## IDEX ASA Annual General Meeting 2010

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### 12 Successful months for IDEX

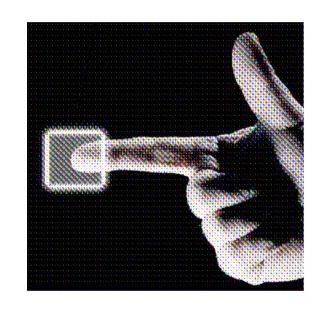
- Accepted for listing at Oslo Axess
- IDEX receives the Frost & Sullivan Global Swipe Sensor Product Differentiation Innovation of the Year Award
- New licensing agreements, manufacturing partnerships and evaluation agreements closed
- The groundbreaking SmartFinger® Film technology presented to the market





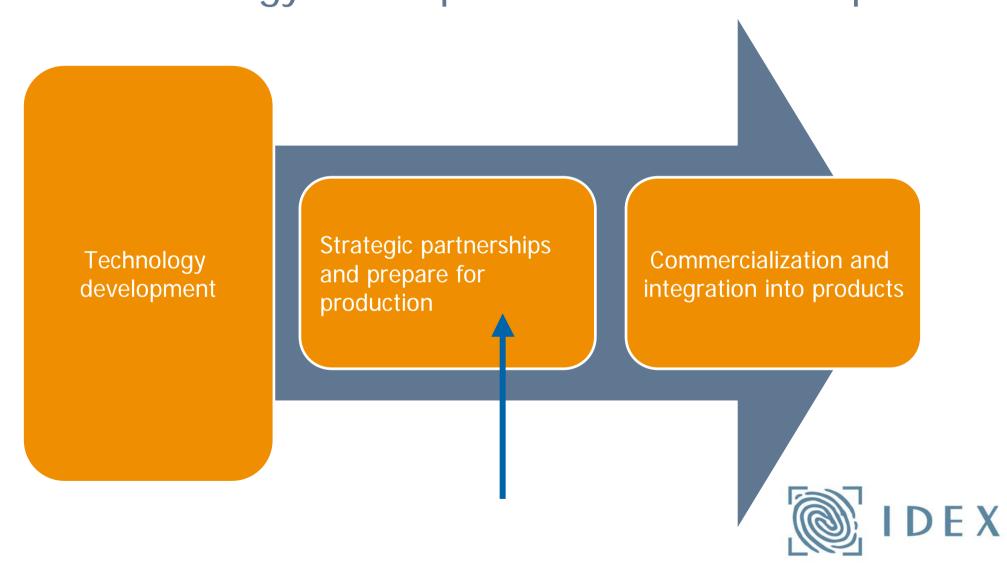
### Goals for 2010

- To release the SmartFinger® Film fingerprint sensor product
- To have the SmartFinger®
   technology implemented in products
   on the market
- To generate revenues from customers





### IDEX' next step: From technology development to commercial phase



### IDEX' road to mass markets

#### IDEX has from the out-set offered a superior technology

- Lacked commercial volume manufacturing partner
- Cost structure never low enough for commercial adoption
- The chosen markets, mobile, PC, has shown be slow adopters

#### Today in a favourable position

- 1. Focus on exciting <u>market opportunities</u>; ID, access and Financial cards
- 2. Continuous development has put us into the lead with the new <a href="SmartFinger® Film">SmartFinger® Film</a> sensors and authentication software
- 3. Established manufacturing partners to bring cost down
- 4. Strengthened focus on marketing and sales



# The market opportunity; ID, access control, financial transactions and commerce



### Personal security for every card you own

SmartFinger® Film, the next generation biometric sensor technology;

- ensures safe, secure, and simple use of personal ID in the everyday life.
- offers *stand-alone* biometric systems independent of centralized databases.
- enables *on-device* fingerprint enrollment and verification.
- suitable for receptive *mass market* applications.





### Identity theft - a massive challenge

- Identity theft is doubling every year.
- Identity fraud in the U.S. alone cost more than USD 55 billion.
- Added security is required for ID, access control, transactions and commerce.
- Fingerprint biometrics is the obvious solution.





### Fingerprint ID for the mass-market

- "On-device" authentication
  - Privacy
  - Data handling
  - Security
- Compatibility with existing infrastructure
  - Terminals
  - Internet banking and commerce
  - Access gates
  - ATMs





### A variety of applications and markets

- E-commerce
- Online banking services
- Universities
- Health care
- Physical & logical access
- Government and civilian identification
- Airport security

- Online brokerages
- P2P money exchange
- Credit & Debit cards
- IT service providers
- Prepaid cards
- Transportation
- Telecoms



### The card market is an immense potential

Governmental ID

Military

Financial institutions

**Annual total** 

Enterprise & physical access

5 billion cards

75 million cards

3 billion cards

1 billion cards

9 billion cards





# The SmartFinger® Film Next generation technology.



### The SmartFinger® Film;

- IDEX' next generation fingerprint sensor technology
- Based on state-of-the-art polymer manufacturing and offers small, ultrathin and flexible fingerprint sensors
- Compliant with the standard smart card dimensions
- Technology and products are covered by approved and filed IDEX patents

"We are excited by IDEX's technological breakthrough. This will enable Validus to deliver ISO form factor compliance biometric VALIDcard™ in the second half of 2010"

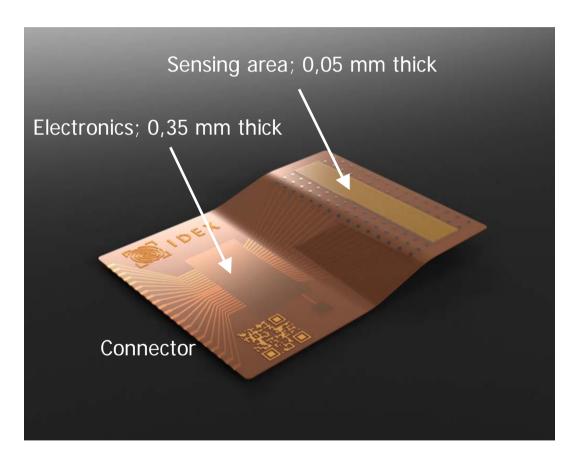
Travis McGregor CEO of Validus Technologies one of IDEX' global partners in the field of powered biometric cards.





## The SmartFinger® Film, designed for card integration

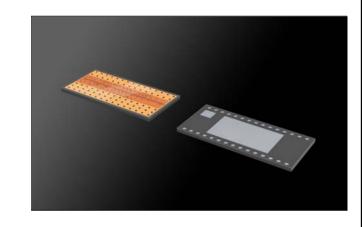
- Sensing area thickness: 0,05 mm
- Thickness of electronics part: 0,35 mm
- Smart card thickness:
   0,76 mm





### Product development progress

- First SmartFinger® Film sensors completed by IDEX manufacturing partners.
- Verification proves successful technology implementation.
- First sensor samples shipped to Validus for evaluation and product integration.
- SmartFinger® Film product design, in process. Prototypes expected in June.

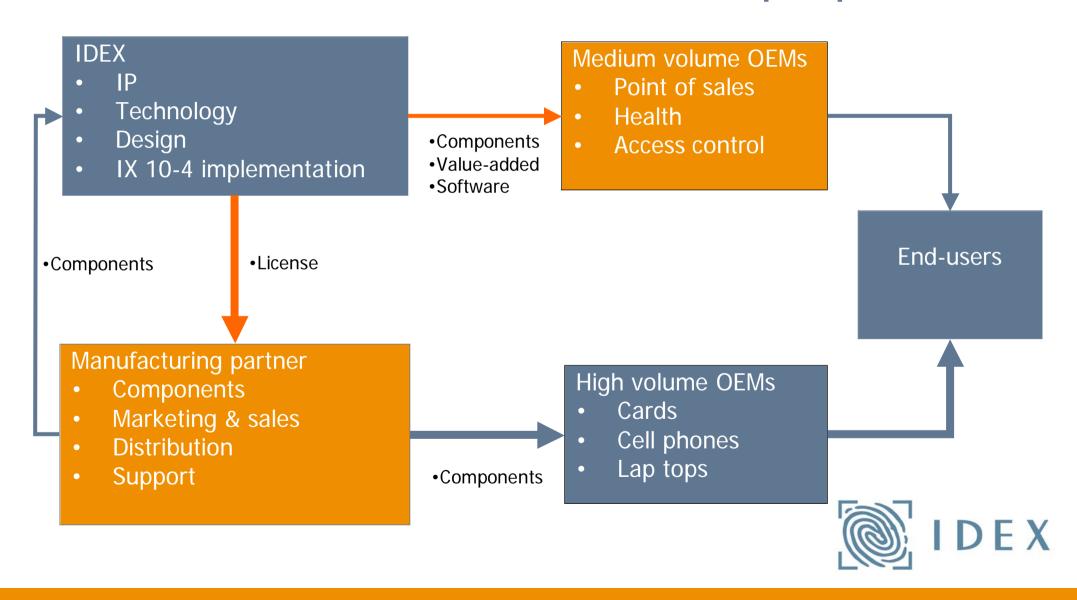




## Business plan The road to mass market adoption



### Business models – our business proposal



### Manufacturing partnerships are key

- Manufacturing and IP licensing partnership between IDEX and Ionics EMS Inc. providing Ionics rights to manufacturing and sales of fingerprint sensor products based on IDEX' patented SmartFinger® technology.
- Ionics is a leading electronics services provider based in the Philippines and listed at the Singapore Stock Exchange.
- Technology transfer completed and first SmartFinger® Film samples are under test and verification.





### This is Ionics EMS

- 7 manufacturing sites in Philippines
- 55000 square meters of production area
- 60 Surface Mount Technology (SMT) lines
- 1600 employees
- ISO9001-2000; ISO14000 TL9000; TS16949 certified
- Recipient of Hong Kong Shanghai Banking Corporation's (HSBC)
  - "Asia's 100 Best Companies" award











### Sales and marketing update

 At CARTES Asia exhibition in Hong-Kong IDEX received 60 qualified visitors from 20 countries. 10 promising accounts are closely followed up by IDEX' sales representatives and IDEX head quarters



- New customer opportunities opened in USA, Asia and Europe
- Validus Technologies is committed to design the IDEX SmartFinger® Film sensor into their powered card platform



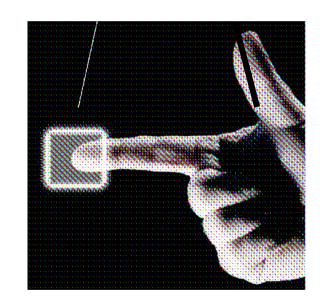
### Focus on sales, marketing and commercialization

- IDEX restructuring its organization and projects with focus on sales, marketing and customer support
- Knut I. Pogost appointed sales and marketing representative for the Far East
- Daniel Dingley appointed sales and marketing representative for Europe and India
- Ramp-up to volume production



### Outlook

- Q1 2010:
  - SmartFinger® technology verified and presented to the market
- Q2 2010:
  - Samples and demo kits ready for shipment
  - First product prototypes ready
- Q3 2010:
  - Customers evaluation completed
- Q4 2010:
  - Customers design-in
- Q1 2011:
  - Customers products shipped









### Summary

- SmartFinger® is the *next generation* fingerprint sensor technology suitable for a range of mass market applications
- IDEX undergoes a transition from a technology developer to become a commercially focused high-tech company
- IDEX is strengthening the sales and marketing organization
- IDEX has established relationships with suitable manufacturing partners to deliver solutions a competitive price/performance nexus.
- IDEX is offering flexible business models and partnerships including IP licensing, manufacturing, joint development and component supply