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RICCA Chemical Company Adds Two New Product Lines, Reinforces Position as the Largest Independent Manufacturer of Inorganic Laboratory Reagents, Standards and Solutions in North America

Karl Fischer Reagents for Moisture Analysis and AA/ICP/IC Spectroscopy Standards that Meet ISO 17025/Guide 34 Guidelines Added to RICCA's Product Lineup

ARLINGTON, TX – On the heels of the company's fortieth anniversary, RICCA Chemical Company, responding to market demand, announced two new product lines: Karl Fischer Reagents for Moisture Analysis which will be marketed under the RICCA brand name HydroSpec™, and AA/ICP/IC Spectroscopy Standards which will be marketed under the RICCA brand name VeriSpec™. Bringing these two product lines to market extends the company's position as the largest independent manufacturer of chemical testing solutions in North America.

“We are proud of our reputation for never cutting corners to deliver our customers products that meet the tightest standards. Our new product lines are no different – both product lines are NIST traceable where available, and have the tightest specifications tolerances, ensuring low lot-to-lot variability. In fact, all products come with a Certificate of Analysis for convenient reference,” said Doug Dowd, President at RICCA.

RICCA now offers a full line of Karl Fischer Reagents for Moisture Analysis including both Coulometric and Volumetric Reagents, all formulated for high performance and reliable results. The reagents support a wide range of sample types from Ethanol to Fuels, to Fats and Oils, and General Organic Chemicals. Volumetric Reagents are available for both one-and-two component titrations,

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and also include solvents compatible with a variety of sample types. Coulometric Reagents are available for titration cells with or without a diaphragm. Specialized reagents are designed to better analyze samples insoluble in Methanol to ensure fast, reliable and reproducible results. Product details include:

- Reagents available in 500 mL and 1 L sizes
- 1 L Bottles have the industry standard GL45 Neck Finish for convenient connection
- Stable formulations and comprehensive chemical compatibility
- 5-Year shelf life for most reagents
- Samples available upon request

RICCA now provides AA/ICP/IC Standards that meet ISO 17025/Guide 34 requirements with the VeriSpec™ line of certified reference materials, guaranteeing the products provide precise and accurate results. The ICP/ICP-MS standards are available in both single-element and multi-element solutions. Products include elements required by the EPA Contract Laboratory Program. Both single and multi-element standards are applicable to standard methods such as EPA 200.7, 200.8, 200.9, SW-846, 6010, 6020, 200.11, etc. Certificates of Analysis contain details for 70 trace elements and impurities.

Laboratories that source with RICCA can expect the highest level of quality with ISO 17025/Guide 34 accreditations. In addition to increased confidence in analyses, laboratories get detailed Certificates of Analysis depicting traceability of measurements and calibrations to national standards. RICCA also produces custom blends to meet specific laboratory requirements.

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