

NEWS RELEASE

OMNITEK ENGINEERING RECEIVES INTERNATIONAL CERTIFICATION FOR HIGH-PRESSURE NATURAL GAS FILTER

SAN MARCOS, CA — January 11, 2010 — Omnitek Engineering Corporation (OMTK) today announced it has received international certification for its high-pressure compressed natural gas filter based on tests conducted by an independent agency and standards sanctioned by the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe, specifically UN-ECE-110R.

“The certification of our filter represents an important market expansion opportunity, with potential customers that include numerous internationally recognized original equipment manufacturers offering light and heavy duty vehicles powered by CNG – such as automobiles, buses and trucks,” said Werner Funk, president and chief executive officer of Omnitek Engineering Corporation.

He noted that India-based Tata Motors is one of the company’s current customers utilizing the compressed natural gas filter as an original equipment part. “The filter is a critical component of a compressed natural gas system, providing protection from solid particulate matter and oil aerosols which can damage fuel injections, carburetors and regulators. In addition to Tata, numerous OEM customers report superior performance from Omnitek’s multi-layer filter element over competing brands and we look forward to expanding our customer base with this international certification,” Funk said.

He noted that industry sources estimate there are approximately 11.0 million light and heavy duty vehicles operating worldwide on compressed natural gas, with at least one million more vehicles being added each year.

About Omnitek Engineering Corporation

Omnitek Engineering Corp. develops and sells new natural gas engines, as well as proprietary diesel-to-natural gas conversion systems -- providing global customers with innovative alternative energy and emissions control solutions that are sustainable, affordable and designed to combat global warming.

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