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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE NEW MAQUET LED SURGICAL LIGHT NOW COMMERCIALY AVAILABLE

POWER LED 700/500 SERIES ELIMINATES THE NEED FOR MANUAL FOCUS ADJUSTMENTS, IMPROVES LED CONSISTENCY AND ILLUMINATION QUALITY

Bridgewater, NJ (July 21, 2008) — Maquet, Inc. announced the commercial release of new LED surgical lights – the PowerLED 700 and the compact PowerLED 500 – incorporating the latest LED technology for significant improvements in illumination and ease of use.

“These two new lights represent the next generation of LED technology to make it easier for surgeons and staff to focus on patients and spend less time making adjustments at the surgical site,” said Mehul Vora, Product Manager for lighting, MAQUET, Inc. Both lights provide exceptional depth of field within a 47” deep column of light enabling deep cavity illumination.”

Other improvements include:

- New LED technology from MAQUET extends illumination to 40,000 hours – up to 33% more than other LED systems
- A unique Flux Stability Program (FSP) that provides consistent light output during surgery
- Up to 168 LEDs per lamp head, each focused on the entire light patch through specially designed Fresnel lenses, which deliver a virtually shadow –free and homogenous light patch
- Comes standard with integrated ambient “LED inside”™ lighting which is ideal for minimally invasive surgeries
- Patented AIM* technology that adjusts LED output to compensate for the presence of surgical staff, improves surgeons’ comfort and optimizes the quality of light at the surgical site.

The new lights are available now. Contact your local MAQUET representative or call 1-888-MAQUET-3, or visit www.powerled700.com.

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ABOUT MAQUET

MAQUET, a subsidiary of the Swedish-based Getinge Group, is one of the oldest and largest surgical equipment companies in the world. MAQUET, founded 170 years ago, has set consistently new clinical standards and has driven ICU and OR innovations, growing organically and through acquisitions in the US over the last 10 years. MAQUET is the #1 manufacturer of OR Tables, Surgical Lights and Critical Care Ventilators in the world and is a strong player in the ceiling service units, or booms, market with our new MODUTEC line.

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