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First Solar Announces Multi-Year Supply Agreement with Conergy

- Advanced thin film modules to be used by Conergy in 8MW of solar projects

Erfurt, Germany, April 29, 2005. - First Solar and Conergy AG announce that the companies have entered into a framework agreement for the purchase and sale of 8MW of First Solar thin film solar modules during 2005 and 2006. The First Solar modules will be installed in large solar projects and will be branded as the Conergy CP Series.

"Conergy is one of the world's leading providers of complete solar solutions and their adoption of First Solar modules is further recognition of our achievements in thin film module design, production, and performance" stated Stephan Hansen, Managing Director of First Solar, GmbH. "Conergy joins a growing number of experienced project developers who are choosing First Solar modules, reflecting our ability to deliver thin film modules that perform reliably and predictably" Hansen added.

"Conergy's customers expect system components from us that are of the highest quality. First Solar offers high-capacity thin film modules that supplement our solar product portfolio excellently", declared Hans-Martin Rüter, Conergy's Chief Executive Officer.

First Solar is one of the fastest growing thin film solar module manufacturers in the world, having scaled its manufacturing operation to produce more than 20MW of solar modules in 2005 at an average module efficiency of 9%. First Solar manufactures all of its modules in facilities that have been certified to ISO9001 Quality Management and ISO14001 Environmental Management standards. The company recently announced a major expansion to 40MW of module production in 2006 and 75MW of production in 2007.



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About First Solar:

First Solar manufactures solar modules with an advanced thin film semiconductor process that significantly lowers solar electricity costs. By enabling clean renewable electricity at affordable prices, First Solar provides an economic alternative to peak conventional electricity and the related fossil fuel dependence, greenhouse gas emissions and peak time grid constraints. Unlike central grid generation options that are viable only in specific locations with the required natural resources and central grid transmission capacity, First Solar's technology enables consumers to generate their own "on-site" electricity virtually anywhere the sun shines.

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