3rd Quarter 2018 Earnings Call

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CUI Global, Inc.

NASDAQ:CUI

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Forward-Looking Statements

This document contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended. Such statements are subject to risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to vary materially from those projected in the forward-looking statements.

The company may experience significant fluctuations in future operating results due to a number of economic, competitive, and other factors, including, among other things, our reliance on third-party manufacturers and suppliers, government agency budgetary and political constraints, new or increased competition, changes in market demand, and the performance or reliability of our products.

These factors and others could cause operating results to vary significantly from those in prior periods, and those projected in forward-looking statements. Additional information with respect to these and other factors, which could materially affect the company and its operations, are included in certain forms the company has filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission.
Effective January 1, 2018, CUI Global adopted Accounting Standards Update (ASU) No. 2014-09, 'Revenue from Contracts with Customers’ (Topic 606), utilizing the modified retrospective method. In this presentation the Company also provides its results for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2018 under old revenue rules, ASC Topic 605 (Topic 605), as required under the modified retrospective transition method to allow easier comparison with prior results.

For a detailed explanation of revenue recognition under both Topic 606 and Topic 605, please refer to Note 2 and 3 of the Company’s Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements found in its Form 10-Q filed on November 7, 2018.
### Segment Gross Margin and Backlog

**Power & Electromechanical segment:**
- 35.4% gross margin in Q3
- Unaudited backlog of $25.6 million at September 30, 2018
  - Up 27% from December 31, 2017

**Energy segment:**
- 25.6% gross margin in Q3
- Unaudited backlog of $16.0 million at September 30, 2018
  - Up 27% from December 31, 2017

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### Summary Financial Highlights

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<th>For the 3 months ended September 30, 2018</th>
<th>For the 9 months ended September 30, 2018</th>
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<td>(ASC 606)</td>
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<td>Total revenues</td>
<td>$24.7</td>
<td>$23.6</td>
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<td>Gross Profit</td>
<td>$8.3</td>
<td>$7.8</td>
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<td>Gross Profit %</td>
<td>33.4%</td>
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<td>Consolidated Net loss</td>
<td>$(1.5)</td>
<td>$(2.0)</td>
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EBITDA Comparison

- EBITDA for the third quarter 2018 was $(0.8) million versus EBITDA of $(1.2) million for third quarter 2017.

- Adjusted EBITDA for the third quarter 2018 was $(0.8) million versus adjusted EBITDA of $(1.1) million for the third quarter 2017.

*In thousands*
Balance Sheet Highlights

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<th>As of September 30, 2018</th>
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<td>Cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash</td>
<td>$3.2</td>
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<td>Total Debt</td>
<td>$10.5</td>
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<td>Shareholders’ Equity</td>
<td>$49.7</td>
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**Additional Sources of Working Capital**

- Sale of Tualatin building would net approximately $4.5 million in cash
- $3.3 million available of $4.0 million Wells Fargo line of credit
- $1.2 million available of $2.0 million Wells Fargo overdraft facility
Europe:
• UK – demand catalyzed by May 22 passage of Domestic and Non-Domestic Renewable Heat Incentive
  • Applicable to biomethane, low-pressure off-takes, high-pressure intakes and Future Billing Methodology project
  • 100s of new biomethane terminals expected
• Future Billing Methodology project – seeks to help unlock the full potential of the gas network to distribute renewable and low carbon alternative gases, helping to deliver an affordable low carbon energy future for consumers
  • Ultimate deployment: 5,000 to 45,000 GasPTs over 2-5 years
  • Entering Phase 2 of 3: field trials throughout the U.K.
• EU ETS
  • Certification enables GasPT certification to be utilized for FBM-like projects in other Western European countries
• Italy – Awaiting restart of 3,300-unit GasPT contract; total potential: 7,000 units
• France – awaiting order for 1,000-unit GasPT order from ENGIE; GasPT spec’d into tender

North America:
• Building demand for GasPT from leading gas producers and transporters
• Building demand for VE Technology with leading energy companies
  • Seeing greater adoption of sampling systems by existing customers
• GasPT for process control application
  • GasPT certification process with global turbine manufacturer on track for late FY18/early FY2019 approval
    → Certification to add GasPT to manufacturer’s BoM; enables CUI Global to pursue retrofit market globally

Global:
• SAMSON AG
  • Establishes first global sales and distribution for GasPT, VE Technology and combined GasPTi analyzer
  • Provides access to previously untapped large gas markets: Russia, China, Africa, South America
# Power & ElectroMechanical – ICE Technology Offers Revenue Optionality

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<td>ICE Switch</td>
<td>Small data center</td>
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<td>• Power monitoring and</td>
<td>• $750,000 opportunity</td>
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<td>switching system</td>
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<td>• Complimentary to ICE</td>
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<td>• First order valued</td>
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<td>at $2.9M announced on</td>
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<td>February 26, 2018</td>
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<td>• UL certification</td>
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**PROGRESSING PROOF OF CONCEPTS IN 2018 TOWARDS VOLUME ORDERS IN 2019**
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