

## **Lutron Begins Shipping Highly-Anticipated HomeWorks® QS System Components**

*Lutron takes flagship system to the next level with concentrated focus on saving energy*

**Coopersburg, PA** (May 9, 2011) – Lighting control manufacturer Lutron Electronics is pleased to announce that additional system components for its energy-saving HomeWorks QS total home control system are now shipping.

The latest system components to ship include a colorful capacitive touch interface called the Dynamic Keypad, and an auto-adjusting, phase-adaptive dimmer that works with all popular load types, including dimmable CFLs and dimmable LEDs.

Introduced in September 2010 at CEDIA Expo, Lutron's HomeWorks QS system offers convenient control of lights, shades and stand-by power from small appliances. The system can be easily installed in any home and operates via Lutron's Clear Connect™ wireless, RF technology.

New system components include:

- dynamic keypad
- wallbox power module
- GRAFIK Eye® QS
- RF Maestro®-style phase-adaptive dimmer
- Integration with Sivoia® QS Venetian blinds

### **Dynamic Keypad**

- a 4.2" colorful, capacitive touch interface that controls lights, shades and AV
- replaces multiple keypads, offering a cleaner wall design
- hard buttons provide immediate on/off response
- available in black and white models in both wired and wireless styles
- suggested list is \$1,199

### **Wallbox Power Module**

- offers control of up to six lighting zones
- mounts in a 4-gang box in a backroom or utility space
- controlled by system keypads, eliminating wall clutter
- on/off button provides manual override
- suggested list is \$840

### **GRAFIK Eye QS**

- offers room-based control for three, four or six lighting zones
- can have up to three shade button columns for added functionality
- fits in a 4-gang wallbox
- can be configured with a wired or wireless setup and is retrofitable
- suggested list is \$1,030-\$1,420 for most popular models

**RF Maestro-style Phase-Adaptive Dimmer**

- 600w designer-style Maestro dimmer with forward and reverse phase adaptive dimming
- for use with numerous load types: incandescent, halogen, magnetic and electronic low-voltage, dimmable CFLs and dimmable LEDs
- allows homeowners to use the most energy-efficient bulbs on the market
- suggested list is \$249

**Support of Sivoia QS Venetian Blinds with Intelligent Tilt Alignment™**

- available in software version 1.3.3 and higher
- expand shade offerings with the superior functionality of Lutron
- blinds automatically adjust to preset blind height and slat tilt angle with the touch of a button
- Intelligent Tilt Alignment ensures that the slat angle between adjacent blinds remains within 1/16th of an inch of each other for a clean look.
- Venetian blind controls (keypads and remotes) feature buttons for adjusting slat tilt angle.

Lutron's HomeWorks-qualified Residential System Providers can access the software free of charge at <http://resi.lutron.com>

**About Lutron Electronics ([www.lutron.com](http://www.lutron.com))**

Lutron Electronics, headquartered in Coopersburg, Pennsylvania, designs and manufactures energy-saving lighting controls, automated window treatments and appliance modules for both residential and commercial applications. Its innovative, intuitive products can be used to control everything from a single light, to every light, shade and even stand-by power in a home or commercial building. Lutron products make any space more versatile, while enhancing ambiance, comfort and productivity. They also save energy and make light bulbs last longer, making them an eco-friendly addition to the home and workplace. Founded in 1961, Lutron estimates that the installed base of its products saves the nation nearly 10 billion kWh of electricity, or approximately \$1 billion in utility costs per year. Lutron manufactures more than 16,000 energy-saving products, sold in more than 100 countries around the world.

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