



**Burlington
Technologies Inc.**

To: All Suppliers to Burlington Technologies Inc.

Date: December 10 2008

Dear BTI Supplier,

I am writing to inform you that earlier today, Burlington Technologies Inc. (BTI) voluntarily filed for and was granted protection under the *Companies' Creditors Arrangement Act* ("CCAA") in the Ontario Superior Court of Justice ("**the Filing**"). As a result of the Filing, BTI's creditors are prevented from taking action against the Company while it explores its strategic options for maximizing value for all stakeholders.

Among other things, BTI has been affected by the downturn in the global economy and in particular the decline in the automotive market which resulted in a significant drop in production demand from our major customers. As BTI faced this sharp decrease in its traditional product demand it incurred significant costs investing in its new, more fuel efficient product line-ups. Under these challenging circumstances, the Filing is the best possible alternative for the long-term interests of BTI Company, its employees, customers, creditors and other stakeholders.

The Filing provides a stable forum in which BTI can restructure, reduce overhead by consolidating divisions and refinance its remaining core operations with a view to continuing the business as a going concern. BTI will remain in control of its activities and operations, subject to the supervision of the Court. There will be no interruption in our day-to-day operations. BTI expects to fund operating expenditures with a combination of interim financing and cash generated from daily operations. We are pleased to advise that BTI has secured interim financing from its senior secured lender.

Vendors and suppliers will be paid in full in a timely manner for goods and services supplied subsequent to the date of the Filing on standard business terms in accordance with a BTI purchase order. The rights and obligations of suppliers are set out in the Court Order granted to BTI by the Ontario Superior Court of Justice, a copy of which may be obtained from the website noted below.

As part of the Filing, BDO Dunwoody Limited (BDO) has been named the Court-appointed Monitor of the Company under the CCAA. BDO's role will be to monitor and report to the Court with respect to BTI's operations, to assist us throughout the process and, in general, to oversee the CCAA process. The Monitor has set up a website with further information about the Filing, which can be accessed at www.bdo.ca/BTI.

We are extremely grateful to you for your continued support of the Company and its management through these challenging times. BTI continues to be viewed as a leading supplier of quality high-pressure, aluminum die castings to the global automotive industry. We will continue to focus on complex, machined, fuel efficient engine components with two manufacturing divisions supported by a fully integrated tooling division. We will continue to achieve our high quality standards and continue to support new programs through our program management and product design and development teams. We have strong partners in our stakeholders, suppliers and customers. And finally, and most importantly, we have a committed and capable team. As a result, I am confident that together we will achieve success in the restructuring of our business.

I will continue to keep you informed as we move through the process. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call Barry Vincent (905-335-2742, ext #243), or Glenda Broster (905-335-2742 ext 252).

Thanks again for your support,

Ken Carpenter
President/CEO

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