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**Intelligent Micro Patterning, LLC, Announces Sale of SF-100 to
Life Sciences, Inc.**

Intelligent Micro Patterning, LLC, announced the sale of an SF-100 maskless photolithography system to Life Sciences, Inc., of St. Petersburg, Florida. The system is manufactured by IMP and utilizes Smart Filter technology licensed from the University of South Florida. This technology incorporates advanced micro-optical techniques to project master images directly onto quartz and polymeric substrates without the use of photomasks. The system sold to Life Sciences is expected to be used for development of advanced microfluidic arrays for detection and identification of nucleic acid sequences and other biomolecules with significance in human health care, environmental testing and bioterrorism defense.

Dr. Jay Sasserath, the Company's Chief Executive Officer, stated, "This sale is very important to Intelligent Micro Patterning. In addition to providing the SF-100 system to Life Sciences, Intelligent Micro Patterning will provide a wide range of expert knowledge in thin film processing, materials science, and manufacturing technology to Life Sciences." Combining this know how with Life Sciences' expertise in molecular biology and immunology, the SF-100 exposure tool will be used to fabricate prototypes of advanced diagnostic and bioanalytical devices for Life Science's own use and as a contract service to other producers of clinical and environmental diagnostic products.

Alex Burns, Chief Operating Officer of Life Sciences, added, "The SF-100 system is an ideal photopolymer processing tool for our company. Its use will allow us to rapidly prototype and fabricate intricate microfluidic devices from a variety of biocompatible materials to support our proven NASBA isothermal nucleic acid amplification technology and a broad array of immunochemistry reactions. The resulting devices will enable Life Sciences to accelerate its introduction of low cost, nucleic acid based diagnostic tests for HIV and other diseases for sale largely in international markets. Such devices will also advance our plans to introduce highly sensitive tests to detect environmental pathogens."

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