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Wedbush Capital Partners Announces Acquisition of Innovative Extrusions, LLC by Portfolio Company ExtruMed, LLC

Precision tubing solutions company expands range of catheter based delivery systems used in minimally invasive, interventional and implantable therapies with Innovative Extrusions

LOS ANGELES, Calif., (Sept 3, 2008) – Wedbush Capital Partners is pleased to announce that portfolio company ExtruMed, LLC has acquired Innovative Extrusions, LLC of Livermore, CA. Innovative Extrusions is a rapid response extrusion center of excellence specializing in catheter balloon, shaft and multi-lumen tubing. The addition of Innovative Extrusions to ExtruMed's existing business platform expands the company's capabilities and presence in the vibrant Northern California medical device design and development community.

ExtruMed's COO, Apur Lathiya, commented, "The addition of Innovative Extrusions extends ExtruMed's market leadership as a provider of precision extrusions to the medical device industry. Innovative Extrusions will further strengthen ExtruMed's focus and support for the medical device OEM across the entire product lifecycle continuum, from design prototyping through high volume supply chain management."

ExtruMed specializes in precision catheter tubing extrusions for critical applications, including: vascular intervention catheter and balloon tubing for coronary, peripheral, and neurovascular products; electrostimulation implant tubing for cardiac rhythm management, neuromodulation, and pain control leads and endosurgery catheter tubing for gastroenterology, urology, ob/gyn, neuro, cardiac and other surgical applications.

Clarence Williams, founder of Innovative Extrusions, will remain with the combined company in the role of Plant Manager. He commented, "I am pleased to be part of this exciting growth opportunity with ExtruMed. Both companies share a common commitment to innovation, customer solutions and focus on custom thermoplastic extrusions for the medical device industry. We look forward to leveraging our respective customer relationships and expanding our range of solutions for our customers."

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Innovative Extrusions will now be known as ExtruMed Livermore. ExtruMed will be presenting the new addition, ExtruMed Livermore, at the BIOMEDevice, San Jose McEnery Convention Center on September 10 & 11, 2008.

About ExtruMed

ExtruMed LLC provides precision tubing solutions for catheter based delivery systems used in minimally invasive, interventional and implantable therapies. The Company serves a diverse customer base including many of the world's leading medical device OEMs and high-profile venture-backed medical device companies. The Company offers a complete range of tubing services including design, engineering, material selection, prototyping, volume manufacturing and supply chain management. For more information visit <http://www.extrumed.com>.

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