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## **Tapemark is DEA Registered as a Schedule III – V Manufacturer of Controlled Substances**

(West St. Paul, MN – October 4, 2010) Tapemark is pleased to announce that it is now DEA registered as a Schedule III – V Manufacturer of Controlled Substances. The Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA), a component of the US Department of Justice, granted the registration today following a successful inspection. It is effective immediately.

Andy Rensink, president and COO of Tapemark, notes, “We are very excited to enter the market for controlled substances, which represents an elite level of pharmaceutical manufacturing. Our ability to manufacture Schedule III – V Controlled Substances brings a wealth of new opportunities to Tapemark, with our first customer project already underway. We believe this further differentiates Tapemark as the industry-leading contract manufacturer for the pharmaceutical and medical device markets.”

### **About Tapemark**

The Tapemark Company is a privately-held contract manufacturer with multiple facilities in West St. Paul, Minnesota, serving the medical, pharmaceutical, and consumer products markets. Supported single-use drug delivery formats include active and passive transdermal patches, topical patches and pads, soluble film, hydrogel, and Tapemark’s patented Snap!<sup>®</sup> packaging. Tapemark provides medical devices such as test strips, dressings, sensors, and closure and attachment devices, and multi-layer, die-cut components used in a wide range of devices and applications. Tapemark is cGMP-compliant, ISO 9001 and 13485 certified, and FDA registered as a Drug, Device, Food, and Cosmetics contract manufacturer. In addition, Tapemark is DEA registered as a Schedule III – V Manufacturer of Controlled Substances. Supporting its expanding global reach, Tapemark is EU-compliant and certified in Japan. Learn more about Tapemark at [www.tapemark.com](http://www.tapemark.com).

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