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ICS is pleased to confirm a successful tender win with the Singapore National Parks Board (NParks). In collaboration with our Singapore partner NEC, we will provide our biodiversity and parks management software product, Parks-Tracker, together with our knowledge management module, Knowledge-Share.

As a packaged solution, combining Parks-Tracker and Knowledge-Share will provide NParks with a powerful application which will satisfy all of their requirements.

NParks maintains a total of 9,547.2 hectares, including 314 parks and recreation areas. These areas include park connectors, neighbourhood parks and regional parks and recreation areas.

NParks is Singapore's ambassador of biodiversity. One of the aims of NParks is to promote Singapore's botanical and horticultural expertise on the world stage. Through their efforts in conservation, they aim to achieve a healthy balance between the nation's economic goals and the management of their natural treasures. Parks-Tracker will allow them to achieve this by:

- enhancing the management of parks development projects and maintenance of parks, roadside greenery and vacant statelands;
- facilitating the management of plant inventory and monitoring of enforcement cases;
- facilitating the sharing of common park and park-related information within and outside NParks and external organizations; and
- improving the processing time for regulatory checking of plans and application submission by implementing the computer-assisted plan-checking system for NParks.

ICS' Knowledge-Share will enable users to work together by sharing and viewing their knowledge in one central place, which will bring the public, private and people sectors together who are now working more closely than ever to elevate Singapore's position as a global City in a Garden.

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