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### Celeros expands Intellectual Property with new U.S. Patent.

Patent portfolio now includes more than 9 issued patents and numerous patent applications.

**FOXBORO, MA U.S., May 25, 2011** --Specialty equipment manufacturer Celeros Inc., announced today that the United States Patent and Trademark Office has issued patent number 7,935,042 for its piston discharge centrifugal separator products.

The patent, entitled "Gas Driven Solids Discharge and Pumping Piston for a Centrifugal Separator" was issued on May 3, 2011 and is a continuation of U.S. Patent Number 7,618,361 issued on Nov. 17, 2009. This patent covers Celeros unique piston discharge technology, referred to as Automatic Piston Discharge or APD, making Celeros the only separator choice to handle precious, sticky bio-materials in a low-shear manner capable of precise, low moisture solids recovery, superior to disk machines and with higher product recovery than filtration systems.

- With APD technology, Celeros provides a scalable line of centrifugal separation equipment for a wide variety of bio-processing applications including vaccine production, whole cell separation (mammalian and microbial) and blood plasma fractionation.

"Celeros is focused on providing innovative technology to drive process improvements," said Wayne Nettnay, V.P. of Sales and Marketing. "Celeros APD technology sets the new standard for separation in the Biotech marketplace. We expect further adoption of Celeros technology in the coming 12 months."

#### About Celeros Inc.

Celeros creates business advantages for biotech and pharmaceutical organizations by delivering practical and sustainable innovative products to enable significant advancements in process yield and automation. Pioneering patented Automated Discharge technology for demanding Biotech and pharmaceutical separation applications, Celeros' innovations provide immediate and sustainable bottom line results. Celeros is driving process improvement and operational excellence for customers worldwide. For more information visit [www.celerosinc.com](http://www.celerosinc.com).

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