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eluminocity's Intelligent Street Light is part of the new world class Innovation Centre in Singapore

Munich, 06th August 2018, Singtel launches FutureNow Innovation Centre (FIC) to help accelerate enterprises' digital transformation.

"Everyone has a role to play in promoting innovation, including the Government, small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs) and educational and research institutions. Large local enterprises can also collaborate with SMEs and educational institutions to help in industry transformation." Finance Minister Heng Swee Keat, made these remarks at the launch of the Singtel FutureNow Innovation Centre in Exeter Road, which aims to help enterprises accelerate their digital transformation to remain competitive and relevant in the digital economy.

"Singtel is putting together its expertise in the telco market, familiarity with Singapore and regional customer bases, and exposure to digital solutions, to partner SMEs to digitalize and innovate. It is a contribution to pervasive innovation and economic transformation," Mr. Heng said at the opening on 6. Aug 2018. "I believe, especially in this age of rapid technological changes, that innovation is critical to how countries, companies and individuals can continue to create value and benefit."

"We have brought together a number of industry subject matter experts who are contributing to the various industries' transformation," said Mr. Bill Chang, chief executive officer of group enterprise at Singtel. "Together with the advanced technologies through our various research and development labs, product development and extensive partnership ecosystems, we are bringing innovative and impactful services and solutions to help accelerate enterprises in their digitalization journeys."

Part of the permanent exhibition at the FIC is the intelligent street light by Munich based eluminocity GmbH. Intelligent sensors integrated in the luminaire transform street lights into multi-functional allrounders providing valuable solutions for smart cities.

Sebastian Jagsch, Founder and CEO of eluminocity had this to say: "We are honoured to take part in this world class innovation centre. We find street lights in every city; street infrastructure is perfectly suited for urban sensor technology. Integrated in the head of the luminaire, the sensor hub supports a broad variety of smart city use cases such object detection and classification, object counting, speed measurement, cyber security, advanced wireless connectivity and on demand lighting. This latest installation at the FIC amplifies the collaboration between Singtel and eluminocity."

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