



## Venture Lamps Qualify for California Utility Rebates

Ohio-based manufacturer **Venture Lighting** has committed to participate in the state of California's utility company rebate project. Venture's metal halide lamps, the pulse-start Uni-Form Natural White and e-Lamp, meet the energy-saving requirements of more than 10 of the state's utility company-sponsored programs, which were developed to encourage homeowners and businesses to install energy-efficient lighting products



Venture Lighting's Natural White bulb meets energy-efficiency requirements for rebate eligibility through California utility companies. CIRCLE 197

and systems. The company has also produced a new brochure, "Energy Saving Lighting," that outlines the rebate promotions available throughout California.

## W.A.C. Lighting Builds New Facility in China

To keep up with its flourishing business, **W.A.C. Lighting** will begin construction on a 750,000-square-foot operations center in Dongguan, China. The new ISO-9001 facility will feature a deluxe manufacturing facility; a Lighting Application, Showroom & Training Center; and state-of-the-art Product Testing Center. The building is scheduled for completion this summer.

## Energy Star® Honors Destination Lighting

The **Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)** and the **U.S. Dept. of Energy** awarded Seattle's Destination Lighting with the Energy Star® program's Certificate of Recognition for Excellence in Lighting Retailing. The honor was bestowed during a recent awards ceremony in Washington, D.C.

## Brand Developments

### Highlights Becomes Urban Lighting



California-based retailer **Highlights** has changed its name to **Urban Lighting Inc.** A source for contemporary fixtures and such European brands as Artemide, Flos, Estiluz and Foscarini, the lighting showroom will remain at its current location, 301 4th Ave. in San Diego.

### Super Vision Renamed Nexus Lighting

**Fiber optics and LED manufacturer Super Vision Intl.** recently repositioned itself as **Nexus Lighting Inc.** to better reflect its strategic vision to "connect advanced technology with light." In conjunction with the name change, the company has opened a new manufacturing and distribution center in Orlando, FL.

### Halco's New Name Emphasizes Technology

To better identify its direction, **Halco Lighting Corp.** will now be known as **Halco Lighting Technologies.** The OEM company is a leading supplier of incandescent, halogen, compact fluorescent, linear fluorescent, H.I.D., miniature and sealed-beam lamp types.

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