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April – 2011: MEGA Industries, LLC Attends the Maine Education & Energy Mission to South Korea

Mega supports Maine International Trade Center

GORHAM, Maine (April, 2011) – Mega Industries LLC, a portfolio company of Anania & Associates Investment Company LLC and a world leader in the manufacture of microwave transmission equipment, supported the Maine International Trade Center by attending the Maine Education & Energy Mission to Seoul-South Korea. Mega Industries supports Accelerator Scientists, Engineers, and Students around the globe with interests in all aspects of particle accelerator technology. In attendance were Anania & Associates President, Peter V. Anania and Mega Industries VP of Sales, William Sanborn.

South Korea is Maine's fifth-largest export market and is a very important partner to Maine with many connections, both personal and professional. South Korea is a world leader with current focus on Renewable energy development and Education spending and attainment. *Renewable Energy Development:* South Korea imports 97% of its energy sources and is promoting development of renewable energy technologies. They plan to increase capacity from 200MW to over 7,000MW by 2030. Major corporations such as Daewoo, Hyundai, and Samsung will need local partners in order to be successful in their investments toward renewable energy development projects. *Education Spending and Attainment:* Because of the competitive environment, many families bypass the Korean college enrollment process by utilizing the U.S. system. To attain success at our American colleges and universities, they apply as early as middle school. English proficiency is a prerequisite for Korean employers, thus making attendance to our U.S. Universities highly appealing to them and stimulating to the cultural and economic climate of our Educational system.

Anania & Associates President, Peter Anania, speaks in support of Maine International Trade Center: "The key element to success for our Maine businesses is linked to the relationships we have formed with our customer base around the world. It was our pleasure to be in attendance with our fellow Maine companies."

Mega Industries VP of Sales, William Sanborn, said after returning from the MITC and a visit with Mega customer, Pohang Accelerator Laboratory, "We look forward to our continued global support efforts as a Maine business by doing our part in contributing to the latest in energy development. With our diverse backgrounds and experienced managerial and technical staff, Mega Industries will continuously grow with the industry."

Mega Industries, LLC (www.megaind.com) a privately held Maine company, celebrated its 21st year in business in 2010. Mega manufactures Rigid waveguide, Ultra High Vacuum waveguide, Semi-Flexible waveguide, Coaxial Transmission Line and their associated components. These allow Scientists and Engineers to create high power RF Systems for research, manufacturing and FM Broadcast systems. Mega operates from a 30,000 square foot facility specifically designed to accommodate the manufacturing requirements for these specialized devices.



From left to right: Mr. I. S. Park (SM Engineering), Peter Anania (A&AI), Dr. Young-Do Joo (PAL), William Sanborn (Mega), Mr. J.S. Inn (SM Engineering)



From left to right: Mr. I.C. Chun (Oakzone), William Sanborn (Mega), Mr. C.H. Lee (Oakzone), Peter Anania, (A&AI)