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**In-Situ<sup>®</sup> Inc. Announces Acquisition of  
TauTheta Instruments, LLC Boulder Colorado, USA  
RuggedO<sub>2</sub><sup>™</sup> Optical Oxygen Sensors and Instrumentation**

FORT COLLINS, CO, USA — In-Situ Inc. is pleased to announce the acquisition of TauTheta Instruments LLC, Boulder, Colorado, USA. The acquisition, which was completed earlier this year, combines TauTheta's R&D capabilities with In-Situ's new product development, manufacturing and commercialization talent. TauTheta's real-time optical oxygen monitoring technology will provide an additional growth platform for In-Situ, which was the first company to introduce Optical Dissolved Oxygen instrumentation into the natural water monitoring marketplace in 2004. TauTheta's products are used in environmental, industrial process, food and beverage, medical, biomedical and life science applications.

“The intellectual property, knowledge and applied experience that the TauTheta team brings to our organization will ensure continued strong growth for In-Situ in the environmental monitoring market segments,” said Bob Blythe, President and CEO of In-Situ Inc. Through its acquisition of TauTheta, In-Situ sees significant opportunity for continued technological leadership and product development of its Rugged Dissolved Oxygen instrumentation in the waste water and aquaculture process control and monitoring marketplace.

TauTheta will also benefit from In-Situ's extensive research and development, manufacturing, and customer service operations to further expand its market share of Optical Oxygen Sensor technologies within bio-fermentation, life sciences food and beverage and ultra-pure water monitoring applications. "In-Situ's commitment to innovation and their track record of heavy investment into R&D of new technology fits our business model well," said Alan Baron, President of TauTheta Instruments LLC. "We are looking forward to working jointly with In-Situ in delivering innovative optical sensing solutions focused on customer-driven market needs."

***About In-Situ Inc.*** — In-Situ is known around the world as a leading manufacturer and supplier of *in situ* (on-site) environmental water quality and water quantity monitoring instrumentation. In-Situ is committed to providing rugged, reliable and easy-to-use instrumentation for spot sampling field measurements and long-term, unattended deployments. Products offered by In-Situ include the Level TROLL<sup>®</sup> series of level monitoring instruments, the Aqua TROLL<sup>®</sup> level, temperature and conductivity instrument, and the TROLL<sup>®</sup> 9500 water quality instrument with In-Situ's Rugged Dissolved Oxygen Sensor (RDO<sup>®</sup>). Additional information about In-Situ products is available at [www.in-situ.com](http://www.in-situ.com) or by calling 1-800-446-7488.

***About TauTheta Instruments LLC*** — TauTheta develops low-cost, robust, compact and easy-to-use phase and lifetime based optical technologies for environmental, industrial process, food and beverage and life science applications. Additional information about TauTheta is available at [www.tautheta.com](http://www.tautheta.com) or by calling 1-800-922-8463.