

EMA Design Automation to Become Valor's Representative in the North American Design Market

Newton, MA – February 12, 2008 – Valor Computerized Systems Ltd, a global provider of productivity-enhancing software solutions for the electronics industry, announced today the formation of a new strategic partnership with EMA Design Automation (www.ema-eda.com) as a Channel Partner in the electronics design market in North America. The agreement establishes EMA as a sales and support channel for Valor's best-in-class DFM solution Enterprise 3000 and the Valor Parts Library (VPL), and the electronics design market will benefit from Valor's best-in-class DFM solutions and EMA's expertise as a full-service solutions provider.

Headquartered in Rochester, NY, EMA Design Automation has nearly 20 years of experience providing solutions for the electronics design market, offering a complete range of product lifecycle management systems, electrical CAD tools, mechanical CAD tools, consulting services, training, and technical support. EMA is a Cadence® Channel Partner serving all of North America and a PTC® Partner addressing the product development needs of companies globally.

“Valor's DFM is a great addition to our PCB design flow solution, providing improved communications between our customers and their supply chain” said Manny Marcano, President and CEO of EMA. “This technology will enable our customers to improve product manufacturability, reduce the number of design spins, and reduce their overall time to market. We take a holistic approach to customer solutions. Customers want to bring their products to market quickly with quality and at the lowest possible cost. They are not interested in tools. They want whatever combination of solutions that are necessary, software and services that will meet these requirements. EMA is uniquely positioned in the North American market to deliver such solutions.”

“I'm very happy to have EMA join us as a strategic sales channel partner,” said Dan Weitzman, President of Valor Inc. “The expansion of our distribution and support network is part of Valor's strategy to deliver great value to the electronics design and manufacturing markets in North America, and EMA is the perfect partner to help us achieve that goal. The North American PCB Design centers and customers will be better served and educated about Valor DFM solution thanks to EMA's extended network of sales and support.”

About Valor

Valor is a global provider of productivity improvement software solutions for the printed circuit board, or PCB, manufacturing supply chain. PCBs are the principal electronic interconnect technology used in the vast majority of electronic products sold today. Valor's solutions target three key segments in the PCB manufacturing market: design of the physical layout of the PCB, fabrication of the bare PCB, and assembly of PCB components. Valor is listed on the Prime Standard of the Frankfurt Stock Exchange [WKN 928731]. More information about Valor can be found on www.valor.com.

About EMA Design Automation, Inc.

EMA Design Automation is a full-service provider of Electronic Design Automation (EDA) solutions including a complete range of software tools, consulting services, product training, and technical support for the entire PCB and custom integrated circuit design process. EMA is a Cadence® Channel Partner serving all of North America and has been a Cadence distributor since 1998. EMA manufactures TimingDesigner®, a static timing analysis solution, and distributes it globally through a worldwide network of value added resellers. EMA is a privately held corporation headquartered in Rochester, New York. Visit EMA at www.ema-eda.com for more information.

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