Lam Research Corporation Supports Hurricane Katrina Relief Efforts

FREMONT, Calif., September 2, 2005-Lam Research Corporation (NASDAQ: LRCX) today announced it will make a donation of $150,000 to the American Red Cross to assist victims of Hurricane Katrina's devastation. In addition, the Company will match up to $100,000 of employee contributions to relief efforts for a potential corporate gift of up to $250,000. Donations will be made through the Lam Foundation.

"We extend our sympathy and support to all of those affected by the hurricane," stated Steve Newberry, Lam's president and chief executive officer. "In addition to the Company's donation, our employees have expressed interest in making individual donations to relief efforts, and we intend to support their efforts by matching their contributions."

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