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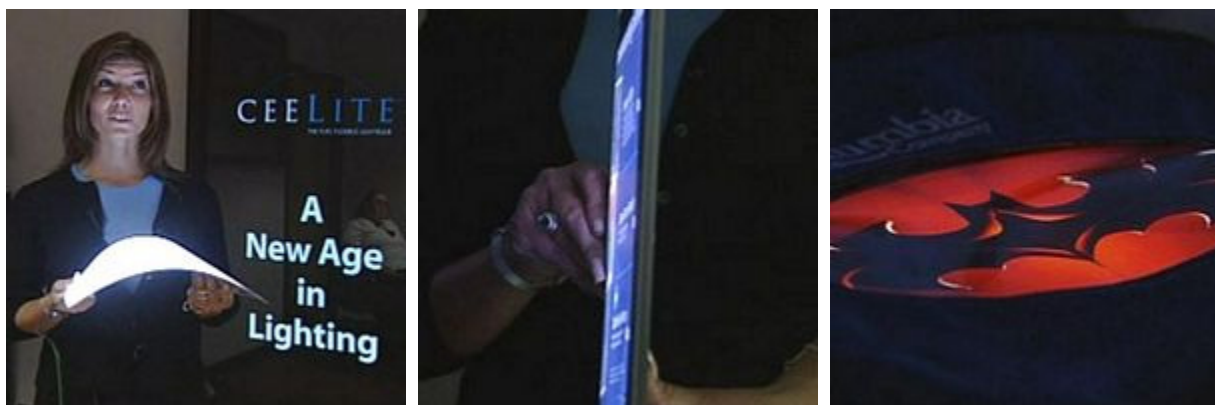
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Local Company Develops New Light Technology

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A new kind of technology is allowing people to "see the light" like never before. And it's an idea developed right in Montgomery County. WFMZ's [Eve Tannery](#) tells us why many believe it's the wave of the future.

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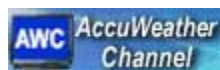
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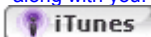
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GABRIELLE SANTULLI: 11:26

It's completely bendable and so flexible can go around virtually any surface.

TANNERY:

It's called light emitting capacitor technology, or LEC, and it's a product of CeeLite, a company based in Lansdale.

Instead of the light being projected or reflected, the LEC technology uses surface light.

MIKE BINDER: 1:22

We have the ability now to light objects, instead of from some indirect source, by the objects themselves.

TANNERY:

The panels need a power source of some kind, but from keyboards to backpacks..they can be used in many ways because they don't emit heat.

So what turns the light on?

It's thanks to a process called phosphor based technology.

MIKE: 3:53

Phosphors are elements...zinc, sulfur, magnesium, //that when electrified...they emit light.

TANNERY: (STANDUP) 17:50

This new technology recently lit up the stage of Saturday Night Live when the drummer of the Red Hot Chilli Peppers put on a light show by simply playing his drum.

TANNERY:

It's all thanks to the technology's ability to be lit up by sound.

MIKE: 10:20

I could be in a nightclub singing and my voice could be turning the walls on.

TANNERY: And applications go from lighting up walls...to lighting up fashion.

GAB: 13:45

Construction workers working at night can actually wear light.

TANNERY:

And with so many ideas already in the works, CeeLite employees say opportunities are endless in the future.

MIKE: 6:33

I envision walking into hotels and when the doors open the walls go on instead of the typical lighting. I envision walking into a bathroom. And the vanity top's lit. TANNERY:

All in all, founders are hopeful the LEC technology will bring people around the world out of the

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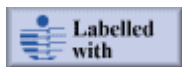
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