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## SMC Ltd. PARTNERS TO CREATE FACE SHIELDS FOR FIRST RESPONDERS

**Somerset, WI, May 11, 2020** – SMC Ltd., a global contract manufacturer for single-use devices serving the medical, diagnostics and drug delivery markets is providing face shields to first responders through a partnership with 3 other companies also donating their services. SMC's engineering and tooling department designed and built tooling for the face shields in a record 72 hours, then molded the headband frames from resin donated by Eastman. A third company donated the replaceable clear film which attaches to the frame. SMC's Somerset, WI location molded 10,000 headband frames that were donated to Hospitals in Massachusetts for first responders in the fight against COVID-19.

"I am very proud of our team who continues to go above and beyond during this difficult time. Through collaboration we've come together. We are proud to be a partner in this humanitarian effort providing face shields in the fight against COVID-19," stated Chetan N. Patel, SMC Ltd. CEO.

In addition, SMC continues to apply knowledge and commitment to speed-to-market programs detecting coronavirus, and in supporting and accelerating the needed volumes of products used by patients in respiratory distress.

## About SMC Ltd.

SMC Ltd. provides global contract manufacturing solutions of single-use devices for the pharmaceutical, medical and diagnostics industries. With 700,000 square feet dedicated to healthcare manufacturing, SMC provides full product services from initial concept through the final packaged device; including: program management, design and development, product manufacturing, clinical manufacturing, electronics integration, and global supply chain management. www.smcltd.com

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