

PRESS RELEASE

VIROX™ INTRODUCES A NEW HIGH LEVEL DISINFECTANT, PREVENTION™ HLD8 STRIKES A PERFECT BALANCE BETWEEN SAFETY AND EFFICACY

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Oakville, ON - Virox™ Technologies Inc. the creators of the patented Accelerated Hydrogen Peroxide® (AHP®) technology announced the launch of a new high level disinfectant (HLD) – PREVENTION™ HLD8. High level disinfectants are widely used in the Alternate Care and Professional Beauty markets, however, many of these facilities encounter sensitivity issues with the most commonly used high level disinfectants. PREVENTION™ HLD8 will provide these markets with an environmentally friendly, safer and easier to use product that is non-sensitizing and has virtually no inhalation risks for staff, patients or clients.

“The Accelerated Hydrogen Peroxide® (AHP®) formulation used in PREVENTION™ HLD8 was co-developed with STERIS Corporation,” says Randy Pilon, President, and CEO, Virox Technologies, Inc. “Being able to develop a formulation that provides the perfect balance between safety and efficacy is truly a breakthrough achievement. “We’re excited to bring this formulation to the markets outside of traditional healthcare facilities,” said Pilon. “Finally, there is no longer a need to compromise by using harsh chemistries to reprocess the semi-critical devices health professionals use every day.”

PREVENTION™ HLD8 is a 2% AHP® formulation that provides high level disinfection in *only 8 minutes* and can be *re-used for up to 21 days*. In addition, no special venting or disposal measures are needed as the solution can be easily rinsed down the drain. PREVENTION™ HLD8 is also non-staining, virtually odorless and leaves no toxic residues on devices *after just one rinse*. According to Faraz Ahmadpour, Vice President, Open Innovation, “the oxidative action of our AHP® technology does not promote biofilm formation and has excellent materials compatibility with the semi-critical instruments and devices found in the Alternate Care and Professional Beauty markets.”

A chemical Indicator test strip (PREVENTION™ HLD8 Test Strip) and log charts are also available to verify and record the correct minimum effective hydrogen peroxide concentration each time reprocessing is performed.

PREVENTION™ HLD8 is sold exclusively in the United States. Please visit www.virox.com to find a distributor and for more information on how PREVENTION™ HLD8 can improve productivity, resolve OSHA compliance and provide a more environmentally friendly alternative to harsh legacy chemicals.

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Virox® Technologies, Inc. is dedicated to infection control through revolutionary disinfectants powered by the patented technology, Accelerated Hydrogen Peroxide (AHP®), to battle the war against microbes on hands, surfaces and devices, without the need to compromise on efficacy of application, or to trade off for either personal safety or environmental integrity. A wide variety of chemistries are available exclusively through authorized distributors around the globe.