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GP Batteries' two Vectrix scooters named "European e-Scooter of the Year"

Vectrix, a wholly-owned subsidiary of GP Batteries International Limited, won the "European e-Scooter of the Year" award for its two models of electric scooters, VX-1 Li / Li+ and VX-2. Vectrix's leadership position in personal electric vehicles market is recognized by this honour presented at "Clean Week 2020" in Belgium earlier this year.



The election of "European e-Scooter of the Year" is a key event of the annual "Clean Week 2020", which is considered as the most complete eco-mobility event in Europe. The prominent judging panel comprised automotive and motorcycle journalists in Europe. The stringent judging criterion included ecoscore (consumption, emissions and noise), driving range, recycling, price, performance / consumption, drivability, etc. Vectrix successfully won in two out of four categories of e-scooters, its VX-1 Li / Li+ won in the "Over 45 km/h(30mph)" class and VX-2 in the "Under 25 km/h(15mph)" class.

"We are honored that our zero-emission scooters are recognized by such a prestigious panel of experts," said Andrew Ng, Chairman and Chief Executive of GP Batteries. "We have been developing batteries for e-transportation for more than 15 years and have directly participated in the industry since the acquisition of Vectrix in 2009. With the introduction of our batteries, the range and performance of Vectrix scooters have been greatly enhanced. The winning of this award manifests our commitment to provide high-performance power sources for a greener tomorrow."

Vectrix VX-1 Li and VX-1 Li+ are the latest generation of Vectrix's flagship model VX-1. They run on a 3.8kWh and a 5.4kWh lithium battery respectively, and accelerate to a maximum speed of 110 km/h. Every single charge of the battery supports a range up to 136 km. The VX-1 model has been popular with consumers, law enforcement and public service applications worldwide.

The smaller electric scooter VX-2 is new to Vectrix product lineup and is designed for lower-speed urban, neighborhood and small-town trips. VX-2 achieves a maximum speed of 45km/h and its battery pack supports a range of up to 88km.





The two winning models of Vectrix scooters, VX-1 Li+ (left) and VX-2 (right)

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Background information on GP Batteries

GP Batteries International Limited is principally engaged in the development, manufacture and marketing of batteries and battery-related products. It has been listed on the Mainboard of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited since 1991.

Since its establishment under the Gold Peak Group in Hong Kong, GP Batteries has developed to the world's top 5 battery manufacturer and Asia's No. 1 consumer battery manufacturer (excluding Japan). It is also the largest consumer battery manufacturer in China. It supplies an extensive range of battery products to original equipment manufacturers, leading battery companies as well as consumer retail markets under its own **GP** brand name.

GP Batteries' major production facilities are located in Singapore, Hong Kong, China, Taiwan and Malaysia, supported by marketing and trading offices spanning across Asia, Europe and North America.

For more information on GP Batteries, please visit our website at:

www.gpbatteries.com.sg

About Vectrix

Vectrix was founded in 1996 with the objective to provide clean, efficient, reliable and affordable inner-city transportation. Its zero-emission vehicle Vectrix is designed in the US and manufactured in Europe, and its flagship model VX-1 is the world's first all-electric scooter lawfully permissible to run on highways and freeways. Vectrix was acquired by GP Batteries International Limited in 2009.

www.vectrix.com

About Clean Week 2020

Clean Week 2020 is an annual event in Belgium bringing manufacturers, suppliers, the media and the general public together around state-of-the-art technologies of green cars and two-wheelers. It is considered as the most complete eco-mobility event in Europe and is supported by The Federation of European Motorcyclists Associations that is composed of 24 national organisations in Europe representing nearly 350,000 motorcyclists.

www.cleanweek2020.be/en/