

Bantam Recognized in 2007 Inc. 5000

NEW YORK, N.Y. and AUSTIN, Texas – Nov. 5 (SEND2PRESS NEWSWIRE) – Inc. recognized Bantam Electronics, Inc., a leading provider of high mix electronics manufacturing services for emerging companies, on its inaugural Inc. 5,000 list of the fastest-growing private companies in the country. The Inc. 5,000, an extension of Inc. magazine's annual Inc. 500 list, catches many businesses that are too big to grow at the pace required to make the Inc. 500, as well as a host of smaller firms. Taken as a whole, these companies represent the backbone of the U.S. economy.



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“The Inc. 5,000 provides the most comprehensive look ever at the most important part of the economy – the entrepreneurial part,” said Inc. 5,000 Project Manager Jim Melloan. “The expansion of the list has allowed us to tell the stories of larger companies, older companies, and a wealth of companies in industries like Manufacturing and Construction that are underreported in the business media.”

Bantam Electronics, a provider of high mix custom manufacturing and end-to-end supply chain management solutions to small- and mid-sized technology companies, focuses on building its business by helping its customers build their businesses. The company's services enable customers take their products to market faster, improve quality and customer satisfaction, and reduce overhead.

“We are very pleased to be ranked by Inc. as one of the nation's fastest growing privately held companies,” said Bantam Electronics President and CEO Michael Chaddock. The company recently completed an expansion project that doubled its manufacturing capacity to thirty thousand (30,000) square feet and has plans for further expansion within the next year. “We're also proud to be at the top in growth among high mix electronics manufacturing services providers.” The company's ability to provide high quality, rapidly implemented solutions to customers with smaller product volumes, which often have multiple, complicated configurations, has helped it to quickly establish itself as an emerging leader. “Putting our customers' success at the forefront of everything we undertake has been the primary driver of our own success,” Chaddock said.

About Bantam

Bantam Electronics, founded in 1969, is a leading provider of high mix electronics manufacturing services to emerging companies-encompassing custom manufacturing and complete supply chain management of embedded appliances, industrial controllers, and computer-based systems for small- and mid-sized companies through the integration of its scalable manufacturing services, its extensive computer and electronic parts distribution network, and

comprehensive logistics services.

Based in Austin, Texas, Bantam Electronics provides high mix custom manufactured products and supply chain solutions, including warranty and RMA services, for leading companies such as AMD and Crossroads as well as emerging private companies such as NetQoS, Cortexa and JBM. In addition, Bantam has been named a Fastest Growing Privately-Held Company two years running and a Best Place To Work by the Austin Business Journal.

For more information about Bantam, visit www.bantamelectronics.com.

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