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## **Light Instruments Signs Distribution Agreement with experienced Italian Medical Lasers Company**

*Garda Lasers to sell LiteTouch™ and Laser-in-Handpiece™ technologies in Italy*

**July 11<sup>th</sup>, 2018 – Yokneam, Israel** – Light Instruments Ltd. ([www.light-inst.com](http://www.light-inst.com)), the world's leading provider of innovative dental laser technologies and the inventor of the LiteTouch™ and Laser-in-Handpiece technology announced today it signed a distribution agreement with Garda Laser ([www.gardalaser.it](http://www.gardalaser.it)) an Italian company specializing in manufacturing, distribution and service of medical lasers.

Garda Laser, an experienced lasers provider in the Italian dental market, will sell and provide full training and service for Light Instruments` laser products.

For the past six years, Garda Laser has been providing sophisticated and cutting-edge dental products and technologies in the Italian market. The company also invests in fostering collaboration with the oral surgeons and dental specialists to provide high level training to its customers in Italy.

LiteTouch™ is the world's smallest versatile Erbium YAG dental laser for both hard and soft tissue dental treatments. LiteTouch`s unique "Laser-in-Handpiece" technology houses the entire laser mechanism within a small sized chamber (12 cm long by 2.3 cm diameter). The LiteTouch™ is fiber-free (there is no fiber in the delivery mechanism), thus enabling unlimited movement of the swivel, which maneuvers just like a turbine drill. LiteTouch™ and its "Laser-in-Handpiece" technology, gained industrial design awards such as Red Dot and A-Award, and as expected by leading analysts\* is making its way to become the dominating technology in the laser all-tissue dental market.

"We are delighted to have Garda Laser join the Light Instruments family," said Adv. Eric Ben Mayor, Light Instruments` CEO, "Italy is the world`s fifth largest dental market and Europe`s second largest market, with 60 thousand dentists across the country. We look forward to working hand-in-hand with Garda Laser – a company with strong technical skills and good reputation among Italian dentists. This collaboration marks an excellent opportunity to further broaden the LiteTouch™ European customer base. Light Instruments continues to forge strong partnerships and build tight collaborations with top distributors in major international markets who share the company`s vision for the future of laser dentistry."

Mr. Angelo Cucinotta, CEO of Garda Laser commented, "Garda Laser is pleased to partner with Light Instruments. Our company target is to provide cutting edge technologies and products, suitable to our high quality and reliability standards." Mr. Cucinotta added, "We believe that Light Instruments LiteTouch™ and its Laser-in-Handpiece provide the dental laser market with an advanced technology, which finally encapsulates all the lasers` clinical advantages with a unique, barrier-free maneuverability. Mr. Angelo Cucinotta added, "Light Instruments` LiteTouch™ Er:YAG laser system is the world`s leading dental laser, its addition to our portfolio further broadens our high-end dental lasers offering."

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### About Light Instruments Ltd

Light Instruments Ltd. is an Israel-based company that has made its name as an innovator in the dental laser field, continually raising the bar with its advanced high-end technologies. In 2007, Light Instruments introduced the revolutionary Laser-in-Handpiece technology as part of its flagship LiteTouch™ dental laser, the world's most versatile non-fiber Er:YAG laser device for soft and hard tissue dental treatments.

### About Garda Laser

Garda Laser is an Italian company having as its corporate purpose in design, manufacture, sale and service of medical laser.

Our company offer to users training courses for clinical applications in dentistry.

The reliability of its products, the after-sales service and specialized training courses allow Garda Laser to ensure optimal levels of customer satisfaction.

The company, by using its organization, its equipment and its specialized technical personnel, provides a direct, rapid and efficient customer service.



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\*\* According to i-Data 2013 Laser Dentistry market report