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VCC Acquires Indication and Illumination Product Lines from ChML

Latest Acquisition Makes VCC the Largest Global Supplier of LED Indication Solutions

POWAY, CA (July 19, 2012) — VCC Optoelectronics, LLC (VCC), a pioneer in the development and delivery of today’s most high performance and innovative LED indication solutions, has purchased the complete Indication and Illumination product lines, as well as their related patents and intellectual property, from Chicago Miniature Lighting, LLC (ChML). Working with light since 1910, ChML is a worldwide supplier of miniature lighting components and LED solutions for a wide range of markets and applications. With this latest acquisition, VCC is now the largest global supplier of LED indication solutions.

“The ChML products possess outstanding brand equity and are highly complementary additions to our already diverse line of innovative indication solutions,” said Andy Zanelli, CEO of VCC. “We look forward to introducing our customers to these new product lines, as well as to building relationships with ChML’s customers.”

Andrew Dumke, Chairman of VCC, stated, “ChML’s distributors and OEM customers can expect exceptional product quality from VCC, as well as consistent on-time delivery, drastically shorter lead times, and a pipeline of innovative new products and services. The new product lines run a broad spectrum of solutions and include panel mount indicators, light pipes, based LEDs, circuit

board indicators, LED modules, incandescent lamps, neon lamps, lamp sockets and lenses, light engines, and discrete LEDs.”

Peter Shoemaker, Managing Director of Wedbush Capital Partners, said, “We are excited to have completed VCC’s second add-on acquisition in 2012. These acquisitions have more than doubled the size of the business and have cemented VCC’s status as the industry leader in LED indication. VCC’s investors and management team remain committed to continued growth.”

Debt financing for this acquisition was provided by Lars Hens at California Bank & Trust.

About VCC

VCC Optoelectronics, based in Poway, California, is a pioneer in the development and delivery of today’s most high-performance and innovative LED panel indication and illumination solutions. With nearly 40 years of experience, VCC and its distributors serve customers all over the world. Whether providing an off-the-shelf product or developing a solution through its custom design services, VCC delivers faster and at a lower cost than the competition. VCC—it lights up your design. VCC is owned and supported by Wedbush Capital Partners and CloudBreak Capital. Learn more at www.vcclite.com.

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