to Address, Subject,</b> and <b>T</b> <b>Message</b> . These items will be included in all emain that are sent.	
Finally, you can check <b>Enable Logging</b> and create filename if you would like to save a log of all the er Remote Eyes has sent.	

As a final note, please remember that if you decide to use this notification method, you'll be notified every time that motion occurs when the system is armed. You should also select only one notification method at a time, since using two or more may cause a conflict when Remote Eyes tries to do both.

You can also send email notification of an alarm to your cell phone, if it supports email messaging. For the email address format for several major wireless providers, please see the chart below. Just add your cell phone number where it says "Phone#" in the email address shown. **Please note if you are using this feature to alert your cell phone, leave the "attach video" checkbox empty.** Only text messages can be sent to a cell phone at this time.







#### Email Addresses and Messaging Notes for Cell Phones

#### Pager

Another way to be notified when Remote Eyes detects motion is the **Pager** feature. To set up pager notification, click the **Settings** button next to **Pager Enabled**.

Using Pager, you can set Remote Eyes to dial a telephone number for a phone or pager when the system is armed and motion is detected.

Pager 🔀
Enable Auto-dial Pager
Pager Number 301-555-1234
Delay before 8 Seconds
Pager Message 999
OK Cancel Dial Now Default

Just click **Enable Auto-dial Pager**, enter the phone number and numeric message, and set the delay (in seconds) between when the number is dialed and the numeric message sent.

## **Notify Remote Site**

🔽 Enable Remote Site Notification	
By Phone     Remote Site Number     1: 301-555-1212 2: 3:	By Network           Remote Site IP Address           1:           2:           3:
OK Ca	ncel Default
Notify Remote Site	$\overline{\mathbf{X}}$
Enable Remote Site Notification     By Phone     Remote Site Number      1:     2:     3:	By Network     Remote Site IP Address      1: 541.268.56.2      2:      3:

You can also have the system connect to a Remote Computer running the Client software. By clicking on **Notify Remote Site** you can make the system connect to another system by **Phone** or **IP Address** so that when an event occurs the remote Client will be connected to view the site.

### Scanning

Remote Eyes Server includes a scanning feature, which lets you cycle through selected channels both **On-Screen** when you've selected a camera layout that includes one large camera view (see page 44 for more details about changing your camera layout) and **Analog-Out** when you have an external video monitor to the video out jack on your Remote Eyes card(legacy cards only). Using the Scanning tab, you can choose which cameras are included in each of these features.

To select the cameras, click the **Settings** button.

For newer capture cards that have either the SPOTPCI or the QUADPCI you will use the control program by clicking on the **Set Analog-Out Device** button.

**NOTE:** For more information about controlling your SPOT or QUAD card see the user manual under the **Help** button on the main Remote Eyes screen.

System Set	tings 🛛 🔀
Site Info	Settings Access Admin Clips Arm Scheduler Back-Up/Reboot ations Scanning Web Cam Video/Display Switch/Relay
- On-	Screen Scanning and Analog-Out Scanning Settings
Ana	Ilog-Out Device

Scanning Time	K)
On-Screen Scanning Enabled	
Scan View Interval: 5 🚊 Seconds	
Included Channels: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	
9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16	
Default	
Turn on Analog-Out Scanning (Loop Back)	
Analog Scan Interval: 5 🚔 Seconds	
Included Channels: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	
9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16	
Default	
OK Cancel	-

🔲 Scan

Now you'll see the **Scanning Time** window.

You can select the included channels for both **On-Screen** and **Analog-Out** scanning.

You can also **Turn on Analog Out Scanning** by clicking on the check box.

**NOTE:** This is only for users with older style capture cards.

To turn on On-Screen scanning, you'll need to first select a camera layout that includes one large camera. This can be done on the main camera display using the **Layout** buttons, located to the right of your cameras. Select one of the layouts on the left hand side of the list, and then place a check in the check box next to **Scan**.



### Web Cam

System Settings Site Info Settings Access Admin Clips Arm Scheduler Back-Up/Reboot Communications Scanning Web Cam Video/Display Switch/Relay	The <b>Web Cam</b> option lets you broadcast your Remote Eyes camera images to a local Web page for viewing over the Internet. To set up the location of the Web page, as well as the image size and the included channels, click the <b>Settings</b> button.
<ul> <li>Web Cameras Enabled</li> <li>Settings</li> <li>1. WEB images save to: D:\Documents and Settings\david\My Documents\My Pictures</li> <li>2. WEB image size:Large</li> <li>3. Selected WEB channels: 1; 2; 3; 4;</li> </ul>	<b>NOTE:</b> All Remote Eyes servers come preset with Internet Information Services to allow web broadcasting enabled.
OK Cancel Apply	

To set up your Web Cam, click on **Generate live images**, and then select the location of your Web page. It can be on the local PC or on a mapped Network drive.

Next, select the image size: **160x120** (small) or **320x240** (large).

Finally, select the camera numbers that you want to include on the Web page.

By applying the changes from this page a default.htm file along with the other components of the web page will be placed in the folder specified.

Veb Camera 🛛 🔀							
🔽 Generate live imag	Generate live images for web cameras						
Web images save to	Web images save to D:\Documents and Settings\david\My [						
Web image size	<ul> <li>● 160 x</li> <li>○ 320 x</li> </ul>	€ 160 × 120					
	0207	240					
Select web cameras	<b>▼</b> 1	<b>▼</b> 2	🔽 3	✓ 4			
	5	<b>F</b> 6	Π7	<b>I</b> 8			
	Г 9	<b>[</b> 10	<b>[</b> 11	<b>[</b> 12			
	<b>[</b> 13	<b>[</b> 14	<b>[</b> 15	<b>[</b> 16			
ОК	Ca	incel		Default			

## Video/Display

ystem Settings	$\mathbf{X}$
Site Info   Settings   Access Admin	Clips Arm Scheduler Back-Up/Reboot
Communications Scanning	Web Cam Video/Display Switch/Relay
Remote Video Transmiss	ion
Frame Rate	Quality
C low	C low
• medium	• medium
C high	C high
Key Frame I	nterval 100
Server Display	n mode
L	
	OK Cancel Apply

Using the **Video/Display** tab Remote Eyes can change transmission and the startup display.

This is helpful for such things as adjusting transmission of video for slower connections to the server.

### Local Video Display

Server Display

Start up in full screen mode

This checkbox allows you to determine if you want the Remote Eyes software to start in a full screen mode or to start with the menus visible at startup.

### Remote Video Transmission

Remote Video Transmission					
Frame Rate	Quality				
C low	C low				
• medium	e medium				
C high	C high				
Key Frame Int	erval 100				

For slower broadband connections Remote Eyes can be adjusted to transmit the video in smaller packets.

By adjusting the **Frame Rate**, **Quality**, and **Key Frame Interval** you can send out smaller packets for slower connections to get a better transmission.

Lower frame rate and lower quality require less bandwidth and make the remote PTZ control more responsive.

### **Switches and Relays**

Remote Eyes Server supports up to 8 hardware switch inputs and up to 8 hardware relay outputs. **Switches** are typically hardware motion detectors that can be used to trigger recording on detected motion, but can also be glass break indicators, switches on door closures, and many other types of hardware. **Relays** are any device that can be turned on or off either when motion is detected by hardware or software detection, or by use of the **Relay Panel**.

Please note that a **Remote Eyes I/O Box** is required to connect external hardware devices to your Remote Eyes Server.

To set up your switches, select Setup under Switches on the **Switch/Relay** tab. You see the **Setup Switches** window below.

Se	Setup Switches										
						Actions to take when triggered:					
En	able	Normally Open	Activation Schedule	Name/ Location:	Message to display:	Sound Alarm	Notify Remote Site	Dial Pager	Send EMail	Play Wave File	Trigger Relay
1.	•		Set	Front Door	Door is Open			Г			
2.		$\overline{ \vee }$	Set					Γ		Γ	
З.		$\overline{ \vee }$	Set					Г	Γ	Γ	
4.		$\overline{\mathbb{M}}$	Set					Γ			
5.		$\overline{\mathbb{M}}$	Set					Γ	Γ		
6.		$\overline{\mathbb{M}}$	Set						Γ		
7.		$\overline{\mathbb{M}}$	Set					Γ	Γ		
8.		$\overline{\mathbf{M}}$	Set					Γ	Γ		
				OK				Ca	ncel	]	

First, select **Enable** to indicate the switch you want to use. Then choose **Normally Open** if the switch should be triggered on closure. To set up an **Activation Schedule** and indicate when the switch above is to be active, click **Set** and enter your schedule there. Next, enter the **Name/Location** of the switch. This will help you to identify individual switches if you have several set up. If you type a message in **Message to Display**, it will appear in the on-screen indicator when the switch is triggered. You can also choose an action to take when the switch is triggered. You can take several notification actions or set a relay or relays to be activated when the switch is triggered.

To set up your Relays, choose setup under **Relays** under the **Switch/Relay** tab. The **Setup relays** window will be shown as it is below.

Setup Relays			
Enable Name/Location:	Action triggered by this relay:	Scheduler	Duration Mode (seconds)
1. 🔽 🛛 Back Hallway	Turn On Light	Set	<b>[</b> 60]
2.		Set	Γ1
3.		Set	Γ1
4.		Set	Γ1
5. 🗆		Set	Γ1
6. 🗆		Set	Γ
7.		Set	<b>[</b> 1
8. 🗆		Set	Γ
	OK Cancel		

Click **Enable** to begin setting up your first relay. Just as with switches, you can enter a **Name** or **Location** to help identify your relay. Next you can enter a brief description of the **Action Triggered** when the relay is activated. Please note that this is just a reference item. You'll need to fully wire your relay in order for it to work. Place a check in **Duration** if you want the relay to be turned on and then off for a set period of time. For instance, you may want a light to be turned on for only 60 seconds when motion is triggered. If the check box is left empty, then a relay is set on once it's triggered, until it is manually turned off at the Relay Panel.

The **Relay Panel** can be selected by clicking on **Relays** from the **I/O Control** on the main server screen. It will also automatically appear on-screen when a relay is triggered by motion. It shows you each of the relays you have set up, along with a brief description of the action taken. You will also see **On/Off** controls, which you can use to manually open and close a relay, so that you can turn lights on, open a door or gate, or engage access control devices, all from your Remote Eyes Server.



# **The Log Button**



The **Log** button is used to display the **Access Log** and the **Event Log**. These two reports keep track of who has been using the server and also what has occurred at the server.

### The Access Log

The **Access Log** is a text file that includes a record for each time someone successfully or unsuccessfully tries to login to your Remote Eyes Server. It also shows the method of the connection (Phone or TCP/IP), and when the User logged out.

Access.Log - Notepad		
le <u>E</u> dit F <u>o</u> rmat <u>V</u> iew <u>H</u> elp		
*********	** Server site information ******************	-
Server site address:		
emotelyes Server: Ver	sion 5.0 (Build 21220)	
2003-01-08@16:11'28"]	User "administrator" logged on from local machine.	
2003-01-08@16:14'12"	User "administrator" logged off from local machine.	
2003-01-10@11:12'34"	User "administrator" logged on from local machine.	
2003-01-10011:12'46"	User "administrator" logged off from local machine.	
2003-01-13@15:59'18"	User "administrator" logged on from local machine.	
2003-01-13016:00'19"	User "administrator" logged off from local machine.	
2003-01-13@16:02'41"	User "administrator" logged on from local machine.	
2003-01-13@16:04'41"	User "administrator" logged off from local machine.	
2003-01-14@12:44'13"	User "administrator" logged on from local machine.	
2003-01-14@12:44'19"	User "administrator" logged off from local machine.	
2003-01-14@15:19'00"	User "administrator" logged on from local machine.	
2003-01-14@15:21'11"	User "administrator" logged off from local machine.	
2003-01-14@15:31'08"]	User "administrator" logged on from local machine.	
2003-01-14@15:39'27"]	User "administrator" logged off from local machine.	
2003-01-15@12:31'05"]	User "administrator" logged on from local machine.	
2003-01-15@12:31'09"]	User "administrator" logged off from local machine.	
2003-01-17016:33'40"]	User "administrator" logged on from local machine.	
003-01-17@16:33'43"]	User "administrator" logged off from local machine.	
2003-01-17@16:34'47"]	User "administrator" logged on from local machine.	
2003-01-17@16:36'00"]	User "administrator" logged off from local machine.	
2003-01-21@09:11'17"]	User "administrator" logged on from local machine.	
003-01-21@09:11'24"]	User "administrator" logged off from local machine.	
2003-01-21@09:13'46"]	User "ADMINISTRATOR" logged on from local machine.	
2003-01-21@09:14'18"]	User "ADMINISTRATOR" logged off from local machine.	
2003-01-21@10:37'39"]	User "administrator" logged on from local machine.	
2003-01-21@10:38'06"]	User "administrator" logged off from local machine.	
2003-01-21@10:39'02"]	User "administrator" logged on from local machine.	
2003-01-21@10:39'33"]	User "administrator" logged off from local machine.	
2003-01-21@10:43'05"] 2003-01-21@10:45'49"]	User "administrator" logged on from local machine. User "administrator" logged off from local machine.	
2003-01-21010:45 49		
2003-01-21014.0/ 3/ ]	oser auministrator rogged on rrom rotar Machine.	ſ

### The Event Log

The **Event Log** is similar, but records any occurrence at the Remote Eyes Server, including startup, shutdown, motion detection, and system arm/disarm. It also records the Site Info for the Server.

🕞 Event.Log - Notepad	
File Edit Format View Help	
**************************************	
[2003-01-08@16:10'51"] System is started [2003-01-08@16:11'40"] ************************************	
<pre>[2003-01-08@16:14'12"] System is shutdown [2003-01-10@11:12'25"] System is started [2003-01-13@15:59'08"] System is shutdown [2003-01-13@16:00'19"] System is shutdown [2003-01-13@16:02'31"] System is shutdown [2003-01-13@16:04'41"] System is shutdown [2003-01-14@12:43'59"] System is started [2003-01-14@12:44'19"] System is shutdown [2003-01-14@12:44'19"] System is shutdown [2003-01-14@15:18'46"] System is shutdown [2003-01-14@15:21'11"] System is shutdown [2003-01-14@15:30'57"] System is shutdown [2003-01-14@15:39'27"] System is shutdown [2003-01-14@15:39'27"] System is shutdown [2003-01-14@15:39'27"] System is shutdown [2003-01-15@12:30'37"] System is shutdown [2003-01-16:32'16"] System is shutdown [2003-01-17@16:32'16"] System is shutdown [2003-01-17@16:33'43"] System is shutdown [2003-01-17@16:33'43"] System is shutdown [2003-01-17@16:33'43"] System is shutdown [2003-01-17@16:34'39"] System is shutdown [2003-01-17@16:34'39"] System is started [2003-01-17@16:36'00"] System is started [2003-01-17@16:36'00"] System is started</pre>	
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# **The Help Button**



# The License Button

The **License Button** is used to enter new license information. As well as letting you know if you have the POS extension activated.

License

Update License	×
Program Information Server w/POS Version 6.0.703.05 Program Serial Number:	
Registration Information Enter the registration name and key below, exactly as given to you	
Machine Finger Print: CBFE-5358	
Name: USER	
Кеу:	
License Information Current Maximum Viewer Connections: 6	
Expiration Date:	
OK Cancel	

When contacting Odyssey Technologies, Inc. to update your license, you will be asked to provide the system's unique **Machine Finger Print**, as shown in the picture to the left.
## The About Button

The **About** button is used to access the version and build number of the software to allow Odyssey Technologies, Inc. technical support staff to better help you with your questions.

# About

The About window includes contact information for Odyssey Technologies, Inc., information about whether or not the POS Extension is activated, as well as the version number of your Remote Eyes software.



## **Controlling Individual Cameras**

— Control Bars—
Show All
Hide All

Each of the Remote Eyes cameras has certain settings that can be configured individually. To show these settings, you'll first need to display the camera's **Control Bar** by clicking on **Show All** from the main Remote Eyes screen. Or you can choose an individual camera's control bar by right clicking and selecting **Show Control Bar**.

The control bar includes a number of icons that control various camera features.



To the far left is the **Camera Name Field**. A name up to 16 characters (including spaces) can be assigned to each camera. This name will appear in the Client software as well as the Web page and Player once you have made a connection to this Server.

The next icon,	Remote Eyes Server - Camera1 Setup 🛛 🔀			
Aunches the Camera Setup window, where you can enable software motion detection and set sensitivity to motion for this camera. You can also adjust brightness, contrast, and hue for this camera.	✓ Motion Detection         ✓ Software Detection         Motion Grid         Clear All         Sensitivity         Low         Normal         High         Hardware Detection         Triggered by switch:         1       2         Set relays when motion detected         1       2         Set relays when motion detected	Camera Parameters Camera Type: Standard Camera Camera Control Brightness Contrast Saturation Hue - 0 + Default OK Cancel		

To enable software motion detection, click the box next to **Motion Detection**, and then click next to **Software Detection**. Hardware motion detection can also be tied into the camera. Click next to **Hardware Detection**, and then choose the **Switch** that you want to trigger recording on this camera, and/or the **Relay** output that you wish to be triggered when motion is detected either by the software or hardware.



Once you've enabled Motion Detection, you can also select the screen area where motion detection will be active. Red grid areas indicate the part of the image where detection is enabled, and green indicates disabled detection. By clicking on individual grid squares, you'll see that they change to green, and vice versa. You also have the option to **Clear All** of the grid to make the entire grid inactive or to **Select All** to make the entire grid active.

From the Camera Setup window, you can also select the type of Pan-Tilt-Zoom, or **PTZ** camera you're using, if you have one connected at this camera channel. By clicking on the **Camera Control** 

Camera Control

These controls allow you to control various types of PTZ cameras. Functions such as pan, tilt and zoom are available along with other features such as patterns, auto focus and preset positions. this will allow you to set up the PTZ.

PTZ Settings				Pan	n-Tilt
COM Port:	Jnit Address:	-1 Mod	ify		1
PowerMe	enu T	Pattern Mod		Zoom	
🗖 Backlight 🛛 🛃		Start Set Patte	m	In	Far
🗖 Auto Focus  🛓		Stop Set Patte	m		
🗖 Mono 🔄	+	Run Pattern		Out	Near
└────				Preset	Iris
			1	Ψ.	Open

PTZ Setup	X
✓ Enable PTZ Control	Channel 1
Model: PanasonicWVCS854	<b>_</b>
COM Port: COM1 -	Unit Address: 1
OK	Cancel

The **Modify** button allows you to choose the type of camera that you have as well as the COM port that it is attached to and the unit address if you have more than 1 camera attached to the COM port.

The next icon, 🗐, launches the Channel Recording Scheduler. Similar in appearance to the Arm Scheduler, this window lets you select the time of day and day of the week during which you want to record continuous video clips. Each camera must be set up to record separately, so each camera can have a different schedule.

Channel Recording Schedule 🛛 🛛 🔀							
Enable Scheduler							
	Time Range 1 Time Range 2					7	
	On/Off	Start	End	On/Off	Start	End	
Monday		0:0	24 : 0		0 : 0	24 : 0	
Tuesday		0:0	24 : 0	Γ	0:0	24 : 0	
Wednesday		0 : 0	24 : 0		0:0	24 : 0	
Thursday		0:0	24 : 0		0:0	24 : 0	
Friday		0:0	24 : 0		0:0	24 : 0	
Saturday	◄	0:0	24 : 0		0:0	24 : 0	
Sunday		0:0	24 : 0		0:0	24 : 0	
* Please enter using military time (e.g. 2:30PM = 14:30)							
	OK		Cancel		Default		

Next are manual **Record**, **Stop**, and **Playback** controls, capture video for this camera.





Another way to manually record is the Start All recording button on the main Remote Eves screen. This button is used to start all of the cameras recording. When shipping from the factory, the system will record 24x7 on all cameras.



The next two buttons, 🔤 🔯 , are used to turn video input from the camera on and off. This is a useful feature if you do not have all of your cameras connected and want to disable the other inputs. The Remote Eyes card features an auto gain control function, so when you only plug one camera in it will be white. Using this option to turn off the unused camera ports will allow you to see the video on the one camera that is connected.

Finally, to the far right are the **Display on/off** buttons, **I**. Whereas the camera on/off buttons turn off the input from the camera, the display on/off buttons only turn off the image displayed. Remember that this only turns off the image, and normal recording will occur. This will allow you to hide a camera so that people cannot see it.

# **Changing Camera Layout**



At the Remote Eyes Server, there are several **Camera Layouts** to choose from, all located at the right-hand side of the main Remote Eyes screen. You can choose between six different camera layouts. Some, however, can only be used with 8, 12, or 16 channels.

#### Some Other Camera Layouts



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#### Player



The Player is the component of Remote Eyes that lets you view previously recorded video clips. To start using the Player, click on **Run Player** on the right hand side of the main Remote Eyes screen .

After clicking the button, the Remote Eyes Player will come up on the screen.



The Remote Eyes Player comes configured to search all directories that are being recorded to. However, you have the choice of searching only directories you choose by clicking the checkmark on or off of the directories listed. If you have any other directories or servers that you want to look for clips on you can add them in the **Search Cabinets** box.

Search Cabinets	
☑Default ☑Server2	

To add a new cabinet or directory, click the New

Cabinet, ....., button. To add a new cabinet to

search in click on the **Add Cabinet** button and name the new cabinet. You can then add a new search directory to that cabinet by clicking on the

**New Search Directory** button and selecting the Video folder that you wish to add.

# NOTE: The new search directory will be added to the highlighted cabinet.

This feature allows you to use one player at a centralized location to view multiple servers' video clips.



By default, Remote Eyes records to D:\Video, but if you changed your default folder under **Disk Usage** at the Server (see above for more information), you'll need to specify whichever folder or folders you specified.

Any cabinets that you specified would now be listed in the **Search Directories** box in the upper left of the main player screen.

<ul> <li>January, 2003</li> </ul>						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
29	30	31	1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8

Next, using the calendar, select the day that you want to search for clips. The days that have clips stored for that day will be **BOLD**.

You will also need to enter a **Time Range** which you want to search for clips. You can choose any time of the day to search for clips or use the convenient buttons to search the **Last Hour** or **All Day**.

Select Time Range				
From	7:59:06 AM 🚖	Last Hour		
То	8:59:06 AM 🛬	All Day		

Select Char	nnels [	Select All	Clear All	
1	2	3	4	
5	6	7	8	
9	10	11	12	
13	14	<u> </u>	16	
Show only motion clips				

Now choose which cameras that you would like to review. You can choose a specific camera or use the button to **Select All** of the cameras. Here you can also decide whether or not you only want to look at motion clips by checking the box next to **Show only motion clips**.

After choosing all of your options, click the search button and a list of clips matching your criteria will be displayed so that you can review them. Double click the first clip that you want to review, and it will open and start playing.

Search P	Results	Search		ch
Date	Time	Ch	Site	<b>^</b>
1/24	16:02:02	2	MDET	
1/24	16:00:57	4	MDET	
1/24	16:00:28	2	MDET	
1/24	15:59:36	2	MDET	
1/24	15:57:57	4	MDET	
1/24	15:57:56	4		
1/24	15:57:56	2	MDET	
1/24	15:56:18	2	MDET	
1/24	15:56:10	4	MDET	
1/24	15:55:03	2	MDET	
1/24	15:54:25	1	MDET	
1/24	15:54:14	1	MDET	
1/24	15:53:34	2	MDET	

Now you should see the clip on the screen, and it will be playing. You can click **Pause** to pause the clip, **Fast Forward** to search the clip faster; you can also **Step Forward** and **Backward** frame by frame through the clip, as well as go to the **Previous** or **Next** clip. Or you can use the slider to search through the clip.



You will see that each clip has its own time and date stamp.

You can also right-click the clip you are reviewing and select **Double Size** to make the size of the clip larger.



#### **Smart Search**

This feature allows you to select an area within a clip to look for changes. The Player will look for changes in a pre-selected area and stop when there is a change in that section.

🗹 Smart Sea	rch	
Sensitivity	/:	
🔵 High	💿 Medium	OLow

When you check the **Smart Search** option, the cursor changes to a magnifying glass, and you can select a section of a clip, by clicking and dragging, in which Smart Search will look for changes.

You can select an area to watch by clicking and dragging the magnifying glass, and you will see a blue outline. This is the area that Smart Search will monitor for changes. When you click on the Smart Search

button that is located to the right of all of the playing buttons, the Smart Search will look for changes in that area and then stop when the first change occurs. When you click on the Smart Search button again the Player will stop on the next change.



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Other options for the Player are located in the tool bar at the top of the Player Screen.

Playback Mode	Single-channel	Multi-channel	₽ Search	🗃 Open	🔚 Save	🖨 Print	Nrchive	🚺 Help	💡 About	🔀 Exit
							-		-	

The **Multi-Channel** button is used for synchronized multi-channel playback. This is used for playback of all channels so that you may follow an event that occurs on multiple cameras. You can see an example below.



The **Open** button is used to open clips manually. This is used when opening clips from a CD or other location that is not included in your search directories.

The **Save** button is used to save the clip that you are currently viewing to another location. This is used to save videos either compressed, so that only the Remote Eyes Player can play them back, or uncompressed, so that any media player that will play an .avi file will play the clip back.

To print out the current frame of your clip, just choose the **Print** button. Please make sure you have a printer connected and installed before you try to print.

The **Archive** feature allows you to copy the current clip along with a copy of the Remote Eyes Player that you are currently using (single or Multi) onto a flash drive or formatted CD. In the multichannel Player all clips that are active, at that point of reference you are looking at, will be copied to the flash drive or CD. You can also highlight which clips you want from the Search Results list and copy those selections to the flash drive or CD as well. To format a CD, use NTI Dragon Disc format utility (included with all factory shipped systems), which will be explained later in Appendix A.

			<b>N</b>
3½ Floppy (A:)	Blank Disc (G:)	DVD Drive (H:)	Remova Disk (I:)
ĮA.J	Disc (G.J	(n.)	DISK (I.J

This dialog box shows the options you have to copy clips. You can choose the DVD-RW, Floppy, or Removable drive to archive your clips.

Clicking on **Help** • Help will bring up this manual, so that you will have easy access to it when you are working with the player.

The **About** button will bring up the version and build number of your Remote Eyes Player so that Odyssey Technologies, Inc. technical support staff will know better how to support you.



Finally, the **Exit** button **Exit** closes the Remote Eyes Player.

## **Multi-View Client**

The Remote Eyes® Multi-View Client is used for remote viewing of the Remote Eyes Server. The Client can view live and recorded video, as well as move PTZ cameras.

To install the Multi-View Client, insert your Remote Eyes CD in your client CD drive and wait for the install screen to appear. Then click on **Install Multi-View Client Software** and follow the prompts.



To Launch the Multi-View Client you will need to click on the **Start** menu, and then **Programs**, then, **Remote Eyes**, followed by **Multi-View Client**, and finally **Launch Multi-View Client**.

The first screen you will see is the Remote Eyes Splash Screen:



Followed by the main Multi-View Screen.

RemoteEyes Multi-View Client	
	Connections Composite
12/06/04 15:20:54	
	Run Player
	1234 Main Street [Disconnected]
	Warehouse # 6 [Disconnected]
	Remote Eyes Demo Server [Disconnected]     234 Main Street [Disconnected]     Warehouse # 6 [Disconnected]     Warehouse # 10[Disconnected]     Home [Disconnected]     Home [Disconnected]     AIRPORT [Disconnected]     Brazil [Disconnected]
	AIRPORT [Disconnected]
	🔄 🛃 Brazil [Disconnected]
	1 8 + 1 X
	Camera ?
	Remote Eyes
	Digital Video
	Surveillance

First, to the right of the screen you'll see the Connection Remote Eyes Demo Server [Disconnected] window. 1234 Main Street [Disconnected]
 Warehouse # 6 [Disconnected]
 Warehouse #1 [Disconnected]
 The Tavern [Disconnected]
 Home [Disconnected]
 AIRPORT [Disconnected] Brazil [Disconnected] 💋 🗲 🖉 X

This panel will show you your available connections once you set them up. To begin setting up a connection, click the button.

The Connection Information screen will appear.

## Making a New Connection

Connection Name:	Remote Eyes Demo Server
onnect Through	Login
TCP/IP Network Connection     Server's Host Name or IP Address	Remember User Name & Password
demo.remoteeyes.com	User Name
Port (2999 ~ 3499) 2999	demo
Telephone Connection	Password
Server's Telephone Number	
	Pre-5.7 Server

Connection Display Name:	Remote Eyes Demo Server

your Remote Eyes® Server. First type a name for your connection. You may want to choose a name that uniquely identifies this connection, especially if you are setting up a large number of connections.

Now you can enter the connection settings for

Under **Connect Through**, choose your connection method.

If you are connecting by IP over a LAN or cable modem, choose **TCP/IP Network Connection**, and enter the IP address for your Server. If you have changed the port that you connect through on your Remote Eyes server you will also need to change that port in this screen.

If you are connecting using a telephone modem, choose **Telephone Connection** and enter the Server's phone number. Please note that only one telephone connection is possible at a time.

Con	nect Through
۲	TCP/IP Network Connection
	Server's Host Name or IP Address
	demo.remoteeyes.com
	Port (2999 ~ 3499) 2999
0	Telephone Connection
	Server's Telephone Number

Next, if you would like Multi-View Client to store the **User Name** and **Password** needed to connect to the server, place a check next to **Remember User Name & Password**, and enter the appropriate information in the spaces provided. If you don't check the box, you'll be prompted to enter this information each time you connect.

As you can see the Password always appears as a series of asterisks, to keep people from learning your password by watching you enter it.

Login	
₽ F	lemember User Name & Password
	User Name
	demo
	Password

Pre-5.7 Server

Check this box if you are trying to connect to a server that has a version below 5.7. If this box is not checked you will get a username/password error.

Remote Eyes Demo Server [Disconnected] 1234 Main Street [Disconnected] Warehouse # 6 [Disconnected]

Now click **OK** to save your new connection. You'll see it listed in the connections window as **[Disconnected]**.

Just repeat this process to set up a connection listing for each server you want to connect to.

## **Managing your Connections**

Other than the **Connect** and **Disconnect** buttons, the Connections panel of Multi-View Client has several tools that you can use to manage your connections.

The **Edit Connection** button, *V*, this button lets you make changes to an existing connection.



, lets you remove an old or unused connection.

Also, note that all of your connections will be sorted in alphabetical order so that you can find your connections easier.

## **Connecting to a Remote Eyes Server**

Let's take another look at the Connections panel. To begin your connection, just highlight your newly

created connection and click the *button*. If you saved your User Name and Password in the connection setup, the Multi-View Client will attempt the connection immediately. If not, you will be asked to enter the Server's User Name and Password. After you do click **OK**.

The camera images for your server should appear once the connection has been established, and in the Connections panel, you will see this connection listed as **[Connected]**.



button

You can continue establishing connections, up to as many as possible based on your PC's performance up to 15.

12/07/04 14:35:21 Dunkin Donuts Coffee Beanery Burge	er King 👘
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After connecting to multiple servers, you can move between server views using the tabs at the top of the window. Its Connection Name identifies each server.

To disconnect from a server, just highlight the connection and click the 🎽

#### Viewing your Server

Each server view can be customized to meet your individual needs. For instance, you can select from nine different camera layouts.





A tenth option, **Scan**, can be used in conjunction with any of the other views that have one large display and several smaller ones. With Scan enabled, the smaller display images will switch out with the larger image at a set interval.

You can also arrange a server's cameras in whatever order you would like. To switch one camera with another, just right mouse-click on the position that you would like to switch, choose **Switch Camera** and then select the camera you want to switch it with.

Finally, you can also view your cameras in **Full Screen Mode**, which removes the server/camera menu from the right hand side of the screen.



To enter Full Screen Mode, click the **Full Screen** icon, located to the upper right of the camera display.



Now you will see your cameras at Full Screen size as shown below.



Note that you can still use the tabs at the top to switch between servers. To return to the normal view, click the reduce button in the upper right.

## **Settings and Features**

Once you're connected to a server or servers, there are a number of settings you can adjust using the Multi-View Client.



First is the

button, which launches the **Options & Settings** window.

The first tab is the **Display** tab. This allows to adjust the size of the images to better fit screen. It also allows you to generate smoother resized images.

Image Resize Mode	
<ul> <li>Resize image to fit (utilize hardware 2D acceleration)</li> </ul>	
Generate smoother resized image (require additional CPU power)	
N	

Options & Settings
Display Persistence Data Storage Alert Logs
Automatically re-establish connection(s) when program starts.
Remember last screen layout for each connection.
OK Cancel Apply

The next tab is the **Persistence** tab. Here you can automatically reestablish any previously used connections on startup and remember the layout you used the last time you were connected.

Options & Settings
Display Persistence Data Storage Alert Logs
Save downloaded clips to
D:\My Documents\Downloaded Video Browse
OK Cancel Apply

The third tab, **Data Storage**, lets you select where you'll save any video clips downloaded for the server. We will discuss this feature in more detail in **View Server Clips** on page 15.

The final tab, **Alert**, includes settings related to motion detection. With **Flash Channel Frame** enabled, a red frame will appear around any channel where motion has been detected at the server. You can also choose to have the PC speaker **Beep**, or to have the **Sound Siren** cause an audio alarm to sound when any motion detection is triggered at the server.

Options & Settings 🛛 🔀
Display Persistence Data Storage Alert Logs
When server motion detection is triggered:
Flash Channel Frame
Beep (through built-in PC speaker)
Sound siren (speakers required) Test
OK Cancel Apply

Please note that the Sound Siren feature requires speakers in order to function.

Options & Settings 🛛 🔀
Display Persistence Data Storage Alert Logs
Connection Tab Switching Enable Size (KB): 10 View
OK Cancel Apply

The **Logs** tab allows you to keep a log of each time a connection tab is switched in the Multiview Client software. You must check the **Enable** box to start logging these changes.

Once you have adjusted your settings, click **Apply** and then **OK** to close the window.



The Listen to Server and Talk to Server buttons, and and and allow two-way single-channel audio communications between the Multi-View Client and the Server you're currently viewing.



The View Server Logs button lets you view the Access and Event logs from the server.

Just like at the server, you can review archived video from the Remote Eyes client. To use this option, click on the **View Server Clips** button.



The following screen will appear...



Just like with the Remote Eyes Player, you will need to select the **Date**, **Time**, and **Camera(s)** that you want to search. Click on the **Search for clips** button and select from the list on the right which clips you want to look at.



Preview >

By clicking on the **server** button the client will allow you to view the first frame of a clip from a server. To stream the actual clip from the server you will need to use the controls below the image to begin playback. This will allow you to look at the video from the clip without downloading the entire clip. This helps to ensure that you have the correct clip before downloading it to your system. You can use the blue play button to start streaming the clip. Use the **Double** 

**size** checkbox to enlarge the image. You can also choose a low, medium or high frame rate for up to 30fps playback.

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00:10:	MDET	4	23040	
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00:11:	MDET	4	22528	
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You can also download the clips you have previewed to the remote PC. To do this simply highlight the clip or clips that you want to download and select **Download selected clip(s)**.

Download selected clip(s)

Once you have downloaded the clips the Player will open automatically and you will have all of the Player functions as if you were viewing clips on the server.

#### **PTZ Camera Control**

You can also control PTZ cameras from the Single-View Client. By clicking on the **Camera Tab** Camera you will change to the PTZ control screen.



With this option you will have all of the control over the PTZ camera that you would have at the Remote Eyes Server.

The following PTZ control may not be available depending on what type of PTZ camera you have.



The power button will turn the camera on and off.



The backlight button will allow you to turn the backlight on or off if your camera supports this option.



The menu buttons will allow you to access the on-screen camera menu and navigate through that menu.



The effects buttons will allow you to choose if you would like a mono (black and white) image or a negative image. These will only work if your camera supports these options.

You also have the option to set up to 16 different preset positions for the camera to go to.









And you can zoom out with the Wide button





And you can focus far with the Far button

You can also use Auto Focus



if your camera supports this option.



You can use these buttons to move your cameras.

\*Note that servers a multi-user, so PTZ control is shared. Inability to control a camera may be due to another user having control\*

\*If you receive errors while trying to control cameras, please contact your system administrator\*

# **Creating a Composite Layout**

After establishing connections to multiple Remote Eyes Servers, you may want to view select cameras from each server, all on one screen. To do so, you can create a **Composite Layout**.



your new composite layout as well as choose Single or Multiple Monitors for up to 32 camera viewing at the same time.

New Composite Information				
Composite Layout Name:	New Composite 1			
Layout Mode		1		
<ul> <li>Single-monitor</li> </ul>	O Multiple-monitor			
		, 		
OK	Cancel			

# Please Note: 32 Camera Viewing is only available with Multiple Monitors – for more information on using multiple monitors please contact Odyssey Technical Support.

Once you have named your composite layout, you will see a new tab at the top of your screen with the name of the composite that you just created.

12/07/04 15:47:28	Dunkin Donuts	Coffee Beanery	Dairy Queen	Front Doors



The next step is to add cameras. You can do this by right-clicking on the screen and select which connection and which cameras you would like to have on the screen. Single Monitor setups will allow for 16 cameras while multiple screens will allow up to 32 cameras. To remove a camera, right-click the camera and select **Remove**.

Note that once you have created a composite

layout, it will be saved, and you can connect to it at any time that you wish.

#### **About Remote Eyes Multi-view Client**



If you need to see the version information about you Multi-View Client, click on the **Remote Eyes Logo** in the lower right hand corner of the software.

You will see the **About** window. Along with the software version, you will also see contact information for technical support.



# **Remote Eyes Admin Client**

The Remote Eyes Admin Client is designed to be able to change all of the settings on a Remote Eyes Server from a remote location.

To install the Admin Client, insert your Remote Eyes CD into the CD drive of your client workstation and wait for the install screen to appear. Then click on **Install Admin Client Software** and follow the prompts.



To Launch the Admin Client, you will need to click on the **Start** menu, and then **Programs**, then, **Remote Eyes**, followed by **Admin Client**, and finally **Launch Admin Client**.

The first screen you will see is the Remote Eyes Splash Screen:



Followed by the Admin Client screen.

🍓 Remote Eyes Admin Client -		_ 🗆 🗙
Configure View Help		
		Connect
System is not armed	Not connected.	NUM

To connect to a Remote Eyes Server you will need to click on the **Connect** button.



After clicking on the connect button you will see a box that will allow you to enter your **Username** and **Password** along with the Phone Number or IP address of the system that you are trying to connect to.

Connect To
Username demo
Password XXXX
Connect Using
C Phone Number Modem
IP Hostname Port (3500~3999, or 2997)     2997
C Direct Connect Select
Connect Phone Book Cancel

You will also need to specify the port you are using if you have changed that on the Remote Eyes server.

You can also add different servers into the **Phone Book** so that you can easily connect to all of your locations. Once you have connected to your Server, you will be able to change almost every system setting on the Remote Eyes Server. The only exception to this is that you will not be able to set the motion detection grid for the Server.

	<u>S</u> ystem Settings Frame Rate	The <b>Configure</b> button will allow you to change the <b>System Settings</b> , adjust the <b>Frame Rate</b> , and configure your <b>Switches</b> and <b>Relays</b> .
	S <u>w</u> itches	From this menu you can also <b>Run</b> the <b>Player</b> .
$\ _{-}$	Rela <u>v</u> s	Your <b>Local Settings</b> can also be changed, such as where you want to store downloaded clips, if you want the siren to sound when there is
	Local Settings	motion, and also to configure your modem.
	<u>M</u> aintenance	
	Run <u>P</u> layer	
	Exit	

Another button on the configure menu is the **Maintenance** button. This button will allow you to **Restart** the Server **Software** or to **Reboot** the Server **Computer**.

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	Restart Software
	Reboot Computer
	Close

Server <u>A</u> ccess Log Server <u>E</u> vent Log Server <u>V</u> ideo Clip	The View menu will allow you to view your Server Access Log and Server Event Log. This is the same, as you would see if you were sitting at the Server. You also have to option to view clips from the server you are connected to by clicking on Server Video Clip.
S <u>w</u> itch Status Rela <u>y</u> Panel Control <u>B</u> ars 🌒	You can also access the <b>Switch Status</b> and <b>Relay Panel</b> to check on Switches and Relays at the Server. You can also View the <b>Control Bars</b> for the server site and adjust settings for that.

\*\*PLEASE NOTE: The motion detection grid cannot be changed from the Admin Client\*\*

Update <u>L</u>icense ...

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User <u>M</u>anual <u>A</u>bout ... The last menu is the **Help** menu. You can **Update** the Server **License** from here. Or you can access this **User Manual** from this menu. You can also click on **About** to find out what version of the software you are using.

#### Getting Technical Support

Have a question about Using Remote Eyes? Odyssey Technologies, Inc. is committed to providing superior Technical Support. If you need help setting up or using Remote Eyes, don't hesitate to give us a call or email us.

So that we can better assist you, please have the following information available.

- A complete description of the problem, including any error message you've received and instruction for how to duplicate the problem
- The version of Remote Eyes you are using (found under the About button)
- The serial number of the server.

Here is how to reach us:

#### By US Mail

Odyssey Technologies, Inc. 14504 Greenview Dr, Suite 100 Laurel, MD 20708 Attn: Technical Support

#### **By Telephone**

301-256-0000

**By Fax** 301-362-9704

By Email support@remoteeyes.com

#### Web Page

http://www.remoteeyes.com

NOTE: Technical Support Hours are 9:00A.M. – 5:00P.M. EST Monday-Friday

Appendix A

#### Using Dragon Disc to Format a CD

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The Remote Eyes Player uses a DVD/CD formatted with NTI Dragon Disc. The **Burn CD** feature of the Player allows clips and a copy of the Player to be sent to the DVD-R drive for backup of important clips such as break-ins and robberies.



After inserting a blank CD you will need to right-click on the Dragon Disc icon next to the system clock on your task bar.

Format
Write Protect

By Right-Clicking on the icon you will see a menu that will give you the option to **Format**. You will need to click on this option to format a disc so that clips can be burned from the player.

Eject Disc

About

🧭 Format Disc	
G: Memorex DVD16+/-DL	.4RWID2 JWS5 🛛 🔽
- Format Types	
Quick format     Full format	Begin Close Help
Label: VAT 426-142957	
Options	]
💿 UDF 1.50	O UDF 2.00
O UDF 2.50	O UDF 2.60
Verify after format	

From this screen you can choose the label that you want the disc to have, such as the date of clips you are recording. After you have chosen a label you can then click on **Begin** to start the formatting.



If your disc has formatted successfully you will see this dialog box.

Once you have finished adding clips with the Remote Eyes player you will need to right click the same icon on the task bar and select eject. Once you select eject you will get at dialog box that asks what you want to do. You will need to choose Close Disc so that the DVD/CD can be read on another computer.

What do you w	ant to do ?		
Close Disc	Eject Disc	Cancel	

## Appendix B

## **Dealer Splash Page**

Dealers can add a customizable splash screen to any Remote Eyes software to display contact information from them. This allows you to put your contact information into the **About** screen so that your customers can contact you.

To do this, create a 16-bit color bitmap image that is 480x128 and name it "dealer.bmp". Place this file in the Remote Eyes software directory that you want it to appear in, and your information will appear in the top portion of the **About** screen.

123 Main Street Fa:	K: 555-5678
Anytown, USA 12345 Eff	ail: support@mycompany.com

\*\* This will work with Remote Eyes Server, MultiView Client, and Admin Client\*\*

#### EXAMPLES:

Remote Eyes Server: C:\Program Files\Remote Eyes\Server Multi-View Client: C:\Program Files\Remote Eyes\Multi-View Client Admin Client: C:\Program Files\Remote Eyes\Admin Client