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## Orion Energy Systems Partners with Curtis Stout to Increase Market Presence in Mid-South

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MANITOWOC, Wis.--(BUSINESS WIRE)-- [Orion Energy Systems, Inc. \(Nasdaq: OESX\)](#), a leading designer and manufacturer of high-performance, energy-efficient retrofit lighting platforms, today announced Curtis Stout will represent all Orion lighting products in the mid-south region of the US as of August 19, 2015.

Curtis Stout will serve as the company's representative to increase Orion's market presence in Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi and the greater Memphis area.

"Orion sets the highest standards for its partners. It is truly a pleasure to now be represented by this respected firm in the mid-south who shares our a strong commitment to creating an exceptional customer experience," said John Scribante, Chief Executive Officer of Orion Energy Systems. "I am delighted our customers, resellers and distribution partners will now enjoy responsive local support and the highest caliber service from this regional leader. Together we will deliver trusted lighting solutions that accelerate energy savings and increase performance for our retrofit customers."

"The Orion team is unique in the industry, dedicated to serving an underserved market through clever retrofit products and practical expertise," said Ron Smith, President and CEO of Curtis Stout. "Our partnership will enhance Curtis Stout's breadth and depth of knowledge as we represent complete lighting retrofit solutions to our customers."

### About Orion Energy Systems

Orion is leading the transformation of commercial and industrial buildings with state-of-the-art energy efficient lighting systems and retrofit lighting solutions. Orion manufactures and markets a cutting edge portfolio of products encompassing LED Solid-State Lighting and high intensity fluorescent lighting. Many of Orion's 100+ granted patents and pending patent applications relate to lighting systems that provide exceptional optical and thermal performance, which drive financial, environmental, and work-space benefits for a wide variety of customers in the retrofit markets.

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