



Attn: Manager P&S Dept./Traders/Cashier/Manager Reorganization/Manager Dividends
UNIFORM PRACTICE ADVISORY (UPC #035-2001) April 6, 2001
WHEN, AS AND IF ISSUED SETTLEMENT DATES

Delivery of the following issues shall be made at 3:00 p.m. on the Settlement Date.

<u>ISSUE</u>	<u>Settlement Date</u>
Method Electronics Inc. Ex-Distribution - Class A Common Stock (METHV) - Class B Common Stock (MEHBV)	Thursday, May 3, 2001
Stratos Lightwave Inc. - Additional Common Stock (STLWV)	Thursday, May 3, 2001

Power Designs, Inc. - Common Stock (POWDQ)

Notice has been received that the above Company's Plan of Reorganization (Plan) filed under Chapter XI of the Federal Bankruptcy Code, became effective on April 6, 2001. Pursuant to the Plan, holders of the above referenced securities *will not* receive any distributions of property on account of their interests.

Members are reminded of their obligations under NASD Conduct Rule 2310 if they continue to engage in transactions in the above security after the effective date.

Members are further advised that deliveries in settlement of contracts in the **OLD** securities, which were executed prior to the announcement that the securities had been deemed worthless, shall be evidenced by either a) the **OLD** security; or b) a *Letter of Indemnity* which shall grant the purchaser any rights and privileges which might accrue to the holders of the physical securities. Such deliveries shall operate to close-out the contract and shall be settled at the existing contract price pursuant to Rule 11530 (formerly Uniform Practice Code Section 27) subsection (b) (1) and (b) (2) adopted November 1, 1991.

Questions regarding this notice should be directed to: Market Data Integrity Dept., (203) 375-9609.

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