GENLYTE GROUP INC Form SC TO-C November 27, 2007

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

#### **SCHEDULE TO**

(RULE 14d-100)

TENDER OFFER STATEMENT UNDER SECTION 14(D)(1) OR SECTION 13(E)(1)
OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

# THE GENLYTE GROUP INCORPORATED

(Name of Subject Company (Issuer))

#### **GOLF MERGER SUB, INC.**

a wholly owned subsidiary of PHILIPS HOLDING USA INC. a wholly owned subsidiary of KONINKLIJKE PHILIPS ELECTRONICS N.V.

(Name of Filing Persons (Offeror))

Common Stock, Par Value \$0.01 per share (Title of Class of Securities)

#### 372302109

(CUSIP Number of Class of Securities)

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This written material may contain certain forward-looking statements with respect to the financial condition, results of operations and business of Philips and certain of the plans and objectives of Philips with respect to these items, including without limitation completion of the tender offer and merger and any expected benefits of the merger. Completion of the tender offer and merger are subject to conditions, including satisfaction of a minimum tender condition and the need for regulatory approvals, and there can be no assurance those conditions can be satisfied or that the transactions described in this press release will completed. By their nature, forward-looking statements involve risk and uncertainty because they relate to events and depend on circumstances that will occur in the future and there are many factors that could cause actual results and developments to differ materially from those expressed or implied by these forward-looking statements.

#### Additional Information

The tender offer described in this written material has not yet commenced, and this written material is neither an offer to purchase nor a solicitation of an offer to sell Genlyte s common stock. Investors and security holders are urged to read both the tender offer statement and the solicitation/recommendation statement regarding the tender offer described in this press release when they become available because they will contain important information. The tender offer statement will be filed by Philips with the Securities and Exchange commission (SEC) and the solicitation/recommendation statement will be filed by Genlyte with the SEC. Investors and security holders may obtain a free copy of these statements (when available) and other documents filed by Philips or Genlyte with the SEC at the website maintained by the SEC at <a href="www.sec.gov">www.sec.gov</a>. The tender offer statement and related materials, solicitation/recommendation statement, and such other documents may be obtained for free by directing such requests to Investor Relations of Genlyte at <a href="maintained-predations-regulations-r

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