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Lam Research Corporation Announces Resignation Of Dr. Gregor A. Campbell FREMONT, Calif., March 14, 2000 - Lam Research Corporation (Nasdaq: LRCX) today announced that Dr. Greg Campbell, vice president and general manager of the Etch Product Business Group, has tendered his resignation with the company. Campbell leaves Lam to pursue a lifelong interest in higher education. He has recently accepted the position of chief executive officer of The King's College and Seminary in Southern California.

"Greg has made significant contributions to the company," said James W. Bagley, chairman and CEO of Lam. "Through the efforts of Greg and his team, our etch product portfolio is the strongest in the company's history and our position in the market is building. Although we will miss the enthusiasm, passion and commitment he brought to Lam, we wish him well in his new career."

"God has greatly blessed me and this change affords me the opportunity to devote my time to education," said Campbell. "I am excited by the prospect of utilizing my experience and entrepreneurial skills to address the needs at The King's College and Seminary," Campbell concluded.

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