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**LINEAR ELECTRONIC MANUFACTURING SERVICES HIRES PRODUCTION MANAGER IN
ANTICIPATION OF CONTINUED GROWTH IN 2012**

Colorado Springs, CO (November 16, 2011) – Linear Electronic Manufacturing Services has hired Michael Lovell to fill the position of Production Manager to streamline processes in anticipation of continued growth through the end of the year and into fiscal year 2012. Lovell is responsible for overseeing Linear’s production, process engineering, and general facilities operations.

Lovell has a proven record of accomplishment working with electronic manufacturing organizations. Prior to joining Linear, he served as a consultant with APEX systems in Denver implementing cost effective projects utilizing quality and inventory control, scheduling and performance planning and budget development. Lovell holds a degree in Technical Management from Regis University.

J. Palace, President, Linear, says, “Michael is a very well respected professional who is filling a much needed void in our operation. We have experienced significant growth over the last year and it is now time to ‘step up our game’ to continue that growth pattern as well as streamline our production and operations. We believe Michael will help enable the organization to meet and surpass our 2012 financial and manufacturing goals.”

Linear Manufacturing has been based in Colorado Springs for 17 years. Linear manufactures printed electronic circuit board assemblies’ and serves clients in many market segments for original equipment manufacturers (OEM’s) including water treatment controllers, electronic engineering, and medical devices.

Linear has increased its workforce by 25% over the last ten months. With Lovell’s leadership and expertise, that number will increase in 2012.

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