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### **PRESS RELEASE**

#### **“Solar Powered Lighting Proves Worth When Power Outage”**

**Honolulu, HI** – December 26, 2008 – At about 7:00 p.m. a lightning storm over Honolulu knocked out electricity throughout most of Oahu. Among the darkness over the Iwilei neighborhood, an 21W high-intensity LEDs outdoor area lighting located at AA Electric Ltd's facility on Alakawa Street burns brightly, powered by a force even lighting storm could not destroy – the sun.

Photo #1:

AA Electric Ltd's facility  
on Alakawa Street

taken at 8:00 p.m.

December 26, 2008



The solar powered outdoor area lights are renewable energy solutions delivered by Honolulu-based PVATUS, a company that has installed Hawaii's first solar powered low-pressure sodium light in January 2008. Besides serving as an emergency power backup, the benefits of using solar energy are significant. If saving money on electricity bills don't sound good enough, think about the carbon emission that can be reduced by switching to solar powered lighting.

PVATUS's products also stand proud in the Kalihi area. PVATUS has received compliments on the reliable performance of the two off-grid solar powered 36W low-pressure sodium lights at Air Central Inc's facility on Hau Street. These were the only outdoor lightings for Hau Street during the power outage, and the neighborhoods are very glad for the security they provided.

Photo #2:  
Air Central Inc's facility  
on Hau Street  
taken at 8:15 p.m.  
December 26, 2008



The effects of the lighting storm on December 26 led Honolulu residents to realize how dependent they are on electricity. The importance of electricity and illumination during a blackout is not always appreciated until the grid power actually goes out. PVATUS knows the importance of alternative energy resources and is now ready to provide renewable energy solutions to communities across Hawaii.

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PVATUS is a renewable energy company based in Honolulu, Hawaii. PVATUS is dedicated to enhancing the solar powered lighting system by increasing the luminosity through application of the low-pressure sodium lamp and LED technologies. PVATUS delivers cost-effective means for producing same level of luminosity with less electrical power.

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