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Atrium Companies, Inc. Announces Facility Closing

Company's Shelton, Conn. facility to close in 60 days

DALLAS – Atrium Companies, Inc., the largest manufacturer of vinyl and aluminum windows and patio doors in North America, recently announced that it is closing its 79,000 square foot facility in Shelton, Conn. The closing will be completed by March, 2007. All customers serviced out of Shelton will be transitioned to the company's Welcome, N.C. facility without disruption. The Welcome, N.C. facility already produces over half of the product that goes to the Northeast region's customers.

"Market conditions in the Northeast and the capacity for additional volume in North Carolina convinced us that this is the right decision for our company," stated Bob Burns, Atrium's chief operating officer. "The North Carolina operation can absorb this business and still provide one-week delivery to all customer locations."

According to Mr. Burns, the closing of the Shelton facility will affect approximately 60 employees. "Although this decision is in the best interest of our operational strategy, it is regrettable any time a closing displaces a dedicated workforce," he said.

Atrium has made the announcement to its Shelton employees, as well as to those customers affected by the realignment. In many cases, orders previously placed out of Shelton have already been transitioned. "We expect this process to be seamless for our customers," Mr. Burns stated.

About Atrium Companies, Inc.

For more than 50 years, Atrium Companies, Inc. (atrium.com) has offered the highest quality window and door products to meet the demands of builders, contractors and distributors in the residential construction industry. Dedicated to meeting the needs of its customers, the Atrium family of brands provides a versatile range of window and patio door products, including vinyl and aluminum models, as well as replacement and new construction product lines. A variety of window styles is also available through the Atrium family including single- and double-hung, horizontal slider, casement, tilt-and-turn and architectural shapes. Specialty products range from hurricane impact solutions with Atrium's Safe Harbor® impact-resistant windows, patio doors and hurricane window shutters, to innovative soundproofing Silent Guard™ Sound Suppression Windows. The company's portfolio of brands includes its flagship Atrium Windows and Doors brand, Superior Windows, Thermal Industries, Danvid Door and Window, HR Windows, Champion Window and Darby Door.

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