



Light Engineering Announces Formation of China Business Unit

November 1st 2006, Indianapolis, IN – Light Engineering (LE) announced today that it has begun forming a new business unit to be named Light Engineering – China. This unit will be headquartered in Guangzhou, China, with manufacturing operations throughout central China. “This is a great step forward for LE in the marketplace, as we have anticipated this for quite a while now,” said Matt Johnston, President-CEO.

“We have our initial management team in place and will continue to grow it aggressively. This group will focus on two primary areas, the first being machine manufacturing, and the second being sales and business development. The LE machine technology has reached its commercialization phase, and transferring these operations to China has been in our business plan since day one. Our sales in China have grown with surprising strength, and the overall business development pipeline is very impressive. We have many clients and ‘soon-to-be’ clients in Asia; it will likely be our largest growth area in the future and the time has come to step into the larger game,” Johnston went on to say.

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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