



Halco Lighting Hires Samir Shah Vice President/General Manager - J&J Electronics

Updated to correct acquisition date.

Norcross, GA. (April 5, 2017) - Halco Lighting Technologies, a leader in lamp, ballast and luminaire solutions, welcomes Samir Shah as Vice President/General Manager for J&J Electronics. Halco Lighting acquired J&J Electronics, a manufacturer of pool, spa, and fountain lighting products, in November 2016.

Reporting to President & CEO Kim Cook, Samir will be assuming leadership of the J&J business unit as Jim Rafferty, current acting President of J&J Electronics transitions out of the business over the next several months.

Samir joins Halco with over 25 years of general management leadership experience and was most recently the global marketing and international sales executive for Rain Bird Corporation and has held GM, business development, and engineering leadership roles for the past 16 years with them. Before Rain Bird, Samir held engineering leadership positions with Anheuser-Busch, GE Appliance, and Ingersoll Rand.

"We are excited at the breadth of experience Samir brings to J&J Electronics and look forward to his contribution in continuing to grow and expand this business that Jim Rafferty built," said Cook.

Samir has a Masters of Science in Mechanical Engineering from Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University and Bachelors of Science in Mechanical Engineering from the L.D. College of Engineering from Gujarat University.

About Halco Lighting Technologies

Halco Lighting Technologies® is a leading manufacturer lighting solutions including energy efficient lamps, ballasts and lighting luminaires. Founded in 1974, Halco's extensive product line includes the following brands: ProLED®, ProLume®, HaloXen®, Prism®, CoverShield® and Sollos® Landscape Lighting. Strategically located, fully stocked warehouses in Atlanta, Carlstadt, Cleveland, Houston, Los Angeles and Phoenix ship orders placed by 2:00 PM local warehouse time the same day. For more information, visit www.halcolighting.com and follow Halco on [Twitter](#), [Facebook](#) and [LinkedIn](#).

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