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# **NEWS RELEASE**

# Audiovox Module Turns Any Factory Keyless Entry into a Security/Remote Start System

Industry first is 2011 CEA Innovation Honoree Award Winner

LAS VEGAS – January 5, 2011 – International CES, Center Hall, Booth 10406-10418 – Audiovox Corporation (NASDAQ: VOXX) today announced the introduction of the industry's first upgrade module that turns a basic factory keyless entry system into a vehicle security and remote start system. There is no separate security or remote start system required and what's best no additional keychain transmitter is required. Simply use the existing keyless entry transmitter to control the security and remote start features as well.

"Through its family of security brands, Prestige, Pursuit, Audiovox and Code Alarm, Audiovox has long been a leader in the remote start/security category. That leadership has been driven by innovation and this newest system is one of the most innovative yet," said Tom Malone, President of Audiovox Electronics Corp. "The AS9233ST works with most factory OE system especially those that use the embedded key/transmitter system for keyless entry. The integration is seamless and allows for one transmitter to manage all systems....keyless entry, vehicle security and remote start."



The ASP233ST will accept up to 4 remote transmitters, comes with a glass mount antenna with built-in LED lights and valet switch. It has a dual stage shock sensor (lite touch – full touch), starter interrupt output with relay included, onboard relay for flashing lights and start confirmation with parking light flash. The factory keyless upgrade input allows the factory

transmitter to control the remote start and security features. Example- arm the security system by pressing the "Lock" button of the factory transmitter and disarm the security system by pressing "Unlock". Remote start the vehicle using the same factory transmitter by following a preprogrammed activation sequence. This system also comes with (2) one-button StartStick transmitters that allow for extended range use (beyond the range of the factory keyless transmitter) Manufacturer's Suggested Retail Price (MSRP): \$279.99. Available now.

Malone concluded, "We believe this new system with its innovative functionality and features continues to demonstrate our commitment to remaining a category leader. It will give our dealers the opportunity to upgrade their customers with a quick solution that solves the problem of two transmitters, especially in those vehicles where the key is imbedded in the keyless entry transmitter."

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