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COMPOSITE MATERIALS TECHNOLOGY COMPLETES ACQUISITION IN THE NORTHWEST

ATLANTA, GA November 28, 2005 - Atlanta-based Composite Materials Technology (CMT) completed its acquisition of CCI/DuraPole® today. CCI/DuraPole was formerly a division of Corrosion Controllers, Inc. (CCI). CMT will serve the Western United States from CCI/DuraPole's Portland-area location.

CCI has been in the composites business since 1956 specializing in filament wound pipes, composite lighting, decorative and column structures. CCI's affiliate, DuraWound, Inc. has designed and built specialty filament winding manufacturing fixtures for over 40 years and is a recognized expert in composite manufacturing.

The acquisition adds DuraPole's natural-finish filament wound poles to the CMT family of pole products. The combination of CMT's and CCI's technology and coast-to-coast locations will deliver more poles and greater service to the utility distribution, lighting and telecom markets. As part of the acquisition, CCI's president, Chris Kellogg, has joined CMT to lead its national filament-wound light pole efforts.

"We are really pleased to have Chris Kellogg and the DuraPole team join the CMT family. It was a natural fit for CMT because the DuraPole product is respected as one of the finest quality filament-wound poles available" said Allen Sells, President of CMT. "CCI/DuraPole provides us a great location to serve our customers throughout the WECC region."

"CMT has an excellent reputation. CMT's investment in the former Newmark composite division has really stirred the industry and raised the standard of quality in the pole market. I am excited about the strength and opportunity for growth provided by partnering with CMT" said Chris Kellogg, President of CCI.

CMT is expanding its manufacturing locations across the United States. In September 2004, CMT acquired the former Newmark International Fiberglass Pole Division in South Carolina. CMT opened Titan™ concrete pole manufacturing facilities in 2005 in Georgia and South Carolina.

ABOUT COMPOSITE MATERIALS TECHNOLOGY

CMT is the largest producer of centrifugally cast reinforced composite poles in the United States and delivers a full line of the highest quality lighting structure products in the market in its Marathon™ Composite Poles. CMT also serves architectural needs of lighting customers with its Legacy™ line of decorative poles, and is now delivering Titan™ Concrete Poles using its breakthrough patented high-performance lightweight concrete pole technology. Combined CMT and CCI/DuraPole have delivered over half a million poles to 5,000 customers throughout the United States and internationally over their 25-year history. For more information, please visit www.cmtpoles.com.

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