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Market Close Ceremony Remarks
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Energy Conversion Devices, Inc. (NNM:ENER)
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Good Afternoon.

I am pleased to welcome Bob Stempel, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, and Stan Ovshinsky, Founder, President and Chief Technology Officer, of Energy Conversion Devices.

Founded over forty years ago, Energy Conversion Devices is a technology, product development and manufacturing company engaged in the invention, engineering, development and commercialization of new materials, products and production technology in the fields of alternative energy technology and information technology.

Through the pioneering efforts of the company's principal scientist and inventor, Stan Ovshinsky, Energy Conversion Devices now holds 383 U.S. patents and 686 foreign patents covering basic material compositions, product applications, and manufacturing processes. The company has established a leadership role in the development of proprietary materials, products and production technology used in solar, battery, hydrogen and fuel cell energy solutions, as well as in the phase-change optical and electrical memories.

NASDAQ has always been a major supporter of innovative visionaries, and is proud to provide the platform for companies such as Energy Conversion Devices to raise capital. It is particularly important for NASDAQ to remain a key driver of global capital formation so companies can continue to develop new products and technologies that will benefit us all. Your work in alternative energy and information technologies impacts the lives of millions around the world. We salute you for your important achievements and look forward to an enduring partnership.

Bob and Stan, I'd like to congratulate you and the entire ECD Ovonics team and wish you continued success.

Please join me in welcoming Bob Stempel and Stan Ovshinsky.