## BALLARD BATTERY SYSTEMS CORPORATION

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Ballard Battery Systems of North Vancouver,
British Columbia, began as a research and
development facility with the highest concentration
of lithium dioxide battery experts anywhere in the
world. Utilizing its team to the fullest, it spent 10
years developing its first products before entering
the North American market. Its diligence paid off
and Ballard Battery Systems is now a major supplier
of batteries to the U.S. and Canadian armed forces.

Ballard Battery Systems products have proven themselves under the harshest conditions – in military use, in space, in remote locations, and in search and rescue missions.

With that kind of field testing, the Ballard reputation speaks for itself and the company has been rewarded with a 500% increase in employee numbers over the past three years, and U.S. military contracts extending well into the 1990s. Having captured 13% of the lucrative North American market the company is now developing new products and new markets for the future.

