Truck-Lite Acquires Lumitec, LLC

Lumitec brings more than 10 years of leadership in the marine lighting industry to the Truck-Lite portfolio.

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Falconer, **N.Y.** – Truck-Lite Co., LLC, a worldwide leader in heavy-duty and off-road lighting, telematics, engine protection, safety and visibility systems, has announced the acquisition of Lumitec LLC, a premier supplier of LED lighting for the marine industry.

"Lumitec's reputation speaks for itself as one of the most trusted lighting suppliers among both boat OEMs and end users," said Brian Kupchella, Truck-Lite CEO. "Combining Lumitec and Truck-Lite allows us to take advantage of each other's distribution networks and share technology, helping Truck-Lite to expand into different markets while staying true to our core business."

Founded in 2007, Lumitec supplies deck, underwater, interior, navigation and specialty lighting to more than 250 boat builders worldwide. A frequent winner of innovation and supplier-performance awards, Lumitec has been named to Inc. Magazine's fastest-growing private businesses list for seven consecutive years. In addition to its marine lighting, Lumitec offers a line of LED lighting for commercial vehicles. John Kujawa, the company's founder and president, will continue to lead the business. "We see in Truck-Lite a partner with a strong philosophical alignment combined with deep technical resources and a massive market presence. We couldn't be more excited about our partnership," Kujawa said. "Our relationship with Truck-Lite expands our sales reach, broadens our access to suppliers and technologies and strengthens our ability to achieve our overarching goal of delivering exceptional value to our customers."

Both Truck-Lite and Lumitec proudly design, engineer and manufacture their products in the USA. Lumitec is based in Delray Beach, Florida.

Since its founding in 2007, Lumitec LLC has gone from a small startup to a market-leading, international LED lighting manufacturer. Today, Lumitec is known for its innovative lighting solutions used on the finest boats and yachts in the world and is recognized for its commitment to high performance and failsafe reliability.