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DermLite LLC Joins Forces with FotoFinder Systems: A Merger of Mastery in Dermoscopy and AI-Driven Skin Imaging

Aliso Viejo, California – DermLite LLC, the world's premier provider of handheld dermatoscopes, is pleased to announce its acquisition by FotoFinder Systems, a global leader in skin imaging solutions. This strategic alliance signifies a milestone in the field of dermatology, bringing together two internationally acclaimed pioneers with a history of setting standards and a shared dedication to advancing dermatological care.

The merger leverages DermLite's cutting-edge dermatoscope technology with FotoFinder's advanced imaging systems, creating the largest group in dermoscopy worldwide. Customers will gain from a complete suite of skin visualization tools, encompassing everything from handheld devices to comprehensive Total Body Dermoscopy systems, accessible on-premise or via the cloud, and augmented by leading AI technology.

John Bottjer, President of DermLite, shared his enthusiasm: "Joining forces with FotoFinder aligns with our goals and values, promising to amplify our capabilities significantly. We're excited for the opportunities this acquisition creates for innovation, growth, and learning, enabling us to provide clinicians with even more powerful tools for the discoveries of tomorrow."

"We're excited to welcome DermLite to the FotoFinder family", said Andreas Mayer, CEO of FotoFinder Systems. "This union represents a significant step in our mission to facilitate early detection and accurate diagnosis of skin cancer worldwide. Our shared vision is to provide our customers with a seamless experience, offering everything they need for skin imaging under one roof. By combining DermLite's renowned dermatoscope technology with our AI-powered imaging systems, we're forging a unified ecosystem that empowers clinicians with unmatched insights and capabilities."

Together, DermLite and FotoFinder are committed to forging the future of skin imaging, combining their strengths to enhance product offerings and accelerate the development of new technologies and educational resources in dermatology and aesthetics.

FotoFinder's shareholder team and EMZ Partners have contributed to this transaction, supplemented by a significant reinvestment from DermLite's co-founders, John Bottjer and Thorsten Trotzenberg.



About DermLite:

DermLite, founded in 1999, has been at the forefront of handheld dermoscopy for decades. Since its introduction of the world's first polarized dermatoscope in 2001 and the first hybrid scope in 2006, DermLite is synonymous with exceptional quality, user-centric design, and continuous innovation. DermLite's mission is to equip the dermatology community with sophisticated, intuitive solutions, seamlessly integrating into the daily workflow of health professionals globally. Based in Aliso Viejo, California, DermLite continues to set gold standards in dermoscopy. www.dermlite.com

About FotoFinder Systems:

Established in 1991 in Bavaria, Germany, FotoFinder Systems has led the way in skin imaging technology. Their comprehensive solutions facilitate early skin cancer detection, supported by Automated Total Body Mapping (ATBM), AI, and digital dermoscopy. FotoFinder offers customized workflows for various applications, including trichoscopy and clinical research, serving clients in over 90 countries through a robust international network. www.fotofinder.de

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