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Chryssoula (Sissy) Kyriazidou Joins Energous Corporation as Vice President of Engineering Overseeing the Antennas and Electromagnetics Divisions

Leader in Over-the-Air, Wire-Free Charging Hires Sissy Kyriazidou to Further Energous' Leadership in the Hardware Space

SAN JOSE, CA -- (Marketwired) -- 01/31/17 -- [Energous Corporation](#) (NASDAQ: WATT), the developer of WattUp[®], a revolutionary wire-free charging technology that provides over-the-air power at a distance, today announced the appointment of Dr. Chryssoula (Sissy) Kyriazidou as Vice President of Engineering, Antennas and Electromagnetics Division.

"Sissy joins Energous with extensive knowledge and a highly successful background in hardware engineering," said **Stephen R. Rizzone, president and CEO of Energous**. "We're pleased to leverage her 20+ years of experience as she applies her innovation-first approach to key engineering initiatives for Energous."

Prior to joining Energous, Kyriazidou worked in Broadcom's Mobility Group where she oversaw antennas, antenna arrays and systems. She also focused on highly constrained form-factors on CMOS technologies for the underlying modules and on very thin chip packages for the antenna and array technologies. Additional career highlights include assignments at Brookhaven National Laboratory, Argonne National Laboratory, UCLA and KimaLink. Kyriazidou is a dual Ph.D., receiving her first degree from the University of Michigan in Physics where M.J.G. Veltman, a Nobel Prize Winner for Physics was her advisor. She holds an additional Ph.D. degree in Electrical Engineering from UCLA.

"I'm honored to join the Energous team to work on such an innovative technology," said **Sissy Kyriazidou, Vice President of Engineering, Antennas and Electromagnetics Division**. "I'm looking forward to lending my expertise to further Energous' vision as we develop the industry's best solutions for wire-free charging."

About Energous Corporation

Energous Corporation is the developer of WattUp[®] -- an award-winning, wire-free charging technology that will transform the way consumers and industries charge and power electronic devices at home, in the office, in the car and beyond. WattUp is a revolutionary radio frequency (RF) based charging solution that delivers intelligent, scalable power via radio bands, similar to a Wi-Fi router. WattUp differs from older wireless charging systems in that it delivers contained power, at a distance, to multiple devices -- thus resulting in a wire-free experience that saves users from having to remember to plug in their devices. For more information, please visit [Energous.com](#), or follow Energous on Twitter and Facebook.

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This press release contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, that are intended to be covered by the "safe harbor" created by those sections. Forward-looking statements, which are based on certain assumptions and describe our future plans, strategies and expectations, can generally be identified by the use of forward-looking terms such as "believe," "expect," "may," "will," "should," "could," "seek," "intend," "plan," "estimate," "anticipate" or other comparable terms. All statements in this release that are not based on historical fact are "forward-looking statements." Examples of forward-looking statements include, among others, statements we make regarding expectations for future revenue, market developments, technological advances, anticipated results of our development efforts, and the timing for receipt of required regulatory approvals and product launches. While management has based any forward-looking statements included in this release on its current expectations, the information on which such expectations were based may change. Forward-looking statements involve inherent risks and uncertainties which could cause actual results to differ materially from those in the forward-looking statements. Important factors that could cause our actual results and financial condition to differ materially from those indicated in the forward-looking statements include, among others, the following: our ability to develop a commercially feasible technology; receipt of necessary regulatory approvals; our ability to find and maintain development partners and licensees, market acceptance of our technology, the amount and nature of competition in our industry; our ability to protect our intellectual property; and the other risks and uncertainties described in the Risk Factors and in Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations sections of our most recent annual report on Form 10-K and any subsequent quarterly reports on Form 10-Q. We urge you to consider those risks and uncertainties in evaluating our forward-looking statements. We caution readers not to place undue reliance upon any such forward-looking statements, which speak only as of the date made. Except as otherwise required by the federal securities laws, we disclaim any obligation or undertaking to publicly release any updates or revisions to any forward-looking statement contained herein (or elsewhere) to reflect any change in our expectations with regard thereto or any change in events, conditions or circumstances on which any such statement is based.

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