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Wellington Drive Signs American Agreement

Wellington Drive Technologies (WDT) has received the first development program order under the memorandum of understanding signed earlier this year with an American electrical products company. The MOU was outlined in the Interim Report released to shareholders recently.

The work covered by this memorandum has commenced through an order that covers initial development of motors similar to WDT's standard RF66 motor. The new motor has higher power output than the RF66, and several other modifications, so that it can be used as a drop in replacement for a competitor's product.

"It was good to sign a memorandum of understanding with an electrical products company that is an American market leader," said WDT managing director, Dr Ross Green.

"And it's even better to see that agreement quickly resulting in a firm order."

The programme targets the premium end of a domestic appliance range in the United States.

"What's more, by having our motors "drop in ready" we will be well positioned to achieve a share of similar applications elsewhere in what is a large worldwide market".

Green said that this order was a further indication that WDT's motor technology was gaining recognition. "We've focussed on premium segments of the air moving market, and this order helps to demonstrate that we make commercial sense in that area."

Made from specialised plastics, permanent magnets and electronics, WDT's brushless motor design offers lower noise and longer life than conventional approaches. It also requires less than half the energy to run and can be made in virtually any shape.

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