



LE Becomes Technology Provider to Marathon Electric for Green High Efficiency Generators

LE and Marathon Electric Finalize Distribution and License Agreement

For Immediate Release – June 18, 2009, Indianapolis, IN – Light Engineering (LE), the worldwide leader in amorphous iron electric motors and generators for permanent magnet rotating machine applications, has named Marathon Electric Generators (Marathon), a division of Regal Beloit Corporation (NYSE:RBC), the exclusive distributor of LE's advanced auxiliary power unit FR-10 for fire and rescue applications. LE has also declared Marathon to be a non-exclusive distributor of all other LE power generation products in North America. In connection with the agreement, LE has also granted Marathon a non-exclusive license to LE's patents covering amorphous iron rotating machine technology for Marathon's use in manufacture and distribution of LE power generation products.

LE's cutting edge amorphous iron technology is perfectly suited for variable speed applications that allow for tremendous energy savings through more efficient machines and systems. The LE technology, protected by 21 United States and several international patents, yields the following benefits:

- The highest power density available in the industry - increased power for the same machine size and active material content.
- A net increase in machine efficiency.
- Reduced cost for a given power requirement.

"By leveraging Marathon's strong market positions, their commitment to provide first quality products, and their expert technical service team that is focused on assisting customers, LE is proud to have Marathon represent LE's technology to the powergen industry," said Mathew Johnston, president and CEO of LE. "We are honored by Marathon's commitment to LE's technology, and we look forward to working with them, as well as future licensees, to realize LE's mission to proliferate more energy efficient solutions which we hope will contribute to a cleaner world."

In addition to the FR-10 power generation system, Marathon's plans include wider introduction of LE technology to its valuable customer base. "I believe LE's technology is the most positive disruptive technology the electric powergen industry has seen in my twenty-plus years in it," remarked Ray Kacvinsky, Vice President - Power Generation, Marathon Electric. For example, Marathon has recently introduced LE technology to a major US class 7 truck manufacturer in a joint effort to augment the power generation capabilities of trucks within this company's brands.

About LE

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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