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## **Combined Resources Gives Bison a “Lean Advantage”**

**Bison Electric to merge and combine resources with Bison Gear.**

St. Charles, IL. — Bison Gear & Engineering, Inc. of St. Charles, Illinois today announced it has enhanced its market leadership with the consolidation of the Bison Electric Company. “Our Lean Manufacturing facility will now have improved efficiencies, resulting in shorter lead times for our customers”, stated Ron Bullock, CEO and Chairman of Bison Gear & Engineering. “Combining the resources of our strong engineering staffs as well as reducing lead-times on motors will give Bison a Lean Advantage.”

Formerly located at 667 N. State St., Elgin Illinois, Bison Electric will relocate to Bison’s St. Charles facility, and will benefit from optimized flow processing in Bison’s Lean environment. “Relocating Bison Electric to our main facility will dramatically shorten the lead-times to our customers while at the same time eliminate waste in excess material handling within our manufacturing process”.

“We employ 50 people in the Bison Electric Corporation.” Bullock continues. “Bison customer’s will benefit from the combined Research & Development team, Application Engineering staff, and our improved service levels and speed to market across the entire product line.”

Bison manufactures a wide range of motors, gearmotors, and reducers from 1/55 HP up to 3 HP, including AC and DC, parallel shaft and right angle models, in both North American and international configurations.

Complete information about the product line is available from Bison Gear & Engineering, 3850 Ohio Ave., St. Charles, IL, 60174, phone 1-800-AT BISON, (630) 377-4327 fax: (630) 377-6777

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