VIASPACE Inc. Form 10-Q

November 19, 2012	
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION	
Washington, D.C. 20549	
FORM 10-Q	
x Quarterly Report pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Sec	curities and Exchange Act of 1934
For the quarterly period ended September 30, 2012	
or	
o Transition report pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Sec	-
Commission File Number 333-110680	
VIASPACE INC.	
(Exact name of small business issuer as specified in its ch	arter)
Nevada (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)	76-0742386 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)
382 N. Lemon Ave., Suite 364, Walnut, CA 91789	
(Address of principal executive offices)	
(626) 768-3360	
(Issuer's telephone number)	

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. YES x NO o

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate website, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files). YES x NO o

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer" and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large accelerated filer o Accelerated filer o
Non-accelerated filer o (Do not check if a smaller reporting company)

Smaller reporting company x

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Act). YES o NO x

Indicate the number of shares outstanding of each of the issuer's classes of common stock, as of the latest practicable date: 1,428,232,986 shares of \$0.001 par value common stock issued and outstanding as of November 14, 2012.

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# PART I – FINANCIAL INFORMATION

# ITEM 1. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

# VIASPACE INC.

# **CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS**

	September 30, 2012 (Unaudited)	December 31, 2011
ASSETS		
CURRENT ASSETS:	Φ <b>7</b> 4.000	ф 10 <b>7</b> 000
Cash and equivalents	\$74,000	\$197,000
Prepaid expenses	226,000	249,000
Current assets from discontinued operations	200.000	2,703,000
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	300,000	3,149,000
OTHER ASSETS:		
Other assets	1,000	2,000
Long term assets from discontinued operations		7,060,000
TOTAL OTHER ASSETS	1,000	7,062,000
TOTAL ASSETS	\$301,000	\$10,211,000
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY		
CURRENT LIABILITIES:		
Accounts payable	\$394,000	\$332,000
Accrued expenses	92,000	30,000
Unearned revenue	33,000	
Due to Changs LLC		866,000
Related party payables	640,000	1,192,000
Current liabilities from discontinued operations		672,000
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES	1,159,000	3,092,000
LONG-TERM LIABILITIES:		
Due to Dr. Kevin Schewe	38,000	
Due to Changs LLC	,	4,265,000
TOTAL LONG-TERM LIABILITIES	38,000	4,265,000
TOTAL LIABILITIES	1,197,000	7,357,000

# COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES (Note 12)

# STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY (DEFICIT):

Preferred stock, \$0.001 par value, 10,000,000 shares authorized, one share of Series A preferred stock issued and outstanding in 2012 and 2011		
Common stock, \$0.001 par value, 1,500,000,000 shares authorized, 1,383,147,082 and 1,333,796,601 shares issued and outstanding in 2012 and 2011, respectively	1,383,000	1,334,000
Additional paid in capital	46,543,000	43,653,000
Accumulated deficit	(49,334,000)	(43,050,000)
Total stockholders' equity (deficit)	(1,408,000)	1,937,000
Noncontrolling interest	512,000	917,000
Total equity (deficit)	(896,000 )	2,854,000
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY	\$301,000	\$10,211,000

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

VIASPACE INC.

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

(Unaudited)

	Three Months September 30,				Nine Months September 30	,		
DEVENIUEC	2012		2011		2012		2011	
REVENUES Grass Security	\$		\$ 20,000		\$27,000		\$ 113,000	
Total revenues			20,000		27,000		113,000	
COST OF REVENUES GROSS PROFIT			16,000 4,000		25,000 2,000		78,000 35,000	
OPERATING EXPENSES								
Operations	5,000		1,000		5,000		11,000	
Selling, general and administrative Total operating expenses	174,000 179,000		349,000 350,000		695,000 700,000		1,136,000 1,147,000	
LOSS FROM OPERATIONS	(179,000	)	(346,000	)	(698,000	)	(1,112,000	)
OTHER INCOME (EXPENSE)								
Interest expense	(194,000	)	(80,000	)	(348,000	)	(239,000	)
Other income			26,000				85,000	
Gain on sale of marketable securities	(10.1.000	,	( <b>5</b> 4 000		(2.10.000		6,000	,
Total other expense (income)	(194,000	)	(54,000	)	(348,000	)	(148,000	)
LOSS FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS BEFORE INCOME TAXES INCOME TAXES	(373,000	)	(400,000	)	(1,046,000	)	(1,260,000	)
LOSS FROM CONTINUED OPERATIONS								
BEFORE DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS	(373,000	)	(400,000	)	(1,046,000	)	(1,260,000	)
Discontinued operations	(5,060,000	)	193,000		(5,328,000	)	199,000	
NET LOSS	(5,433,000	)	(207,000	)	(6,374,000	)	(1,061,000	)
Net loss attributed to noncontrolling interests	22,000	,	(64,000	)	89,000	,	(112,000	)
NET LOSS ATTRIBUTED TO VIASPACE	\$(5,411,000	)	\$(271,000	)	\$(6,285,000	)	\$(1,173,000	)
LOSS PER SHARE OF COMMON STOCK FROM CONTINUING OPERATIONS —Bas and diluted	i¢*		\$*		<b>\$</b> *		<b>\$</b> *	
LOSS PER SHARE OF COMMON STOCK FROM DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS —Basic and diluted	\$*		\$*		\$*		\$*	

NET LOSS PER SHARE OF COMMON

STOCK —Basic and diluted

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WEIGHTED AVERAGE SHARES OUTSTANDING—Basic and diluted

1,383,147,082

1,317,937,086

1,372,377,976

1,287,822,859

\* Less than \$0.01 per common share.

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

# VIASPACE INC.

#### CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE LOSS

(Unaudited)

Three Months Ended Nine Months Ended September 30, September 30,

2012 2011 2012 2011

NET LOSS ATTRIBUTED TO VIASPACE \$(5,411,000) \$(271,000) \$(6,285,000) \$(1,173,000)

Other Comprehensive Income:

Foreign currency translation 8,000 20,000 Subtotal 8,000 20,000 COMPREHENSIVE LOSS \$(5,411,000) \$(263,000) \$(6,285,000) \$(1,153,000)

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

# VIASPACE INC.

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

(Unaudited)

	Nine Montl September 2012	30		
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:	¢ (C 274 00	0.)	¢ /1 0 / 1 00	ω)
Net loss Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash provided by (used in) operating activities:	\$(6,374,00	J)	\$(1,061,00	U)
Depreciation	79,000		72,000	
Amortization of intangible assets	45,000		62,000	
Stock option compensation expense	194,000		505,000	
Stock compensation expense related to stock issued	410,000		745,000	
Operating expenses paid in stock issued	80,000		199,000	
Gain (loss) on disposal of assets	3,000		3,000	
Loss on deconsolidation of VIASPACE Green Energy	4,969,000	,	5,000	
(Increase) decrease in:	4,202,000			
Accounts receivable	(52,000	)	(249,000	)
Inventory	(84,000	)	,	,
Prepaid expenses	(46,000	)	34,000	
Increase (decrease) in:	(40,000	,	54,000	
Accounts payable	7,000		251,000	
Accrued expenses and other	142,000		(147,000	)
Unearned revenue	33,000		(147,000	,
Related party, net	(52,000	)	372,000	
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	•	)	866,000	
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CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:				
Additions of fixed assets	(92,000	)	(244,000	)
Additions to land leases	(144,000	)		
Reduction in cash on deconsolidation of VIASPACE Green Energy	(161,000	)		
Proceeds from disposal of fixed assets	1,000		64,000	
Net cash used in investing activities	(396,000	)	(180,000	)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES:				
Distribution to noncontrolling interests	(75,000	)		
Loan from Dr. Kevin Schewe	50,000			
Payments to Changs, LLC			(200,000	)
Payments on short-term debt			(12,000	)
Net cash used in financing activities	(25,000	)	(212,000	)
EFFECT OF EXCHANGE RATE			20,000	

NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS – continued operations	(1,067,000)	494,000
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, Beginning of period – continued operations	1,141,000	307,000
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, End of period – continued operations	\$74,000	\$801,000
Supplemental Disclosure of Cash Flow Information: Cash paid during the period for:		
Interest	\$	\$
Income taxes	\$	\$

#### Supplemental Disclosure of Non-Cash Activities for 2012:

On September 30, 2012, the Company entered into a recapitalization agreement with VIASPACE Green Energy (VGE). On the date of the recapitalization, the Company wrote-off \$2,318,000 of related party payables, net, and charged this amount to loss on deconsolidation of VGE. Included in the related party payables amount was \$1,880,400 representing the fair market value of 1,880,400 newly-issued common shares of VGE that were issued to Changs, LLC as required by the recapitalization agreement.

On September 28, 2012, Dr. Schewe made a loan of \$50,000 to the Company. The Company recorded a discount on the note of \$12,500 as a result of a beneficial conversion feature at September 30, 2012.

# Supplemental Disclosure of Non-Cash Activities for 2011:

The Company issued 18,680,672 shares of the Company's common stock for future services valued at \$196,000. This amount was recorded at issuance as prepaid expenses.

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

#### VIASPACE INC.

#### NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

September 30, 2012 (Unaudited) and December 31, 2011 (Audited)

#### Note 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

**Description of Business** - VIASPACE Inc. ("we", "us", "VIASPACE", or the "Company") was founded in July 1998 and is a renewable energy company with a global reach. Our renewable energy is based on biomass-- in particular our dedicated energy crop with the trademarked name "Giant King<sup>TM</sup> Grass" ("GKG"), which we are able to commercialize throughout the world, except for China and Taiwan, through a sublicense for Giant King Grass we obtained from VIASPACE Green Energy Inc.("VGE"). See Note 2.

Through September 30, 2012, VIASPACE owned 75.6% of the equity interests of VGE. VGE and its subsidiaries Inter Pacific Arts Corporation ("IPA BVI") and Guangzhou Inter Pacific Arts ("IPA China") specialize in the manufacturing of high quality, copyrighted, framed artwork sold in US retail chain stores. In addition, VGE has an exclusive license to Giant King Grass, a proprietary dedicated energy crop. On September 30, 2012, the Company executed final agreements to formalize the separation of the Company and VGE and cause the orderly transfer of all of the Company's equity interest in VGE to Changs, LLC, a company controlled by Sung Chang, President of VGE and a former Director of the Company. In addition, final agreements have been executed which give VGE the right to commercially develop Giant King Grass in the PRC and Taiwan and give VIASPACE the right to commercially develop Giant King Grass in the rest of the world outside the PRC and Taiwan. Under the final agreements, the VIASPACE secured debt previously owed to Chang will not have to be paid although it may be used to offset any outside claims made against Chang. Since the Company no longer has any equity interest in VGE, the Company can no longer consolidate the operations of VGE into the operations of the Company. The operating results of VGE prior to September 30, 2012 are shown as discontinued operations in the Company's financial statements. See Note 2 for details of Discontinued Operations and for details of the transaction completed with VGE.

We have two inactive subsidiaries, Direct Methanol Fuel Cell Corporation ("DMFCC"), produced disposable fuel cartridges that provided the energy source for portable electronics powered by fuel cells, and Ionfinity LLC ("Ionfinity") which had US government contracts for a next-generation mass spectrometry technology for industrial process control and environmental monitoring.

*Going Concern* - The Company has incurred significant losses from operations, resulting in an accumulated deficit of \$49,334,000. The Company expects such losses to continue. However, on September 30, 2012, as discussed in Note 7, the Company entered into Loan Agreement with Director Kevin Schewe whereby Dr. Schewe agreed to fund the

Company up to \$1,000,000 over the next five years in accordance with such agreement. The Company expects loans from Dr. Schewe and revenue generated from future contracts using the sublicense it has for Giant King Grass to fund operations for the foreseeable future. The Company expects to continue as a going concern.

Basis of Presentation - The accompanying unaudited consolidated financial statements of the Company were prepared in accordance with United States generally accepted accounting principles ("US GAAP") for financial information and with Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") instructions to Form 10-Q. Accordingly, the unaudited financial statements do not include all of the information and footnotes required by US GAAP. Operating results for the nine months ended September 30, 2012 are not necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for the fiscal year ending December 31, 2012. For further information, refer to the consolidated financial statements and footnotes thereto included in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K, for the year ended December 31, 2011 filed with the SEC on April 2, 2012. In the opinion of management, all adjustments (consisting of normal recurring adjustments) considered necessary for a fair presentation have been reflected in these interim financial statements. All significant intercompany accounts and transactions have been eliminated on consolidation. Certain reclassifications were made to the September 30, 2011 consolidated financial statements, to conform to the September 30, 2012 consolidated financial statement presentation.

Noncontrolling Interest - The Company follows "Noncontrolling Interests in Consolidated Financial Statements, codified in FASB Accounting Standards Codification ("ASC") Topic 810 which establishes standards governing the accounting for and reporting of noncontrolling interests ("NCIs") in partially owned consolidated subsidiaries and the loss of control of subsidiaries. Certain provisions of this standard indicate, among other things, that NCIs (previously referred to as minority interests) be treated as a separate component of equity, not as a liability (as was previously the case); that increases and decreases in the parent's ownership interest that leave control intact be treated as equity transactions, rather than as step acquisitions or dilution gains or losses; and that losses of a partially owned consolidated subsidiary be allocated to the NCI even when such allocation might result in a deficit balance.

Noncontrolling interest in consolidated subsidiaries is the minority stockholders' proportionate share of equity of DMFCC and Ionfinity. Prior to September 30, 2012, the Company accounted for the minority stockholders' proportionate share of VGE. Effective September 30, 2012, the Company no longer has an ownership position in VGE as discussed in Note 2. The Company's controlling interest requires the results of these companies' operations be included in the consolidated financial statements. The percentage of DMFCC, Ionfinity and VGE not owned by the Company is shown as NCI in the Consolidated Statement of Operations and Consolidated Balance Sheet. At September 30, 2012 and December 31, 2011, the Company recorded \$500,000 as NCI for an investment in DMFCC by a minority shareholder. At September 30, 2012 and December 31, 2011, the Company recorded \$12,000 and \$88,000, respectively, representing Common Shareholder NCIs in Ionfinity. At September 30, 2012 and December 31, 2011, the Company recorded zero and \$329,000, respectively, representing Common Shareholder NCIs in VGE.

*Principles of Consolidation* - The Company is generally a major shareholder of its affiliated companies which are consolidated. Affiliated companies, including DMFCC and Ionfinity, which the Company owns, directly or indirectly, a controlling voting interest, are consolidated. Under this method, an affiliated company's results of operations are reflected within the Company's consolidated statement of operations. Transactions between the Company and its consolidated affiliated companies are eliminated in consolidation. The Company adopted "Business Combinations", codified in FASB ASC Topic 805, which requires use of the purchase method for all business combinations.

Fiscal Year End - The Company's fiscal year ends December 31.

*Use of Estimates in the Preparation of the Financial Statements* - The preparation of financial statements, in conformity with US GAAP, requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

**Research and Development** - The Company charges research and development expenses to operations as incurred.

**Reclassifications** - Certain prior year amounts were reclassified to conform to the manner of presentation in the current period.

#### **NOTE 2 – DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS**

Through September 30, 2012, VIASPACE owned 75.6% of the equity interests of VGE. Effective September 30, 2012, the Company entered into a Recapitalization Agreement ("Recap Agreement") with VGE. Pursuant to the Recap Agreement, the Company returned 6,503,920 shares of VGE Common Stock to VGE and VGE issued to Changs, LLC, 8,384,320 shares of VGE common stock, representing an 80% interest in VGE. In exchange for the shares of VGE common stock, Chang forgave the payment of the Secured Note issued to the Company in the amount of \$5,131,000 plus accrued interest of \$626,000. The Company and Chang agreed that if the Company was to receive an amount from Chang pursuant to a future claim, the Company could not collect unless the amount exceeded \$5,640,000. In addition, the Company has agreed to pay up to \$40,000, in legal fees and costs in connection with the negotiation and preparation of the Recap Agreement and other related documents.

#### Loss on Discontinued Operations

Effective September 30, 2012, VIASPACE no longer owns any equity interests in VGE and as a result, the operations of VGE were deconsolidated. As of September 30, 2012, we deconsolidated \$9,349,000 of assets and \$705,000 of liabilities from our consolidated balance sheet. In addition, we eliminated debt and accrued interest in the amount of \$5,757,000 and recognized expense of \$1,880,000 relating to the value of the additional stock issued by VGE as part of the transaction, resulting in loss of \$5,087,000. This loss as well as the revenues and expenses of VGE are included in Discontinued Operations. The Company has historically reported the operations of VGE in the framed-art operating segment.

Assets and liabilities related to these operations have been reclassified to assets from discontinued operations and liabilities from discontinued operations, respectively. The assets and liabilities of discontinued operations at December 31, 2011 were as follows:

	December 31, 2011
CURRENT ASSETS:	
Cash and equivalents	\$944,000
Accounts receivable	178,000
Inventory	268,000
Prepaid expenses	43,000
Related party receivables	1,245,000
Other current assets	25,000
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	2,703,000
FIXED ASSETS, net	1,097,000
OTHER ASSETS:	
Land Use Right, net	517,000
License to Grass, net	427,000
Goodwill	5,015,000
Other	4,000
TOTAL LONG TERM ASSETS	7,060,000
TOTAL ASSETS	\$9,763,000
CURRENT LIABILITIES:	
Accounts payable	\$409,000
Related party payables	75,000
Accrued expenses	188,000
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES	\$672,000

The revenues and expenses of discontinued operations for three and nine months ended September 30, 2012 and 2011 were as follows:

	<b>Three Months Ended</b>		Nine Months Ended		
	September	r 30,	September 3	0,	
	2012	2011	2012	2011	
REVENUES	\$895,000	\$2,150,000	\$2,505,000	\$5,462,000	
COST OF REVENUES	606,000	1,466,000	1,733,000	3,789,000	
GROSS PROFIT	289,000	684,000	772,000	1,673,000	

OPERATING EXPENSES Operations Selling, general and administrative Total operating expenses	35,000 362,000 397,000	42,000 465,000 507,000	133,000 1,175,000 1,308,000	128,000 1,384,000 1,512,000
INCOME (LOSS) FROM OPERATIONS	(108,000)	177,000	(536,000)	161,000
OTHER INCOME (EXPENSE) Other expense Other income Total other income (expense)	(4,000 ) 22,000 18,000	(6,000 ) 40,000 34,000	(3,000 ) 180,000 177,000	(7,000 ) 63,000 56,000
INCOME (LOSS) BEFORE INCOME TAXES Income taxes	(90,000 )	211,000 18,000	(359,000 )	217,000 18,000
NET INCOME (LOSS)	(90,000 )	193,000	(359,000)	199,000

Land use rights amortization included in discontinued operations was \$8,000 and \$11,000 for the three months ended September 30, 2012 and 2011, respectively. Land use rights amortization included in discontinued operations was \$27,000 and \$30,000 for the nine months ended September 30, 2012 and 2011, respectively.

License to grass amortization included in discontinued operations was \$6,000 for the three months ended September 30, 2012 and 2011. License to grass amortization included in discontinued operations was \$18,000 for the nine months ended September 30, 2012 and 2011.

Rent expense included in discontinued operations for three months ended September 30, 2012 and September 30, 2011 was \$8,000. Rent expense included in discontinued operations for nine months ended September 30, 2012 and September 30, 2011 was \$24,000 and \$23,000, respectively.

In connection with the Recap Agreement, all parties involved including CEO Dr. Carl Kukkonen, CFO Stephen Muzi, Director Kevin Schewe and Former Director Sung Chang executed a Mutual and Limited Release Agreement, pursuant to which each of the parties released each other from any future claims that may have against the other party. Pursuant to this agreement, the amount that the Company owed to VGE at September 30, 2012, of \$2,351,000 was forgiven. As such, the Company wrote the related payable off, which was accounted for as a capital contribution from VGE.

#### License Agreement

Effective of as September 30, 2012, VIASPACE and VGE entered into a Supply, License and Commercialization Agreement ("License Agreement") pursuant to which VGE granted to VIASPACE a nontransferable, royalty-bearing exclusive license to commercialize Giant King Grass within the world other than China and Taiwan. Additionally, the License Agreement allows VIASPACE to use the Giant King Grass intellectual property and VIASPACE Green Energy trade name in connection with its efforts to commercialize Giant King Grass.

VIASPACE agreed that it would not during the term of the License Agreement and a three-year period thereafter, (i) manufacture, commercialize or otherwise engage in any research or development of a grass or any other product or material having similar or otherwise competitive properties to Giant King Grass.

VGE agreed to provide VIASPACE with Giant King Grass seedlings that will be filled at an agreed upon price as set forth in the License Agreement. VIASPACE agreed to pay VGE for and during the Term a royalty of eight percent (8%) on net sales made in its territory.

The initial term of the License Agreement is for two years ("Initial Term"). As a condition to the right to renew after the first two-year term for an additional two year term, VISPACE needs to achieve the milestones in the first two year period:

• One or more fully-executed, third party sales contracts for the sale of Giant King Grass shall have been entered into during the Initial Term, pursuant to which VIASPACE is to be paid an aggregate amount of at least \$200,000 within that 24 consecutive monthly period; and two or more, third party growing locations of at least 10 hectares in total shall have been obtained and planted during the Initial Term.

There are additional milestones that need to be met as a condition to renew the license for subsequent two year periods, in order for VIASPACE to maintain the license.

#### **NOTE 3 – PREPAID EXPENSES**

Prior to January 1, 2012, the Company entered into agreements with certain of its consultants and vendors whereby the Company issued registered shares of its common stock under an existing registration statement on Form S-8 as well as unregistered shares of common stock in exchange for future services to be provided to the Company. At September 30, 2012 and December 31, 2011, the remaining value of these agreements was \$166,000 and \$246,000, respectively, which is included in prepaid expenses in the accompanying consolidated balance sheets.

Other prepaid expenses were \$60,000 and \$46,000 at September 30, 2012 and December 31, 2011, respectively.

#### **NOTE 4 – INTANGIBLE ASSETS**

On September 30, 2012, the Company entered into a sublicense agreement for Giant King Grass with VGE whereby VGE retains the exclusive rights to the GKG license in China and Taiwan, and VIASPACE has an exclusive GKG worldwide license outside of China and Taiwan. The sublicense agreement has milestones that VIASPACE must meet every two years in order to retain rights to the sublicense. The Company has no basis in the sublicense and has recorded zero at September 30, 2012 on its Consolidated Balance Sheets accordance with US GAAP.

#### NOTE 5 – OWNERSHIP INTEREST IN AFFILIATED COMPANIES

*DMFCC*. As of September 30, 2012 and December 31, 2011, the Company owned 71.4% of the outstanding shares of DMFCC. At September 30, 2012, DMFCC is inactive.

*VGE*. As of September 30, 2012 and December 31, 2011, the Company owned 0% and 75.6%, respectively, of the outstanding shares of VGE. As explained in Note 2, the Company no longer has any ownership in VGE effective September 30, 2012.

*Ionfinity*. As of September 30, 2012 and December 31, 2011, the Company owned 46.3% of the outstanding membership interests of Ionfinity. The Company has two seats on Ionfinity's board of managers out of four seats. The Company provides management and accounting services for Ionfinity. The Company also acts as tax partner for Ionfinity for income tax purposes. Due to these factors, Ionfinity is considered economically and organizationally dependent on the Company and as such is included in the Consolidated Financial Statements of the Company. The noncontrolling interest held by other members is disclosed separately in the Company's Consolidated Financial Statements. At September 30, 2012, Ionfinity is inactive.

# NOTE 6 – STOCK OPTIONS, WARRANTS AND ISSUED STOCKS

VIASPACE Inc. 2005 Stock Incentive Plan

On October 20, 2005, the BOD of the Company adopted the 2005 Stock Incentive Plan (the "Plan") including the 2005 Non-Employee Director Option Program (the "2005 Director Plan"). The Plan was also approved by the holders of a majority of the Company's common stock. The Plan originally provided for issuance of up to 28,000,000 shares of the

Company's common stock. On July 12, 2006, the Company filed a Form S-8 Registration Statement with the SEC registering 28,000,000 shares of the Company's common stock. On February 14, 2008, the BOD and the holders of a majority of the Company's common stock approved an amendment to the Plan which increased the maximum aggregate number of shares which may be issued in the Plan to 99,000,000 shares. On April 30, 2008, the Company filed a Registration Statement on Form S-8 registering 71,000,000 shares of the Company's common stock. In addition, effective January 1, 2009 and each January 1 thereafter during the term of the Plan, the maximum number of shares under the Plan are to be increased so that the maximum number of shares is equivalent to 30% of the total number of shares of common stock issued and outstanding as of the close of business on the immediately preceding December 31. On February 4, 2009, the Company filed a Registration Statement on Form S-8 registering 146,500,000 shares of the Company's common stock based on the number of shares of common stock outstanding on December 31, 2008.

The Plan is designed to provide additional incentive to employees, directors and consultants of the Company through awarding incentive stock options, non-statutory stock options, stock appreciation rights, restricted stock and other awards. On February 13, 2006, the BOD approved the 2006 Non-Employee Director Option Program (the "2006 Director Plan") replacing the 2005 Director Plan and the 2006 Director Plan was approved by the holders of a majority of the Company's common stock. The 2006 Director Plan awards a one-time grant of 125,000 options, or such other number of options as determined by the BOD as plan administrator of the 2006 Director Plan, to newly appointed outside members of the Company's BOD and annual grants of 50,000 options, or such other number of options as determined by the BOD, to outside members of the BOD that have served at least nine months.

The Company's BOD administers the Plan, selects the individuals to whom options will be granted, determines the number of options to be granted, and the term and exercise price of each option. Stock options granted pursuant to the terms of the Plans generally cannot be granted with an exercise price of less than 100% of the fair market value on the grant date. The term of the options granted under the Plan cannot be greater than 10 years. Options to employees and directors generally vest over four years but the actual length of the vesting term is determined by the BOD. At September 30, 2012, there were 39,995,002 shares available for future grant.

During 2012, the Company granted 21,307,691 stock options to employees to purchase common shares. During 2012, 25,568,462 stock options were cancelled due to employees, directors or consultants terminating employment or service with the Company. During 2012, the Company issued 1,000,438 shares of common stock under the Plan to employees and consultants for services provided to the Company. The stock compensation expense recorded relating to these share issuances was based on fair market value on the date of grant.

FASB ASC Topic 718 requires the measurement and recognition of compensation expense for all share-based payment awards made to employees and directors based on estimated fair values using the modified prospective transition method. FASB ASC Topic requires companies to estimate the fair value of share-based payment awards to employees and directors on the date of grant using an option pricing model. The value of the portion of the award that is ultimately expected to vest is recognized as expense over the requisite services periods on a straight-line basis in the Company's Consolidated Statements of Operations.

The Company adopted the detailed method provided in FASB ASC Topic for calculating the beginning balance of the additional paid-in capital pool ("APIC pool") related to the tax effects of employee stock-based compensation, and to determine the subsequent impact on the APIC pool and Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows of the income tax effects of employee stock-based compensation awards that are outstanding upon the adoption of FASB ASC Topic.

The fair value of each stock option granted is estimated on the date of the grant using the Black-Scholes option pricing model. The Black-Scholes option pricing model has assumptions for risk free interest rates, dividends, stock volatility and expected life of an option grant. The risk free interest rate is based upon market yields for United States Treasury debt securities at a maturity near the term remaining on the option. Dividend rates are based on the Company's dividend history. The stock volatility factor is based on the historical volatility of the Company's stock price. The expected life of an option grant is based on management's estimate as no options have been exercised in the Plan to date. The Company calculated a forfeiture rate for employees and directors based on historical information. A forfeiture rate of 0% is used for options granted to consultants. The fair value of each option grant to employees, directors and consultants is calculated by the Black-Scholes method and is recognized as compensation expense on a straight-line basis over the vesting period of each stock option award. For stock options issued to employees, directors, consultants and advisory board members for 2012 and 2011, the fair value was estimated at the date of grant using the following range of assumptions:

	2012	2011
Risk free interest rate	0.99% - 1.40%	1.60%
Dividends	0%	0%
Volatility factor	124.48% - 134.79%	124.49%
Expected life	6.67 years	6.67 years
Annual forfeiture rate	34.4% - 35.2%	13.4%

# **Employee and Director Option Grants**

The following table summarizes activity for employees and directors in the Company's Plan at September 30, 2012:

Number of	Weighted-	Weighted-	Aggregate
Shares	Average	Average	Intrinsic
	Exercise	Remaining	Value
	Price Per	Contractual	

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		Share	Term In Years	
Outstanding at December 31, 2011	70,130,000	\$ 0.017		
Granted	21,308,000	0.004		
Exercised				
Forfeited	(24,030,000)	0.015		
Outstanding at September 30, 2012	67,408,000	\$ 0.013	6.9	\$ _
Exercisable at September 30, 2012	65,908,000	\$ 0.013	6.9	\$ _

The weighted-average grant date fair value of stock options granted to employees during 2012 was \$0.004 per share. The Plan recorded \$83,000 of compensation expense for employee and director stock options in 2012. At September 30, 2012, there was \$9,000 of unrecognized compensation costs related to non-vested share-based compensation arrangements under the Plan that is expected to be recognized over a weighted average period of approximately one year and 4 months. At September 30, 2012, the fair value of options vested for employees and directors was \$198,000. There were no options exercised during 2012.

## **Consultant Option Grants**

The following table summarizes activity for consultants in the Company's Plan at September 30, 2012:

		Weighted-				
	Number of	Average  Exercise  Price Per		Average	Aggrega	ate
				Remaining	Intrinsi	c
	Shares			Contractual	Value	
		Sl	nare	Term In Years		
Outstanding at December 31, 2011	1,538,462	\$	0.02			
Granted						
Exercised			_			
Forfeited	(1,538,462)		0.02			
Outstanding at September 30, 2012		\$		_	\$	
Exercisable at September 30, 2012		ф			\$	

There were no stock options granted to consultants during 2012. The Company recorded no compensation expense for consultant stock options during 2012. At September 30, 2012, there was no unrecognized compensation costs related to non-vested share-based compensation arrangements. At September 30, 2012, the fair value of options vested for consultants was \$0. There were no options exercised during 2012.

# Direct Methanol Fuel Cell Corporation 2002 Stock Option / Stock Issuance Plan

DMFCC formed a stock-based compensation plan in 2002 entitled the 2002 Stock Option / Stock Issuance Plan (the "DMFCC Option Plan") that reserved 2,000,000 shares of DMFCC common stock for issuance to employees, non-employee members of the BOD of DMFCC, BOD members of its parent company, consultants, and other independent advisors. As of September 30, 2012, options to purchase 50,000 shares of DMFCC common stock were outstanding and 1,950,000 shares remained available for grant under the DMFCC Option Plan. The outstanding options are non-statutory stock options. During 2012, DMFCC issued no stock options. During 2012, 1,346,000 stock options were cancelled due to expiration and optionees no longer working for DMFCC.

DMFCC uses the Black-Scholes option pricing model to calculate the fair market value of each option granted. The Black-Scholes option pricing model includes assumptions for risk free interest rates, dividends, stock volatility and expected life of an option grant. For stock options that are issued, the fair value of each option grant is recognized as compensation expense on a straight-line basis over the vesting period of each stock option award.

The following table summarizes activity in the DMFCC Option Plan at September 30, 2012:

		W	eighted-	Weighted-		
	Number Average		Average	Aggregate		
	of	Exercise Price Per		Remaining	Intrinsic	
	Shares			Contractual	Value	
		Sh	are	Term In Years		
Outstanding at December 31, 2011 Granted Exercised	1,396,000	\$	.02	2002		
Forfeited Outstanding at September 30, 2012 Exercisable at September 30, 2012	(1,346,000) 50,000 50,000	<b>\$</b>	.02 .05 .05	2.1 2.1	\$ \$	

DMFCC did not record any stock option compensation expense during 2012. There were no options exercised during 2012.

#### NOTE 7 – SHORT-TERM AND LONG-TERM DEBT

#### Loan Agreement with Dr. Kevin Schewe

Effective September 30, 2012, the Company entered into a Loan Agreement with Director Kevin Schewe whereby Dr. Schewe will loan up to \$1 million to the Company over a five-year period based on requests from the Company. The loans would be evidenced by a Secured Convertible Note. Each individual loan will accrue interest at 6% per annum and are secured by all assets of the Company. Each note would mature on the second anniversary of the issuance date of such note. Each note is convertible at Dr. Schewe's request, into a fixed number of shares of the Company's common stock based on the closing price of the Company's common stock for the twenty trading days prior to the issuance of the loan, less a 20% discount. On September 28, 2012, Dr. Schewe made a loan of \$50,000 to the Company. This loan would convert into 20,833,333 shares of Company common stock based on a common share price of \$0.0024. The Company recorded a discount on the note of \$12,500 as a result of a beneficial conversion feature at September 30, 2012. This discount will be amortized over the term of the note on a straight-line basis, which approximates the effective interest method.

#### Due to Changs LLC

As discussed in Note 2, VIASPACE was obligated to pay Sung Hsien Chang \$5,131,025 on May 14, 2012, plus accrued interest for the acquisition of IPA China and IPA BVI by VGE and the Company on October 21, 2008. The Company did not have the cash available to pay Changs LLC and on July 30, 2012, the Board of Directors and Management of the Company and Sung Chang executed formal term sheets outlining the steps to cause the net effect of the orderly transfer of the Company's equity interest in VGE to Mr. Chang. These agreements were finalized on September 30, 2012. Under the final agreements, the VIASPACE secured debt to Chang s LLC does not have to be paid.

## **NOTE 8 – STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY**

#### Preferred Stock

At September 30, 2012 and December 31, 2011, the number of authorized shares of the Company's preferred stock was 10,000,000. The par value of the preferred stock is \$0.001.

On May 14, 2010, the Company filed with the Secretary of State of the State of Nevada a Certificate of Designation of Series A Preferred Stock. The Certificate was approved by the Board and did not require shareholder vote. The Certificate created a new class of preferred stock known as Series A Preferred Stock. There is one share designated as Series A Preferred Stock. One share of Series A Preferred Stock is entitled to 50.1% of the outstanding votes on all shareholder voting matters. Series A Preferred Stock has no dividend rights and no rights upon a liquidation event and is subject to cancellation when certain conditions are met. On May 14, 2010, the Company issued one share of Series A Preferred Stock to Mr. Chang related to the acquisition of IPA by VIASPACE and VGE, effectively giving him a controlling interest in VIASPACE.

Effective as of September 30, 2012, and pursuant to an Agreement to Grant Voting Rights and Transfer Preferred Share executed by Chang and Director Kevin Schewe, Chang granted Schewe an irrevocable proxy that permitted Schewe to vote the Preferred Share. This proxy lasts so long as the License (discussed in Note 2) remained exclusive to the Company. Upon the earlier of (i) the expiration of five years or (ii) the date when the Company reached a market capitalization of at least \$50 million, the proxy would be cancelled as the Preferred Share would be transferred from Chang to Schewe.

#### Common Stock

As of September 30, 2012 and December 31, 2011, the number of authorized shares of the Company's common stock was 1,500,000,000. The par value of the common stock is \$0.001. Common stockholders are entitled to one vote for each share held on all matters voted on by stockholders.

As of December 31, 2011, there were 1,333,796,601 shares of common stock outstanding. During 2012, the Company issued 1,000,438 shares of common stock under an existing Registration Statement on Form S-8 to employees and consultants for services provided or to be provided to the Company. In addition, the Company issued 48,350,043 unregistered shares of common stock to employees, consultants and vendors for services provided or to be provided to the Company. All of the share issuances in 2012 were recorded at fair market value determined by the price of the

Company's common stock trading on the OTC Bulletin Board on the date of grant. Stock compensation of \$409,000 was recorded relating to these share issuances. As of September 30, 2012, there were 1,383,147,082 shares of common stock outstanding.

#### **NOTE 9 - OPERATING SEGMENTS**

The Company evaluates its reportable segments in accordance with FASB ASC Topic 280 "Disclosures about Segments of an Enterprise and Related Information". As of September 30, 2012, the Company's Chief Executive Officer, Dr. Carl Kukkonen, was the Company's Chief Operating Decision Maker ("CODM") pursuant to FASB ASC Topic 280. The CODM allocates resources to the segments based on their business prospects, product development and engineering, and marketing and strategy.

The Company operates in one reportable segment, the grass business. The Company's inactive subsidiaries, DMFCC and Ionfinity previously operated in the Energy Segment and Security Segment, respectively.

# **Grass Segment:**

Through its use of a sublicence with VGE, the Company operates in the grass business. VGE grows a fast-growing, high yield, low carbon, nonfood energy crop called Giant King Grass (GKG) in the PRC. GKG can be burned in 100% biomass power plants to generate electricity; made into pellets that can be burned together with coal to reduce carbon emissions from existing power plants; generate bio methane through anaerobic digestion, and can be used as a feedstock for low carbon liquid biofuels for transportation. GKG can also be used as animal feed. The Company has a worldwide sublicense for GKG outside of the PRC and Taiwan with VGE.

The accounting policies of the reportable segments are described in the summary of significant accounting policies (see Note 1 to these financial statements). The Company evaluates segment performance based on income (loss) from operations excluding infrequent and unusual items.

The amounts shown as "Corporate Administrative Costs" consist of unallocated corporate-level operating expenses. In addition, the Company does not allocate other income/expense, net to reportable segments.

Information on reportable segments for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2012 and 2011 (unaudited) is shown below:

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Month September 3	
	2012	2011	2012	2011
Income (Loss) From Operations:				
Grass	\$	\$	\$2,000	\$
Security		4,000		35,000
Loss From Operations by Reportable Segments		4,000	2,000	35,000
Corporate Administrative Costs	(132,000)	(48,000)	(207,000)	(231,000)
Corporate Stock Compensation Expense	(47,000)	(302,000)	(493,000)	(916,000 )
Loss From Operations	\$(179,000)	\$(346,000)	\$(698,000)	\$(1,112,000)

	September	December
	30, 2012	31, 2011
Assets:		
Grass	\$300,000	\$273,000
Security	1,000	145,000
Discontinued operations		9,793,000
Total Assets	\$301,000	\$10,211,000

For the three months ended September 30, 2012 and 2011, the Company did not recognize any revenues. For the nine months ended September 30, 2012, the Company recognized revenue from one customer in the grass segment which made up 100% of total revenues.

#### **NOTE 10 – NET LOSS PER SHARE**

The Company computes net loss per share in accordance with FASB ASC Topic 260. Under its provisions, basic loss per share is computed by dividing net loss by the weighted average number of shares of common stock outstanding during the periods presented. Diluted earnings would customarily include, if dilutive, potential shares of common stock issuable upon the exercise of stock options and warrants. The dilutive effect of outstanding stock options and warrants is reflected in earnings per share in accordance with FASB ASC Topic 260 by application of the treasury stock method. For the periods presented, the computation of diluted loss per share equaled basic loss per share as the inclusion of any dilutive instruments would have had an antidilutive effect on the earnings per share calculation in the periods presented.

The following table sets forth common stock equivalents (potential common stock) for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2012 and 2011, respectively, that are not included in the loss per share calculation since their effect would be anti-dilutive for the periods indicated:

2012 2011 Stock Options 67,408,000 71,668,000 Warrants – 624,000

The following table sets forth the computation of basic and diluted net loss per share for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2012 and 2011, respectively:

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months End September 30,	ded
Basic and diluted net income (loss) per share:	2012	2011	2012	2011
Numerator:				
Net loss attributable to common stock Denominator:	\$(5,411,000	\$(271,000)	\$(6,285,000)	\$(1,173,000)
Weighted average shares of common stock outstanding	1,383,147,082	1,317,937,086	1,372,377,976	1,287,822,859
Net loss per share of common stock, basic and diluted	<b>\$</b> *	\$*	<b>\$</b> *	\$*

<sup>\*</sup> Less than \$0.01 per share

#### **NOTE 11 – RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS**

Included in the Company's consolidated balance sheets at September 30, 2012 and December 31, 2011 are Related Party Payables. The Company has a payable of \$640,000 and \$672,000, at September 30, 2012 and 2011, respectively, to Dr. Kukkonen, CEO of the Company. The Company has a loan agreement with Director Dr. Kevin Schewe which is described in Note 7.

# NOTE 12 - OTHER COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

#### Leases

The Company currently has no long term office lease. Rent expense charged to operations for three months ended September 30, 2012 and September 30, 2011 was \$0 and \$1,000, respectively. Rent expense charged to operations for nine months ended September 30, 2012 and September 30, 2011 was \$1,000 and \$4,000, respectively.

# **Employment Agreements**

Effective October 1, 2012, the Company entered into one-year employment agreements with Carl Kukkonen and Stephen Muzi. Dr. Kukkonen serves as Chief Executive Officer of the Company and Mr. Muzi serves as Chief Financial Officer, Treasurer and Secretary. Dr. Kukkonen will receive a salary of \$160,000 per annum and Mr. Muzi would receive \$60,000 per annum.

# Litigation

The Company is not party to any material legal proceedings at the present time.

#### **NOTE 13 – SUBSEQUENT EVENTS**

On October 31, 2012, DMFCC entered into an Acknowledgment and Mutual Release Agreement with the University of Southern California (USC) and California Institute of Technology (Caltech) whereby DFMCC agreed to terminate the license agreements it had in place with USC and Caltech in exchange for Caltech and USC agreeing to forgive any royalties, patent legal fees, or other amounts now due and owing from DMFCC under such license agreements. DMFCC has no further obligations under the license agreements as of October 31, 2012 and no longer has rights under the license agreements with USC and Caltech. As of September 30, 2012, DMFCC had accounts payable to USC of approximately \$307,000 which was included in the Company's consolidate balance sheets. This amount will be reversed in the fourth quarter of 2012. In addition, the Company will formally close DMFCC since it no longer has active operations.

On October 16, 2012, the Board of Directors of the Company approved a resolution to divest its ownership interests in Ionfinity. The Company expects to conclude this transaction in the fourth quarter.

On October 30, 2012, the Company issued 27,085,904 unregistered shares of its common stock to Dr. Schewe upon the conversion by Dr. Schewe of two convertible notes in the aggregate principal amount of \$85,000 plus an aggregate accrued interest amount of \$289. Dr. Schewe made a \$50,000 loan to the Company on September 28, 2012 and a \$35,000 loan to the Company on October 23, 2012.

# ITEM 2. MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATION

The following discussion contains certain statements that constitute "forward-looking statements". Such statements appear in a number of places in this Report, including, without limitation, "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition or Plan of Operation." These statements are not guarantees of future performance and involve risks, uncertainties and requirements that are difficult to predict or are beyond our control. Our future results may differ materially from those currently anticipated depending on a variety of factors, including those described below under "Risks Related to Our Future Operations" and our filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission. The following should be read in conjunction with the unaudited Consolidated Financial Statements and notes thereto that appear elsewhere in this Report and in conjunction with our 2011 Annual Report on Form 10-K as filed with the SEC.

#### **VIASPACE Overview**

VIASPACE Inc. ("we", "us", "VIASPACE", or the "Company") was founded in July 1998 and is a renewable energy company with a global reach. Our renewable energy is based on biomass-- in particular our dedicated energy crop with the trademarked name "Giant King<sup>TM</sup> Grass" ("GKG"), which we are able to commercialize throughout the world, except for China and Taiwan, through a sublicense for Giant King Grass we obtained from VIASPACE Green Energy Inc.("VGE").

Through September 30, 2012, VIASPACE owned 75.6% of the equity interests of VGE. VGE and its subsidiaries Inter Pacific Arts Corporation ("IPA BVI") and Guangzhou Inter Pacific Arts ("IPA China") specialize in the manufacturing of high quality, copyrighted, framed artwork sold in US retail chain stores. In addition, VGE has an exclusive license to Giant King Grass, a proprietary dedicated energy crop. On September 30, 2012, the Company executed final agreements to cause the orderly transfer of all of the Company's equity interest in VGE to Changs, LLC, a company controlled by Sung Chang, President of VGE and a former Director of the Company. As part of the final agreements, the secured debt previously owed to Mr. Chang will not have to be paid. Since the Company no longer owns any equity interest in VGE, the Company can no longer consolidate the operations of VGE into its operations effective September 30, 2012. The operating results of VGE prior to September 30, 2012 are shown as discontinued operations in the Company's financial statements. See Note 2 for details of Discontinued Operations. See Note 2 for details of the transaction completed with VGE.

We have two inactive subsidiaries, Direct Methanol Fuel Cell Corporation ("DMFCC"), produced disposable fuel cartridges that provided the energy source for portable electronics powered by fuel cells, and Ionfinity LLC ("Ionfinity") which had US government contracts for a next-generation mass spectrometry technology for industrial process control and environmental monitoring.

The Company's web site is www.VIASPACE.com.

# **Critical accounting policies and estimates**

Financial Reporting Release No. 60, "Cautionary Advice Regarding Disclosure About Critical Accounting Policies" ("FRR60") issued by the SEC, suggests companies provide additional disclosure and commentary on those accounting policies considered most critical. FRR 60 considers an accounting policy critical if it is important to the Company's financial condition and results of operations, and requires significant judgment and estimates on the part of management in its application. For a summary of the Company's significant accounting policies, including the critical accounting policies discussed below, see the accompanying notes to the consolidated financial statements.

The preparation of the Company's financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates, judgments and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amount of expenses during the reporting period. On an ongoing basis, the Company evaluates its estimates, which are based on historical experience and on various other assumptions that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances. The result of these evaluations forms the basis for making judgments about the carrying values of assets and liabilities and the reported amount of expenses that are not readily apparent from other sources. Actual results may differ from these estimates under different assumptions. The following accounting policies discussed below require significant management judgments and estimates.

In accordance with FASB ASC Topic 605, IPA BVI and IPA China recognize product revenue provided: (1) persuasive evidence of an arrangement exists, (2) delivery to the customer has occurred, (3) the selling price is fixed or determinable and (4) collection is reasonably assured. Delivery is considered to have occurred when title and risk of loss have transferred to the customer. The price is considered fixed or determinable when it is not subject to refund or adjustments. Our standard shipping terms are free on board shipping point. Some of the Company's products are sold in the PRC and are subject to Chinese value-added tax. This VAT may be offset by VAT paid by the Company on raw materials and other materials included in the cost of producing their finished product. Revenue is recorded net of VAT taxes.

The Company accounts for equity instruments issued to consultants and vendors in exchange for goods and services in accordance with the provisions of FASB ASC Topic 505-50, "Accounting for Equity Instruments that are Issued to Other than Employees for Acquiring, or in Conjunction with Selling Goods or Services" and "Accounting Recognition for Certain Transactions Involving Equity Instruments Granted to Other than Employees". The measurement date for the fair value of the equity instruments issued is determined at the earlier of (i) the date at which a commitment for performance by the consultant or vendor is reached or (ii) the date at which the consultant or vendor's performance is complete. In the case of equity instruments issued to consultants, the fair value of the equity instrument is recognized over the term of the consulting agreement. In accordance with FASB ASC Topic 505-50, an asset acquired in exchange for the issuance of fully vested, non-forfeitable equity instruments should not be presented or classified as an offset to equity on the grantor's balance sheet once the equity instrument is granted for accounting purposes. Accordingly, the Company records the fair value of the fully vested, non-forfeitable common stock issued for future consulting services as prepaid expenses in its consolidated balance sheet.

The Company bases its estimates on historical experience and on various other assumptions that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances, the results of which form the basis for making judgments about the carrying values of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. There is no assurance that actual results will not differ from these estimates.

In accordance with FASB ASC 350-20-35, "Intangibles - Goodwill and Other", management tests our goodwill for impairment annually, or more frequently if events or changes in circumstances suggest that the carrying amount may not be recoverable. Based upon their impairment analysis performed during the fourth quarter of 2011, management of the Company concluded there was an impairment of goodwill at December 31, 2011 and recorded an impairment adjustment.

In accordance with FASB ASC 360-10-35, "Property, Plant, and Equipment", management reviews our long-lived asset groups, including property and equipment and other intangible assets, for impairment whenever events indicate that their carrying amounts may not be recoverable. Some of the events that we consider as impairment indicators for our long-lived assets, including goodwill, are:

our significant underperformance relative to expected operating results;

significant adverse change in legal factors or in the business climate;

an adverse action or assessment by a regulator;

unanticipated competition;

a loss of key personnel;

significant decrease in the market value of a long-lived asset; and

significant adverse change in the extent or manner in which a long-lived asset is being used or its physical condition.

When management determines that one or more impairment indicators are present for an asset group, we compare the carrying amount of the asset group to net future undiscounted cash flows that the asset group is expected to generate. If the carrying amount of the asset group is greater than the net future undiscounted cash flows, an impairment loss is recognized for the excess of the carrying amount of the asset group over its fair value. The management of the Company has concluded that there were no impairment indicators relating to long-lived assets as of September 30, 2012.

# **Results of Operations**

#### Three Months Ended September 30, 2012 Compared to September 30, 2011

#### Revenues

Revenues were \$0 and \$20,000 for the three months ended September 30, 2012 and 2011, respectively, a decrease of \$20,000. Ionfinity incurred revenues of \$20,000 for the three months ended September 30, 2011 and zero for the three months ended September 30, 2012 as all US government contracts were completed in 2011. The Company did not recognize any grass revenues for the three months ended September 30, 2012.

#### Cost of Revenues

Costs of revenues were \$0 and \$16,000 for the three months ended September 30, 2012 and 2011, respectively, a decrease of \$16,000. Ionfinity recorded cost of revenues of \$16,000 during the three months ended September 30, 2011. All US government contracts were completed in 2011.

#### **Gross Profit**

The resulting effect on these changes in revenues and cost of revenues for the three months ended September 30, 2012 compared to the same period in 2011 was a decrease in gross profit from \$4,000 for the three months ended September 30, 2011 to \$0 for the three months ended September 30, 2012, a decrease of \$4,000.

#### **Operations** Expenses

Operations expenses were \$5,000 and \$1,000 for the three months ended September 30, 2012 and 2011, respectively, an increase of \$4,000. The increase is primarily due to consulting, travel, and test plot costs in the US to grow Giant King Grass. The Company expects operations expenses to increase in the future as more expenditures are incurred to grow, harvest and produce GKG.

## Selling, General and Administrative Expenses

Selling, general and administrative expenses were \$174,000 and \$349,000 for the three months ended September 30, 2012 and 2011, respectively, a decrease of \$175,000. Stock compensation expense decreased \$248,000 in 2012 as compared with 2011 as less stock was issued by the Company. Payroll and benefits increased \$57,000 for the three months ended September 30, 2012 as compared to the same period in 2011 due to higher compensation levels in 2012. Consulting decreased \$38,000 due to the Company reducing consulting costs. Public relations expenses decreased \$22,000 in 2012 as the Company incurred lower investor relations expenses. Legal fees increased \$72,000 as the Company incurred legal fees related to the recapitalization agreement between the Company and VGE. Other selling, general and administrative expenses, net, increased by \$4,000 for the three months ended September 30, 2012 compared with the same period in 2011.

#### Loss from Operations

The resulting effect on these changes in gross profits, operations expenses, and selling, general and administrative expenses was a decrease in loss from operations in 2012. For the three months ended September 30, 2011, the Company had a loss from operations of \$346,000 compared with a loss from operations of \$179,000 for the three months ended September 30, 2012, a decrease of \$167,000.

### **Discontinued Operations**

Effective September 30, 2012, the Company entered into a series of agreements with VGE and Sung Chang, pursuant to which the Company returned its ownership interest in VGE in exchange for the release from payment of the Secured Note due to Sung Chang. As the company no longer owns any equity interests in VGE, the operations of VGE were deconsolidated and the operations of VGE were reclassified to discontinued operations.

Income (loss) from discontinued operations decreased \$5,253,000 for the three months ended September 30, 2012, from a income of \$193,000 for the three months ended September 30, 2011, to a loss of \$5,060,000 for the three months ended September 30, 2012. The decrease is the result of a \$4,969,000 loss recognized on the deconsolidation of VGE along with an increased operating loss of \$283,000 incurred by VGE for the three months ended September 30, 2012 in comparison to the same period in 2011.

The Company has historically reported the operations of VGE in the framed-art operating segment. Effective September 30, 2012, the Company has ceased operations in the framed-arts segment.

### Nine Months Ended September 30, 2012 Compared to September 30, 2011

#### Revenues

Revenues were \$27,000 and \$113,000 for the nine months ended September 30, 2012 and 2011, respectively, a decrease of \$86,000. Ionfinity incurred revenues of \$113,000 for the nine months ended September 30, 2011 and zero for the nine months ended September 30, 2012 as all US government contracts were completed in 2011. The Company recognized \$27,000 from its grass business for the nine months ended September 30, 2012.

### Cost of Revenues

Costs of revenues were \$25,000 and \$78,000 for the nine months ended September 30, 2012 and 2011, respectively, a decrease of \$53,000. Ionfinity recorded cost of revenues of \$78,000 during the nine months ended September 30, 2011. All US government contracts were completed in 2011. The Company recorded \$25,000 as cost of revenues in its grass business for the nine months ended September 30, 2012.

# Gross Profit

The resulting effect on these changes in revenues and cost of revenues for the nine months ended September 30, 2012 compared to the same period in 2011 was a decrease in gross profit from \$35,000 for the nine months ended September 30, 2011 to \$2,000 for the nine months ended September 30, 2012, a decrease of \$33,000.

### **Operations Expenses**

Operations expenses were \$5,000 and \$11,000 for the nine months ended September 30, 2012 and 2011, respectively, a decrease of \$6,000. The decrease is primarily due to Ionfinity incurring consulting costs in 2011 and no corresponding consulting costs in 2012.

# Selling, General and Administrative Expenses

Selling, general and administrative expenses were \$695,000 and \$1,136,000 for the nine months ended September 30, 2012 and 2011, respectively, a decrease of \$441,000. Stock compensation expense decreased \$335,000 in 2012 as compared with 2011 as less stock was issued by the Company. Stock option compensation expense decreased \$88,000 in 2012 as compared with 2011 due to no stock option expense recorded in 2012. Payroll and benefits increased \$74,000 for the nine months ended September 30, 2012 as compared to the same period in 2011 due to higher compensation levels in 2012. Consulting decreased \$63,000 due to the Company reducing consulting costs. Public relations expenses decreased \$98,000 in 2012 as the Company incurred lower investor relations expenses. Legal fees increased \$85,000 as the Company incurred legal fees related to the recapitalization agreement between the Company and VGE. Other selling, general and administrative expenses, net, decreased by \$16,000 for the nine months ended September 30, 2012 compared with the same period in 2011.

### Loss from Operations

The resulting effect on these changes in gross profits, operations expenses, and selling, general and administrative expenses was a decrease in loss from operations in 2012. For the nine months ended September 30, 2011, the Company had a loss from operations of \$1,112,000 compared with a loss from operations of \$698,000 for the nine months ended September 30, 2012, a decrease of \$414,000.

#### **Discontinued Operations**

Income (loss) from discontinued operations decreased \$5,527,000 for the nine months ended September 30, 2012, from income of \$199,000 for the nine months ended September 30, 2011 to a loss of \$5,328,000 for the nine months ended September 30, 2012. The decrease is the result of a \$4,969,000 loss recognized on the deconsolidation of VGE along with an increased operating loss of \$558,000 incurred by VGE for the nine months ended September 30, 2012 in comparison to the same period in 2011.

#### **Liquidity and Capital Resources**

The Company's net loss for the nine months ended September 30, 2012 was \$6,374,000. Non-cash expenses totaled \$808,000 for the nine months ended September 30, 2012 primarily due to stock options and stock compensation expense. The Company recorded a loss on deconsolidation of VIASPACE Green Energy of \$4,969,000 for the nine months ended September 30, 2012. The Company recorded a loss on the disposal of assets of \$3,000. Related party, net, used \$52,000 of cash for the period. Cash used by changes in operating assets and liabilities remained constant. Net cash used in operating activities for operations was \$646,000 for the nine months ended September 30, 2012.

Net cash used in investing activities was \$396,000 for 2012. Capital expenditures of \$84,000 were incurred by VGE for equipment used for its GKG business and \$8,000 for equipment in its framed artwork business. At September 30, 2012, VGE made deposits of \$144,000 for an additional land lease site in the PRC which requires a prepayment of the first five years of lease. VGE received \$1,000 from proceeds from the disposal of fixed assets. There was a reduction in cash on deconsolidation of VGE in the amount of \$161,000.

Net cash used in financing activities was \$25,000. The Company made a distribution to Ionfinity noncontrolling interests of \$75,000 in 2012. The Company also received a loan from Director Kevin Schewe of \$50,000 related to a Loan Agreement.

The Company has incurred significant losses from operations, resulting in an accumulated deficit of \$49,334,000. The Company expects such losses to continue. However, on September 30, 2012, the Company entered into Loan Agreement with Director Kevin Schewe whereby Dr. Schewe will fund the Company up to \$1,000,000 over the next five years. As discussed in Note 2, the note to Changs LLC does not have to be paid. The Company expects loans from Dr. Schewe and contracts from the sublicense to GKG to fund the operations for the foreseeable future. The Company expects to continue as a going concern.

### **Contractual Obligations**

The following table summarizes our long-term contractual obligations at September 30, 2012:

#### Loan Agreement with Dr. Kevin Schewe

Effective September 30, 2012, the Company entered into a Loan Agreement with Director Kevin Schewe whereby Dr. Schewe will loan up to \$1 million to the Company over a five-year period based on requests from the Company. The loans would be evidenced by a Secured Convertible Note. Each individual loan will accrue interest at 6% per annum and are secured by all assets of the Company. Each note would mature on the second anniversary of the issuance date of such note. Each note is convertible at Dr. Schewe's request, into a fixed number of shares of the Company's common stock based on the closing price of the Company's common stock for the twenty trading days prior to the issuance of the loan, less a 20% discount. On September 28, 2012, Dr. Schewe made a loan of \$50,000 to the Company. This loan would convert into 20,833,333 shares of Company common stock based on a common share price of \$0.0024. On October 30, 2012, Dr. Schewe converted the \$50,000 loan into shares of Company common stock.

#### **Employment Agreements**

Effective October 1, 2012, the Company entered into one-year employment agreements with Carl Kukkonen and Stephen Muzi. Dr. Kukkonen serves as Chief Executive Officer of the Company and Mr. Muzi serves as Chief Financial Officer, Treasurer and Secretary. Dr. Kukkonen will receive a salary of \$160,000 per annum and Mr. Muzi would receive \$60,000 per annum.

#### Due to Changs LLC

As discussed in Note 2, VIASPACE was obligated to pay Sung Hsien Chang \$5,131,025 on May 14, 2012, plus accrued interest for the acquisition of IPA China and IPA BVI by VGE and the Company on October 21, 2008. The Company did not have the cash available to pay Changs LLC and on July 30, 2012, the Board of Directors and Management of the Company and Sung Chang executed formal term sheets outlining the steps to cause the net effect of the orderly transfer of the Company's equity interest in VGE to Mr. Chang. These agreements were finalized on September 30, 2012. Under the final agreements, the VIASPACE secured debt to Chang s LLC does not have to be paid.

#### **Inflation and Seasonality**

We have not experienced material inflation during the past five years. Seasonality has historically not had a material effect on our operations.

### Off-Balance Sheet Arrangements

The Company does not have any off-balance sheet arrangements as of September 30, 2012.

### ITEM 3. QUANTITATIVE AND QUALITATIVE DISCLOSURES ABOUT MARKET RISK

Interest Rate Risk. Our exposure to interest rate risk primarily relates to interest income generated by cash invested in liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less. Such interest-earning instruments carry a degree of interest rate risk. We have not used any derivative financial instruments to manage our interest rate exposure. We have not been exposed to material risks due to changes in interest rates. However, our future interest income may be lower than expected due to changes in market interest rates.

Foreign Exchange Risk. None.

*Inflation.* Inflation has not had a material impact on our results of operations during 2012 and 2011.

### ITEM 4. CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES

We maintain a system of disclosure controls and procedures that are designed for the purpose of ensuring that information required to be disclosed in our SEC reports is recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time periods specified in the SEC rules and forms, and that such information is accumulated and communicated to the Company's management, including the Chief Executive Officer and the Principal Accounting Officer, as appropriate to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosures.

For the period ended September 30, 2012, we carried out an evaluation, under the supervision and with the participation of our Chief Executive Officer and our Chief Financial Officer, of the effectiveness of the design and operation of our disclosure controls and procedures as defined in Rule 13a-15(e) or Rule 15d-15(e) under the Exchange Act. In the course of this evaluation, our management considered the material weakness in our internal control over financial reporting as discussed in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the period ended December 31, 2011. Based on that evaluation, our Chief Executive Officer and our Chief Financial Officer concluded that, as of the end of the period covered by this report on Form 10-O, our disclosure controls and procedures were not effective to ensure that the information required to be disclosed by us in reports filed under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 is (i) recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time periods specified in the SEC rules and forms and (ii) accumulated and communicated to the registrant's management, including the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer, as appropriate to allow timely decisions regarding disclosure. To overcome this weakness, our principal executive and financial officers have reviewed and provided additional substantive accounting information and data in connection with the preparation of this quarterly report. Therefore, despite the weaknesses identified, our principal executive and financial officers believe that there are no material inaccuracies or omissions of material facts necessary to make the statements included in this report not misleading in light of the circumstances under which they are made.

### Changes in Internal Control over Financial Reporting

We will continue to monitor and evaluate the effectiveness of our internal controls and procedures and our internal controls over financing reporting on an ongoing basis and are committed to taking further action and implementing additional enhancements or improvements, as necessary and as funds allow.

There have been no changes in our internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the quarter ended September 30, 2012 that have materially affected, or were reasonably likely to materially affect, our internal control over financial reporting.

### **PART II - OTHER INFORMATION**

#### ITEM 1. LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

The Company does not have any material legal proceedings as of September 30, 2012.

#### ITEM 1A. RISK FACTORS

#### **Risk Factors Which May Affect Future Results**

The Company cautions that the following important factors, among others, in some cases have affected and in the future could affect the Company's actual results and could cause such results to differ materially from those expressed in forward-looking statements made by or on behalf of the Company.

There have been no material changes to the risk factors included in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2011, other than as set forth below:

#### **Risks Related To Our Business**

We completed a recapitalization agreement with Sung Chang and VIASPACE Green Energy on September 30, 2012. As a result, we no longer have an equity interest in VGE and the secured debt we previously had with Changs, LLC does not have to be paid. We also entered into a Giant King Grass license relationship with VGE.

On May 14, 2010, VIASPACE entered into a Secured Promissory Note with Sung Hsien Chang ("Chang") and must pay Chang \$5,331,025 over a five-year period. Chang is a former Director of VIASPACE, President of VGE, and CEO of IPA China and IPA BVI. Interest accrues at 6%. On May 16, 2011, VIASPACE and Chang entered into an Amendment to Secured Promissory Note (the "Note Amendment"). Under the Note Amendment, VIASPACE was required pay Changs LLC principal in five equal installments of \$1,066,205 on the second through sixth anniversary of the issuance date. The first payment was due May 14, 2012.

VIASPACE was not able to make the cash payment due to Chang on May 14, 2012. Chang was entitled to foreclose on most of the assets of VIASPACE's business, including without limitation, all shares of VGE capital stock which the Company has already pledged to Chang. However, the foreclosure did not occur. As explained in Note 2, on September 30, 2012, the Company reached an agreement with VGE and Sung Chang which resulted in a recapitalization of VGE and a sublicense for Giant King Grass from VGE to VIASPACE. In particular, among other things, the final agreements resulted in: (1) VIASPACE no longer owning VGE equity; (2) Chang increasing his ownership of VGE equity; (3) the Company would not have to pay Chang for any obligations under the Note; and (4) the Company would obtain a sublicense to the Giant King Grass license held by IPA China to commercialize and develop GKG anywhere in the world other than the PRC or Taiwan.

After September 30, 2012, VIASPACE no longer has any ownership in VGE, IPA BVI and IPA China and thus will have no ownership in the framed artwork business any longer. It will no longer derive any revenue from such business. It will have a GKG sublicense which it intends to develop as its business going forward.

We have incurred losses and anticipate continued losses for the foreseeable future.

Our net loss for the nine months ended September 30, 2012 was \$6,374,000 including a loss from discontinued operations of \$5,329,000. We have not yet achieved profitability and expect to continue to incur net losses until we recognize increased revenues from GKG related sales. Further, we no longer have any ownership interest in VGE, and therefore no longer have any revenue from framed artwork business. We will rely on the GKG licensing agreement we have put in place effective September 30, 2012, to generate revenues or our GKG grass business. Because we do not have an operating history upon which an evaluation of our prospects can be based, our prospects must be considered in light of the risks, expenses and difficulties frequently encountered by companies seeking to develop new and rapidly evolving technologies. To address these risks, we must, among other things, respond to competitive factors, continue to attract, retain and motivate qualified personnel and continue to develop our technologies. We may not be successful in addressing these risks. We can give no assurance that we will achieve or sustain profitability.

Our ability to continue as a going concern is dependent on future revenues or future financing.

Hein & Associates LLP, our independent registered public accounting firm, included an explanatory paragraph in its report on our financial statements for 2011, which expresses substantial doubt about our ability to continue as a going concern. The inclusion of a going concern explanatory paragraph in Hein & Associates LLP's report on our financial statements could have a detrimental effect on our stock price and our ability to raise additional capital if needed.

Our financial statements were prepared on the basis of a going concern, which contemplates the realization of assets and the satisfaction of liabilities in the normal course of business. We have not made any adjustments to the financial statements as a result of the outcome of the uncertainty described above. Accordingly, the value of the Company in liquidation may be different from the amounts set forth in our financial statements.

Our continued success will depend on our ability to achieve profitability or to raise capital in order to fund the development and commercialization of our products. Failure to be profitable or to raise additional capital may result in substantial adverse circumstances, including our inability to continue the development of our products and our liquidation.

Effective September 30, 2012, the Company lost all of its revenues and profits from the artwork business after the recapitalization agreement with VGE occurred.

After the recapitalization with VGE, the Company no longer has any ownership of VGE, and thus, no longer owns the framed artwork business. Therefore, the Company will suffer significantly reduced recognized revenues for the foreseeable future. The Company has retained a sublicense to the GKG technology effective September 30, 2012, and the Company will rely on future revenues from the GKG business along with proceeds from any debt and equity capital sales in order to maintain its operations.

If we fail to comply with our obligations in our intellectual property licenses, we could lose license rights that are important to our business.

We are a party to a number of license agreements that are material to our business. We may enter into additional technology licenses in the future. Effective September 30, 2012, as explained in Note 2, we entered into a sublicense agreement with Mr. Chang and VGE pursuant to which VGE will sublicense their license to the GKG intellectual property to us. Because this is a sublicense arrangement, we are also dependent on Mr. Chang to maintain the license properly. Any failure by Mr. Chang to comply with its terms under its license may have a ripple effect that materially and adversely affects our sublicense with Mr. Chang.

These existing licenses impose and future licenses may impose various minimum royalty commitments, other royalties and other obligations on us. If we fail to comply with these obligations, the licensors may have the right to terminate the license, in which event we might not be able to market any product that is covered by the licensors. We cannot assure you we will be able to obtain new licenses, or renew existing licenses, on commercially reasonable terms, if at all. Termination of the licenses could have a material adverse affect on our business, operating results and financial condition.

We have a sublicense relationship with respect to the GKG license. If the license from our sublicensor is cancelled, terminated or otherwise is adversely affected, our sublicense may be materially affected.

As explained in Note 2, effective September 30, 2012, the Company entered into a Giant King Grass sub license agreement with VGE. Under this agreement, we have a sublicense from VGE to commercialize GKG on a worldwide basis except the PRC and Taiwan. VGE obtained the original license from China Gate. The term of this license from China Gate is not specified. China Gate has informed us that they have an exclusive license to the GKG in Guangdong province and North America and have granted VGE an exclusive sublicense to the same region. However, because we do not have a direct relationship with the holder of the intellectual property, any material adverse effect to the GKG license held by our sublicensors (either China Gate or VGE) would affect our rights as the sublicensee. The original licensor is aware of our China Gate sublicense and has consented to it. For instance, if our sublicensor fails to perform its obligations under its license with the original licensor, we would have no recourse against the original licensor and our rights with respect to the sublicense may be materially affected.

Our growth prospects may be materially and adversely affected if we are unable to develop or acquire new products or to produce our existing products in sufficient quantities.

We believe the future growth of our Company will depend on the value of our grass business for biofuel, power plant, or animal feed purposes. The ability to develop orders from customers, if at all, is uncertain due to several factors, many of which are beyond our control. These include changing customer preferences, competitive price pressures, the failure to adapt products to meet the evolving demands of customers in China, the development of higher-quality products by our competitors, and general economic conditions. If we are unable to develop or acquire additional products that meet the demands of our customers, or if our competitors develop products that are favored by our customers, our growth will be adversely affected.

In addition, our business will initially depend on the success of our Giant King Grass business. Effective September 30, 2012, as explained in Note 2, we no longer own VGE, and therefore, we will no longer control the plantations where GKG is currently grown in the Guangdong province of the PRC. Instead, under an agreement with VGE, VGE will be a supplier of seedlings to us. Since we will not directly own the farms, however, we are subject to greater risk if VGE is unable or unwilling to supply us the seedlings. For the long term prospects, we will likely have to produce GKG in other locations outside China including the US. If we are unable to generate our existing products in sufficient quantities – either from VGE or through our own locations - our growth prospects may be materially and adversely affected and our revenues and profitability may decline.

If we lose key personnel or are unable to hire additional qualified personnel, it could impact our ability to grow our business.

We believe our future success will depend in large part upon our ability to attract and retain highly skilled technical, managerial, sales and marketing, finance and operations personnel. We face intense competition for all such personnel, and we may not be able to attract and retain these individuals. Our failure to do so could delay product development, affect the quality of our products and services, and/or prevent us from sustaining or growing our business. In addition, employees may leave our company and subsequently compete against us. Key personnel include Dr. Carl Kukkonen, our CEO. The loss of key personnel, especially if without advanced notice, could harm our ability to maintain and build our business operations. Furthermore, we have no key man life insurance for any of our key employees.

#### Risks Related To An Investment In Our Stock

Any future sale of a substantial number of shares of our common stock could depress the trading price of our common stock, lower our value and make it more difficult for us to raise capital.

Any sale of a substantial number of shares of our common stock (or the prospect of sales) may depress the price of our common stock. In particular, we will need to raise additional capital to maintain any ongoing business. We anticipate that the issuance of newly-issued shares to maintain our business will likely be very dilutive. In addition, these sales could lower our value and make it more difficult for us to raise capital. Further, the timing of the sale of the shares of our common stock may occur at a time when we would otherwise be able to obtain additional equity capital on terms more favorable to us.

The Company has 1,500,000,000 authorized shares of common stock, of which 1,383,147,082 were issued and outstanding as of September 30, 2012. Of these issued and outstanding shares, 632,543,464 shares (45.7%) are currently held by our executive officers, directors, and principal shareholders including related parties (including Dr. Carl Kukkonen, CEO and Director; Mr. Stephen J. Muzi, CFO; Ms. Angelina Galiteva, Director; Dr. Kevin L. Schewe, Director; and Mr. Sung Hsien Chang, former director of the Company). Of the shares issued and outstanding at September 30, 2012, 550,246,707 are accounted by our transfer agent as restricted under Rule 144. These shares could be released in the future if requested by the holder of the shares, subject to volume and manner of sale restrictions under Rule 144. 832,900,375 shares of the Company's common stock are accounted for by our transfer agent as free trading at September 30, 2012.

We cannot predict the size of future issuances of our common stock or the effect, if any, that future issuances and sales of shares of our common stock will have on the market price of our common stock. Sales of substantial amounts

of our common stock (including shares currently held by management and principal shareholders), or the perception that such sales could occur, may adversely affect prevailing market prices for our common stock.

Our executive officers, directors and principal shareholders own 45.7% of our voting stock, which may allow them to control substantially all matters requiring shareholder approval, and their interests may not align with the interests of our other stockholders.

Our executive officers, directors and principal shareholders hold 45.7% of our outstanding shares as of September 30, 2012. In addition, on May 14, 2010, the Company filed with the Secretary of State of the State of Nevada a Certificate of Designation of Series A Preferred Stock. The Certificate was approved by the Board and did not require shareholder vote. The Certificate created a new class of preferred stock known as Series A Preferred Stock. There is one share designated as Series A Preferred Stock. One share of Series A Preferred Stock is entitled to 50.1% of the outstanding votes on all shareholder voting matters. Series A Preferred Stock has no dividend rights and no rights upon a liquidation event and is subject to cancellation when certain conditions are met.

On May 14, 2010, the Company issued one share of Series A Preferred Stock to Mr. Chang related to the acquisition of IPA by VIASPACE and VGE. This empowers Chang with supermajority voting rights even after he holds less than a majority of outstanding voting securities. Under the term sheet relating to the VGE Recapitalization, Chang would give a proxy to Director Dr. Schewe during the term of any GKG sublicense from VGE. Dr. Schewe may be willing to provide additional financing to the Company. In the event he provides such financing, his ownership in the Company will further increase.

Effective as of September 30, 2012, and pursuant to an Agreement to Grant Voting Rights and Transfer Preferred Share executed by Chang and Director Kevin Schewe, Chang granted Schewe an irrevocable proxy that permitted Schewe to vote the Preferred Share. This proxy lasts so long as the License (discussed in Note 2) remained exclusive to the Company. Upon the earlier of (i) the expiration of five years or (ii) the date when the Company reached a market capitalization of at least \$50 million, the proxy would be cancelled as the Preferred Share would be transferred from Chang to Schewe.

we did lose our interests in VGE which could impact our stock price.
As explained in Note 2 and in the Risk Factors earlier, the Company did not make the debt payment due to Chang on May 14, 2012. However, effective September 30, 2012, the Company and Mr. Chang finalized a recapitalization agreement and a Giant King Grass license agreement. VIASPACE gave to Changs, LLC all of the shares it owned in VGE. In return, among other things, VIASPACE does not have to pay the secured debt to Chang. The Company cannot predict the impact these events will have on your securities' value.
ITEM 2. UNREGISTERED SALES OF EQUITY SECURITIES AND USE OF PROCEEDS
None.
ITEM 3. DEFAULTS UPON SENIOR SECURITIES
None.
ITEM 4. MINE SAFETY DISCLOSURES
None.
ITEM 5. OTHER INFORMATION
None.

ITEM 6. EXHIBITS

### (a) Exhibits

- Acknowledgment and Mutual Release Agreement between Direct Methanol Fuel Cell Corporation, the University of Southern California and California Institute of Technology dated October 31, 2012. \*
- 31.1 Certification of Chief Executive Officer pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002. \*
- 31.2 Certification of Chief Financial Officer pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002. \*
- Certification of Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, 18 U.S.C. Section 1350. \*
- 101.INS XBRL Instance Document \*
- 101.SCH XBRL Schema Document \*
- 101.CALXBRL Calculation Linkbase Document \*
- 101.DEF XBRL Definition Linkbase Document \*
- 101.LAB XBRL Label Linkbase Document \*
- 101.PRE XBRL Presentation Linkbase Document \*

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<sup>\*</sup> Filed herewith.

# **SIGNATURES**

In accordance with the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

### **VIASPACE Inc.**

# (Registrant)

Date: November 16, 2012 By:/s/ CARL KUKKONEN Carl Kukkonen Chief Executive Officer

Date: November 16, 2012 By:/s/ STEPHEN J. MUZI Stephen J. Muzi Chief Financial Officer