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Background:

Located in the Shenandoah Valley of Virginia, CEMSI, or ComSonics Electronic Manufacturing Services Incorporated, a subsidiary of ComSonics, Inc., provides complete electronics assembly and manufacturing services to customers across the country and around the world. CEMSI's key processes are fully automated, and the company maintains the latest technology in electronics assembly and functional testing.

Headline: ¹

***“CEMSI, Making a Difference in the Shenandoah Valley,
Partners with Massanutten Technical Center”***

In an effort to prepare Assemblers for work at CEMSI, newly hired Assemblers attend a basic electronics course at Massanutten Technical Center (MTC) in Harrisonburg. This course includes definitions, electronic concepts, component recognition, blue print reading and soldering. Attendees graduating from the first course have begun full-time work at CEMSI in June of 2005. The second two-week course is scheduled for Mid- July. Trainees will spend mornings training at Massanutten Technical Center and afternoons orienting to work life at CEMSI.

Ron Sharp, the electronics instructor at MTC, has spent time at CEMSI in an effort to understand the type and flow of Assembly work. This enables him to modify his instruction to meet CEMSI's needs. He also has invested time at CEMSI following up with recent trainees. The partnership between CEMSI and MTC provides skill support and development to CEMSI's incoming Assemblers. It also means that CEMSI can continue to meet the growing customer base by hiring well trained employees. CEMSI'S business goals and focus on continued growth will certainly impact the future design of this partnership and increase in employment needs in the valley.

A recent article by Kelly Jasper, with The Northern Augusta Journal, covers CEMSI's success and the forecast of continued growth of this division of ComSonics, Inc. CEMSI, the contract manufacturing division of ComSonics expanded to the former Amp building, in Weyers Cave in 2003. As Ms. Jasper notes in her article: "more than a year after relocating to Weyers Cave, the company's precision electronic manufacturing services continue to grow, producing circuitry for its parent company, Harrisonburg-based ComSonics, and other customers."

ComSonics, Inc., an Employee Stock Ownership Corporation (ESOP), is deemed an "employer of choice" in the Shenandoah Valley, employing a total of over two hundred (200) specialized employees, with approximately sixty (70) employed on location with CEMSI in Weyers Cave, VA. CEMSI's manufacturing expertise and service oriented focus, combined with its professional project management and procurement staff makes them a preferred source for turnkey electronics manufacturing.

Jay Moyer, Plant Manager of CEMSI, states that: "A lot of high-tech companies moved off shore to succeed, we haven't and haven't needed to because of our employees and our customer base." For more information about CEMSI or ComSonics, Inc., please view the CEMSI web-site: www.cemsi.com or ComSonics, Inc. at www.comsonics.com.