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To Our Valued Customers:

It is with great excitement that we announce today that TopWorx has been acquired by Emerson (www.emerson.com). Terms of the agreement were not disclosed.

TopWorx will become part of Emerson Process Management, joining well-known companies and brands such as DeltaV, Fisher, Fieldvue, Rosemount, Micro Motion, Bettis, El-O-Matic, Hytork, Shafer, and others. The TopWorx name and Valvetop® and GO® Switch brands will continue to be promoted and developed.

Charlie Marcum will remain as president of TopWorx and will report to Terry Buzbee, president of Emerson's Fisher and Valve Automation divisions. The rest of the TopWorx worldwide sales and operations structure and personnel will remain as before.

TopWorx products will continue to be sold by our current TopWorx distributors. Emerson Valve Automation distributors and Emerson Process Management local business partners will be added to our sales channel as appropriate. We expect the added channel breadth to significantly improve our ability to serve customers around the world.

We believe this transaction has a number of significant benefits for our valued customers:

- Emerson's global reach will provide increased access to TopWorx products
- Emerson's technical expertise and value-added services will make it easier to configure, install, commission, and maintain TopWorx products
- Emerson's global operations will help TopWorx continue to provide outstanding quality and delivery even during rapid growth and expansion
- Packaging TopWorx products with Emerson's world-class control systems, control valves, and valve actuators will provide complete single-source solutions
- Emerson's technology leadership will assist TopWorx in creating new products with superior features and reliability

Thank you for the trust you have continued to place in our employees and products during our 58 year history as an independent company. We appreciate your business and have enjoyed serving you. As we move to the next chapter in our company's development, we look forward to providing you with better products, delivery, and service than ever before!

Please feel free to contact TopWorx president Charlie Marcum at 502.969.8000 or cmarcum@topworx.com if you have any questions or comments.