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## **CRITICAL PROCESS SYSTEMS GROUP ACQUIRES BIOPHARM ENGINEERED SYSTEMS**

Critical Process Systems Group (CPS Group) expands Life Science Market Presence

Colchester, VT (June 15, 2015) – **Critical Process Systems Group**, a family of manufacturing and design companies focused on providing innovative product solutions to the life science, semiconductor, renewable energy, chemical processing, and general industrial markets, today announced the acquisition of Biopharm Engineered Systems (BPES), a company specializing in the design and manufacture of biopharmaceutical processing equipment.

The purchase of Biopharm Engineered Systems, based in Andover, MA, along with the 2014 organic start-up of biopharm process engineering firm, CPS Process Solutions (CPS PS), Maynard, MA, increases Critical Process System Group's growing footprint in the Life Science market. BPES will continue to operate under the Biopharm Engineered Systems name, and through collaboration with CPS Process Solutions, will offer its clients fully integrated process equipment planning, design, and realization services. Paul Frascoia, CEO of Critical Process Systems Group stated "we are pleased to add BPES to our family of companies, we believe that their capabilities, product offerings and excellent market reputation align perfectly with our effort to expand our market presence in the growing biotech and pharmaceutical markets."

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**Biopharm Engineered Systems (BPES)** is a leading provider of custom process equipment to the biopharmaceutical and pharmaceutical industries. Our experienced in-house design and fabrication team delivers systems on time and on budget around the world. Systems are designed with the goal of maximizing product recovery and with ease of operating and maintaining. Paul Brouillette, President of BPES, stated "we are very excited about the acquisition by the CPS Group. Their corporate resources and our new sister company CPS Process Solutions will certainly allow BPES to better support existing customers, gain new business and expand our product offerings."

**CPS Process Solutions** is a technology-based facility solutions provider for biopharmaceutical process engineering, equipment development, project management, and staff augmentation services. When combined with CPS Group sister companies, including BPES, CPS Process Solutions provides turnkey designs, equipment and installation for our life science clients.

To learn more about our business and our commitments, please visit: [www.cpsprocess.com](http://www.cpsprocess.com) and [www.bpesys.com](http://www.bpesys.com) or contact Steven Cheung, Critical Process Systems Group, VP of Business Development, [steven.cheung@cpsgrp.com](mailto:steven.cheung@cpsgrp.com).