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**HAMILTON THORNE TO PRESENT AT BIOCONTACT 2010 HEALTHCARE
CONFERENCE ON OCTOBER 6**

TORONTO, Ontario – September 29, 2010 - Hamilton Thorne Ltd. (TSX-V: HTL), a leading provider of advanced laser systems for the regenerative medicine and stem cell research markets, today announced that Meg Spencer, the Company's Chief Executive Officer and Co-Founder, will present at the BioContact Quebec 2010 Annual Healthcare conference in Québec City, Québec.

Ms. Spencer will discuss Hamilton Thorne's quarterly sales growth, up 57% year-over-year and sales up 36% over the first quarter, upcoming product launches and growth strategy for the Company as it expands into developmental biology applications.

WHEN: Wednesday, October 6th, 2010 at 11:00am (Eastern Time)

WHERE: Salle Place d'Armes, Château Frontenac

For more information on the conference please visit <http://www.biocontact.qc.ca>.

About Hamilton Thorne Ltd. (www.hamiltonthorne.com)

Hamilton Thorne is a leading provider of advanced laser systems for the regenerative medicine, and stem cell research markets. Hamilton Thorne's lead products, the ZILOS-tk and XYClone laser systems, attach to standard inverted microscopes and operate as robotic micro-surgeons, significantly reducing time and increasing efficiency in key in-vitro fertilization, stem cell, and regenerative medical research applications. The new Staccato and Stiletto laser systems are designed to broaden the Company's markets and offer significant advantages to developmental biology and cell biology researchers.

Hamilton Thorne's growing customer base includes pharmaceutical companies, biotechnology companies, fertility clinics, university research centers, and other commercial and academic research establishments worldwide. Current customers include world-leading research labs such as Harvard University, MIT, Yale, DuPont, Monsanto, Charles River Labs, Jackson Labs, Merck, Novartis, Pfizer, Oxford University, and Cambridge.

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