



## **Press Release** (27 October 2010)

### **Scottish Enterprise SMART award approved for CHEEVC**

CHEEVC, a start up company founded by Ken Norton in July 2010 to develop batteries for electric vehicles (EVs) and a range of other applications, has been awarded a SMART grant for innovation of £70,000 by Scottish Enterprise. The project is for "Research into a High Reliability, Integrated Smart Battery System". The initial product will be a battery suitable for powering electric bicycles.

Mr Norton said that he expected to prove out the technology by the second quarter of next year and follow through with an engineering programme to develop products suitable for introducing to the market in 2012.

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