

## LightPath Technologies Receives Cubic Defense Systems 2012 Supplier Award

LightPath Ranked Superior for 2012 Supplier Performance

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ORLANDO, FL - (PRNewswire – March 20, 2013) - <u>LightPath Technologies, Inc.</u> (NASDAQ: LPTH) ("LightPath", the "Company" or "we"), a global manufacturer, distributor and integrator of patented optical components and high-level assemblies, is the recipient of Cubic Defense Systems 2012 Supplier Award. This is the third consecutive year that LightPath has earned this award. LightPath also received a "Superior" rating—the highest rating given by Cubic Defense Systems to its suppliers.

The Cubic Defense Systems 2012 Supplier Award recognizes companies that have performed exceptionally well in manufacturing and supplying products or services over the past year—particularly in terms of quality, pricing, reliability, technology and continuous improvement. The award is given to outstanding suppliers who play a key role in Cubic's success, and who continue to work with Cubic on further development and improvement of products and manufacturing processes.

"The LightPath team takes great pride in continuously improving our methods and processes to deliver the standard of quality our customers have come to expect. We are proud that Cubic Defense Systems has recognized our efforts for a third time," said Debra Woodford, LightPath Quality Manager.

Added LightPath CEO, Jim Gaynor, "It is truly an honor to be recognized for a third time by a valued partner and customer like Cubic Defense Systems. I believe the award validates our ongoing commitment to attaining the highest levels of quality in both our products and the level of service we provide in support of our products."

## **About LightPath Technologies**

LightPath provides optics and photonics solutions for the industrial, defense, telecommunications, testing and measurement, and medical industries. LightPath designs, manufactures, and distributes optical and infrared components including molded glass aspheric lenses and assemblies, infrared lenses and thermal imaging assemblies, fused fiber collimators, and gradient index GRADIUM® lenses. LightPath also offers custom optical assemblies, including full engineering design support. For more information, visit <a href="www.lightpath.com">www.lightpath.com</a>.



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