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**LINEAR MANUFACTURING PROMOTES
SCOT GOSSAGE TO DIRECTOR OF DEVELOPMENT**

Colorado Springs, CO (February 2, 2012) – Linear Manufacturing has promoted Scot Gossage to Director of Business Development. Utilizing his 30 years of experience in the electronics contract business, Gossage will oversee all sales and marketing efforts as well as serve as project manager and customer liaison for new Linear customers.

A Colorado Springs native, Gossage began his career as a production manager with Colorado Manufacturing Technology in 1978. Over the years, he has learned many facets of the electronics manufacturing business including program management, estimating, proposals, and contract negotiations. Throughout his career, he has been given increasing responsibilities and has been rewarded with promotions in various companies including SCI Systems, Sanmina-SCI, Peak Contract Manufacturing and Actall Corporation.

J. Palace, President, Linear, says, “Scot knows our business from the bottom-up. He is well informed about the trends in our industry and he brings not only hands-on experience and knowledge, but the professional contacts Linear needs to get us to the next level in our organization. I value his input and insight and I look forward to having Scot help Linear grow in the next few years.”

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