

***For Immediate Release***

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**DIODES' TAIWAN SUBSIDIARY NOT DAMAGED  
IN TAIWAN EARTHQUAKE**

**Westlake Village, California — September 21, 1999 — Diodes Incorporated (Amex: DIO)** today announced that Diodes-Taiwan — its sales and manufacturing subsidiary located in Hsin-Tien City, a suburb of Taipei, Taiwan — was not damaged in Monday's earthquake.

Although the city is currently without electric power, at this time the disruption is not expected to have any significant effect on operations.

The Company also announced that third-quarter revenues and earnings (which will be reported during the week of October 25, 1999) are expected to exceed both third-quarter 1998 and second-quarter 1999 results.

Diodes Incorporated provides high-quality discrete semiconductor devices and customer support to leading manufacturers in the automotive, electronics, computing and telecommunications industries. Through the Company's ISO-9000 and QS-9000 certified manufacturing facilities, Diodes' products, marketed under the *Vishay/Lite-On Power Semiconductor* brand, include small-signal transistors and MOSFETs, transient voltage suppressors (TVSs), zeners, Schottkys, diodes, rectifiers and bridges

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