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## **Intec: 15 years and still going strong**

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Levittown-based company Industrial Technology (Intec) has made President Olga Maldonado a force to be reckoned with in the electrical lighting industry. Leading the way for other women, Maldonado has had a successful business for more the 18 years. "I took a risk and it has worked out well," she said.

Intec sells visually pleasing lighting options to more than 150 clients ranging from large commercial industries to dentists. Maldonado said what separates Intec from the rest is that they specialize in bulbs such as halogen, incandescent, mini recreational and fluorescent, to name just a few. She said that even her competition has bought items from her extensive product line.

Maldonado was chosen Businessperson of the Year in 2005 by the International Alliance of Men & Women Businesspeople. Moreover, she is the current vice president of this association. And last year the Puerto Rico Distinguished People Association chose her as Distinguished Lady for the town of Toa Baja for 2005.

There are plans to expand Intec in the future by adding a warehouse and establishing a larger wholesale clientele. In the meantime, Maldonado loves spending time with her daughter Isadora Marie and dedicates weekends and any time off to her family.