



LE TARGETS HIGH SPEED POWER GENERATION APPLICATIONS

January 30th 2004, Indianapolis, IN – Light Engineering (LE) announced today that it has been working in collaboration with major gas turbine manufacturers to implement the LE GenSmart™ products into new direct drive turbine applications.

“All those familiar with LE have been aware of our overwhelming advantage in high speed rotating machine applications. Today LE is able to confirm that we have been working in collaboration with gas turbine manufacturers to exploit these advantages in power generation applications,” said Martyn Furnish, LE’s VP of Power Generation.

“The LE value proposition in these applications is very, very significant when it comes to size, weight, and cost reduction. Our clients are very pleased with the results and I believe these advantages will come to be known in time,” said Mathew Johnston, LE’s CEO.

LE has developed and markets the industry’s leading rotating machine technology for permanent magnet motors and generators. Our technology enables the LE GenSmart™ generators and SmartTorq™ motors that LE commercially sells today, and also is the building block for various new applications to come. The application of LE technology allows for greatly reduced machine sizes and active material contents, and thus has proven to be the cost leader in permanent magnet applications of 2 – 200 kW. LE is headquartered in Indianapolis, Indiana, USA, and has manufacturing operations in the Guangdong Province of China.

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