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MEDIA RELEASE

Techcomp receives US\$1 million order from Indonesia's Ministry of Health

- Experiencing increasing enquiries for its bio-safety cabinets, centrifuges and BSL3 (P3) turnkey laboratories, which are essential laboratory equipment for vaccine production.
- Influenza A (H1N1) virus has brought more attention to the Company from the regional investment community

Singapore and Hong Kong, 13 July 2009 – SGX Main board-listed Techcomp (Holdings) Ltd ("Techcomp", "天美控股" or the "Group), China's leading manufacturer and distributor for analytical and life science instruments, is ramping up production capacity for its testing equipment in anticipation of higher demand. The Group received a US\$1 million order from Indonesia's Ministry of Health for its centrifuges, bio-safety cabinets and BSL3 (P3) turnkey laboratories, which are essential equipment for vaccine production.

With Influenza A virus (H1N1) rapidly spreading in Asia, countries are ramping up their vaccine production capabilities to meet the expected demand. As it stands, there have been more than 98,000 cases of H1N1 flu, including over 440 deaths worldwide, which have occurred since the outbreak was first reported on April 24, according to the World Health Organisation (WHO). As of 7 July 2009, Singapore has confirmed a total of 1,217 cases of Influenza A/H1N1 in the country.

"To best illustrate the increase in demand, we have received an order of over US\$ 1 million for our bio-safety cabinet, centrifuge and turnkey laboratories from a vaccine production plant under the Ministry of Public Health in Indonesia. We are experiencing a similar increase in demand from various Asian countries such as India and PRC.

"With increasing enquiries everyday, we remain optimistic that these enquiries would translate into sales orders in the near term."

Richard Lo, President & CEO of Techcomp

The regional widespread of Influenza A/H1N1 virus, has also drawn more attention to the Company from the investment community.

"We are meeting more investors who want to find out exactly what are we doing! Some are surprised that a China-based company can produce quality testing equipment which is accepted by United Nations and other international organizations."

Richard Lo, President & CEO of Techcomp

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About Techcomp (Holdings) Limited

Backed by a strong research team, **Techcomp (Holdings) Limited ("Techcomp")** is China's leading manufacturer of highly advanced scientific instruments, with cutting edge technological patents in analytical instruments, life science equipment and laboratory instruments. The **Techcomp** brand of analytical instruments is used in laboratories for diverse industries, ranging from materials analysis and testing to pharmaceuticals, biotechnology, medicine, food and beverage, and to forensics. **Techcomp** has a strong R&D track record and is an original design and original equipment manufacturer for the world's leading brands of analytical instruments used in research and test applications. **Techcomp's** strong distribution network for a wide range of the world's leading brands of highly advanced analytical equipment is predominantly in China.

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