



Press Release

Science-Based Industrial Park, Hsinchu, Taiwan, Apr. 16 2008 -- FOCI Fiber Optic Communications, Inc. announced today that it's Performance Verification Laboratory Located in Shanghai is accredited to ISO/IEC 17025:2005 by TAF (Taiwan Accreditation Foundation) for it's fiber optical component testing service.

The ISO 17025 : 2005 standard is the international standard for calibration and testing laboratories. Accredited laboratories must demonstrate that they operate according to a Quality System that covers all processes, documentation and a Quality Management System and that they generate technically valid results taking into account equipments, procedures and personnel.

TAF is a signatory to International Laboratory Accreditation Cooperation (ILAC) Arrangements as wells as Asia Pacific Laboratory Accreditation Cooperation (APLAC) Mutual Recognition Arrangements (MRA). As a result of theses international arrangements, a FOCI testing services test report based on the ISO/IEC 17025 standard is accepted between countries in which the TAF MRA partners represent, such as: A2LA (United States of America), JAB(Japan), SCC(Canada), NATA (Australia), etc.

About Performance Verification Laboratory

Established in Shanghai location since 2005 and approved by Verizon in September 2006, under its Independent Testing Laboratory (ITL) program, to perform witness testing of FOCI's fiber optic components (FOC). This testing will be conducted in accordance with Telcordia's Generic Requirements for Singlemode Optical Connectors and Jumper Assemblies – GR-326-CORE.

Examples of the testing include: temperature/humidity tests (thermal cycle, humidity aging, impact etc.), mechanical tests (vibration, flex, twist, durability etc.), materials and environmental tests (salt spray, immersion/corrosion etc.) and geometry tests (angled/non-angled physical contact connector end face geometry, measurement area).

About FOCI

Established since 1995, with headquarter located in Science-Based Industrial Park, Hsinchu, Taiwan. An Asia-based International fiber optic components manufacturer of connectors, jumpers, couplers/splitters, attenuators, isolators, CWDM/DWDM modules, optical manufacturing services such as TOSA/ROSA and quality testing services to original equipment manufacturers (OEMs). FOCI serve a wide variety of industries including Telecommunications, Network Equipment and CATV Equipment, Cable Installation Service. The company also maintains quality certification of ISO9001:2000 ISO14000. FOCI have reinforced the competitiveness by establishing the manufacturing base in Shanghai, China since 1998, and Shanghai FOCI maintains quality certification of ISO9001:2000, TL9001 and IECQ HSPM QC080000 as well.