



## **Primus Power to Receive Fourth and Fifth U.S. Patents**

### ***Five Patents in Less Than One Year Acknowledge Disruptive Design***

**HAYWARD, CA. May 27, 2012** -- Primus Power, a leader in grid-scale energy storage, has received Notices of Allowance for two additional U.S. patent applications from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. These patents will be the fourth and fifth U.S. patent issued to Primus since November 2011. Allowed patent application entitled “Electrochemical Energy System” covers the design of the Company’s innovative flow cell system and stack, while application entitled “Metal Electrode Assembly for Flow Batteries” covers the design of the Company’s innovative electrode assembly. Collectively, the Company’s five U.S. patents cover key innovations on chemistry, cell design and battery operation.

“Receiving five patents in a short period of time is a remarkable achievement for Primus. It is a significant testament to innovation in the original design by our founder Rick Winter and the careful refinement by the Primus team since then”, said Tom Stepien, Primus Power’s CEO. “We are also extremely grateful to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office’s Green Technology Pilot Program that accelerates review of key ideas that create green jobs and promote U.S. competitiveness in the vital green tech sector”.

### **About Primus Power**

Primus Power is a leader in grid-scale energy storage solutions with a low-cost, scalable, distributed system. With patented innovations in chemistry, cell design and system engineering, the Company’s EnergyCell and EnergyPods™ products offer exceptional power density and portability at industry-low prices. Primus is the only company to receive government grants from the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE), the Advanced Research Projects Agency – Energy (ARPA-E), and the California Energy Commission (CEC). Its technology stands to revolutionize the economics, stability, and security of the electric grid, while accelerating the incorporation of renewable wind and solar energy.