



Press Release

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Multiwave Photonics transfers selected products, technologies, assets and business to its sister company MWTechnologies



Multiwave Photonics has entered into an agreement with its sister company MWTechnologies, and the following low power products, technologies and business, including relevant assets, have been transferred to MWTechnologies to enable the company to pursue the corresponding business opportunities on an exclusive basis.

- Single-Mode Fiber Laser Modules (SM, L)
- ASE Broadband and Narrowband Sources
- Er and Yb Optical Amplifiers
- Compact Laser Diode Driver

Founded in 2003, Multiwave Photonics (www.multiwavephotonics.com) is a well reputed manufacturer of optical fiber sources, with special emphasis to pulsed fiber lasers. The company have been addressing a broad market range with its full line of products, such as materials processing, LIDAR/LADAR, remote sensing, imaging and instrumentation.

José R. Salcedo, founder and majority shareholder of Multiwave Photonics, SA, stated "This transfer will allow the completion of the ongoing restructuring of Multiwave Photonics. From this moment on, Multiwave Photonics will become a contract R&D company focusing on high power fiber lasers and fiber-based devices. For the low power and single-mode fiber based module products, its previous manufacturing capabilities have been transferred to MW Technologies, and for the high power MOPA pulsed fiber laser products they have been transferred to Datalogic S.P.A. We are pleased to have concluded this process and we are certain that the former Multiwave module business will be in the best possible hands for the future."

Miguel Melo, co-founder of MWTechnologies, recognizes that "the conclusion of this agreement enables an immediate entrance into the market with a range of products with internationally proven quality and reliability. As former leading scientists and engineers of Multiwave Photonics, MWTechnologies' team already possesses a deep knowledge of all products making possible a quick and smooth transition that enables a continuous response to all Multiwave customers. In parallel, MWTechnologies is engaged with several new projects and is in constant product development to fulfill specific customer requirements. We are grateful to Multiwave for making it possible and to Dr. Salcedo by its full cooperation and support in all this process."

For more information about MWTechnologies and its line of products please visit the company's website www.mw-technologies.com.