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Wentworth Consolidates its PET Preform and Injection Blow Mold Business in North America

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Wentworth Technologies, the world's No.1 independent manufacturer of blow molds for the packaging industry, has announced that the consolidation of Jersey Mold and Electra Form operations has been completed. The consolidated company operates under the name of Electra Form and is located in Vandalia, Ohio. The Jersey Mold plant in Millville, New Jersey, will be sold. The PET Preform and Injection Blow Molds Group operations in Poniatowa, Poland, Mansfield Woodhouse, UK, and the sales/service unit in Singapore will remain without change. The objective of the consolidation in North America is to provide better customer service from a central location, to lower manufacturing cost, and to expand the capabilities of test and small production runs in support of our customers. The combined company has more resources, equipment, people and know-how.

In addition, the Vandalia operations will have continued support from the plant in Poniatowa, Poland and the plant in the UK. Wentworth is developing aggressively the manufacturing capabilities in Poland to significantly lower the cost of final products to customers. The consolidation has been well received by the customers.

Electra Form is one of the world's leading manufacturers of PET Preform Molds and Injection Blow Molds. It is a best value supplier of:

- PET Preform Injection Molds
- Multi-layer PET Preform Molds
- Injection Blow Molds
- PET Injection Stretch Blow Molds
- Single Stage Molds

Electra Form has developed a proprietary Fast To Market® (FTM®) program that provides the fastest delivery in the industry for prototype preform stacks and unit blow molds. Electra Form provides a single source service to customers.

Wentworth Technologies is the world's No.1 independent manufacturer of blow molds of all types and sizes, all technologies, for all types of equipment, anywhere in the world. The company is an approved vendor and supplier of the top 30 packaging companies and converters. Its service extends to over 80 countries throughout Europe, the Americas and Asia.

Wentworth's key strategy is to continue as Global Best Value Supplier and Low Cost Leader in mold manufacturing and services for the packaging industry. We are committed to global leadership with manufacturing and service facilities in the

United States, Canada, Poland, Germany, United Kingdom and Singapore.

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