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Mechanical Products Company Headquarters

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MAJOR HEADLINE

Leading manufacturer of thermal circuit protection expands Midwest market coverage

JACKSON, MI, September 18, 2009 - Mechanical Products Company (MP) today announced the appointment of Vector Design Technology as its representative for Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Northwest Wisconsin, Iowa, Missouri, Nebraska, Southern Illinois, and Kansas. Vector Design Technology will be responsible for the sale and support of Mechanical Products thermal protectors and circuit breakers.

Eric Gefvert, Regional Sale Manager, said "A ten year relationship is in place with this manufacturer's representative firm that is strong in selling electronic components. The team of Sales Engineers is well equipped to service the OEM market while working with the local distribution channel partners. Proven results are in place, new results for MP will occur. Vector Design Technology will lead the way for MP to become a stronger organization."

About Mechanical Products

MP has been a leading supplier of thermal circuit protection since 1943. MP circuit breakers are used in thousands of critical & commercial applications ranging from medical equipment, lighting, communications, appliances, battery operated devices, recreational vehicles and electrical protection equipment. MP has been management owned since 1998, headquartered in Jackson, MI and maintains manufacturing capabilities in the US and overseas.

About Vector Design Technology

Founded in 1988, Vector Design Technology has many long-term relationships with its customers, and maintains over 190 years combined experience in representative sales. VDT provides a highly motivated, technically competent team dedicated to sales and service with experience in semiconductors, passive components, electromechanical products and sub-systems.

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