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## ARCONTECH CORPORATION

(Incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability)

## **ANNOUNCEMENT**

- Appointment of Mr. Yip as an Executive Director of the Company with effect from 23rd August, 2002 and he will assume Mr. Tong's current responsibilities as the Chief Financial Officer, Qualified Accountant, Company Secretary, Compliance Officer and Authorised Representative of the Company with effect from 23rd August, 2002.
- Mr. Tong assumes new position to oversee corporate planning on overseas development with effect from 23rd August, 2002.

The Board of Directors (the "Board") of Arcontech Corporation (the "Company") announces that with effect from 23rd August, 2002 YIP Ho Bin, Edwin ("Mr. Yip") will be appointed as an Executive Director of the Company.

Mr. Yip will assume the existing responsibilities of Mr. Tong Ka Ming, Patrick ("Mr. Tong") for the overall financial planning, management and accounting of the Company and, consequently, will be appointed its Chief Financial Officer, Qualified Accountant, Company Secretary, Compliance Officer and Authorised Representative. Mr. Yip is a fellow member of the Chartered Association of Certified Accountants and the Hong Kong Society of Accountants and associate member of the Faculty of Secretaries and Administrators and the Tax Institute of Hong Kong. Mr. Yip has over 30 years of experience in auditing, accounting and financial management. Prior to joining the Company, he was the Financial Controller and Company Secretary of a company listed on the main board of The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited.

The Board further announces that Mr. Tong will, with effect from 23rd August, 2002 cease to be the Company's Chief Financial Officer, Company Secretary, Qualified Accountant, Compliance Officer and Authorised Representative. Mr. Tong will remain as an Executive Director with the Company and will assume a new position where he will focus on corporate planning and overseas

business development rather than the finance and accountant of the Company. With Mr. Tong's management experience in the high-tech industry, he will oversee the Company's overseas expansion programs and projects, in particular, the business operations in the PRC and Korea. The Board would like to thank Mr. Tong for his services in his previous positions with the Company and believes that the change is in line with the Company's development strategies and will further strengthen the Company's management and benefits the Company as a whole.

By order of the Board Arcontech Corporation Mr Tsoi Siu Ching, Leo Chairman

Hong Kong, 26th August, 2002

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