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PRESS RELEASE

GLOBAL LIGHTING ASSOCIATION WELCOMES NEW SECRETARY GENERAL

Brussels, Belgium—The Global Lighting Association (GLA) is pleased to announce that Mr. Bryan Douglas has been elected to serve as Secretary General for a two-year term.

Mr. Douglas has been an active member of the GLA since its inception and has previously served as chair of its Environment Committee. He is Chief Executive Officer of Lighting Council Australia—Australia’s industry alliance for the lighting industry —and is Chief Executive Officer of SPARC International Lighting Event™ and SPARC Design™. Prior to his current role in Lighting Council Australia Bryan worked in peak bodies for the following industries in Australia: defence electronics, consumer electronics, electrical capital equipment, information technology and real estate. Bryan has an honours degree in history from the Australian National University and Chinese language qualifications from the Peoples Republic of China.

Jan Denneman, President of the Global Lighting Association stated, “We are very pleased to welcome Bryan in this capacity. He has been an active and influential member of the GLA and understands the transition the industry is in. We look forward to his continued participation, insight, and leadership.”

The Global Lighting Association is the voice of the lighting industry on a global basis and, as a grouping of peak national and regional lighting association represents over 5,000 lighting manufacturers and US \$50 billion annual sales.

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