



## NEWS RELEASE

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### JEB Names PPG Supplier of the Year

**Pedricktown, NJ (February 3, 2009)** - JE Berkowitz, LP (JEB), a leading independent architectural glass fabricator, has named PPG Industries of Pittsburgh, PA its **2008 Supplier of the Year**. Roger L. Thomas, Materials Manager for JEB, recently presented the award to Mark Fanelli, Sales Director of Performance Glazings for PPG, at JEB's new state-of-the-art manufacturing facilities. "PPG's performance glazings business is honored to be selected Supplier of the Year by JE Berkowitz, LP. This award means a great deal to us since JE Berkowitz has a long tradition of quality and excellence in the glass industry," exclaimed Fanelli.

Each of the suppliers is evaluated quarterly and yearly. JEB in turn rewards the excellent vendors. Some of the criteria used are product quality, on-time delivery, packaging quality, service, back orders, and responsiveness to quality and service problems. "PPG is well deserving of the award. They did an outstanding job for us this year," says Thomas. They were also named **Supplier of the Quarter** for the third quarter of 2008.

"PPG provides market leading low-e and low-iron products, allowing us to provide high quality architectural insulating glass units that help contribute to LEED certification for many of our projects," says Robert Price, Director of Sales for JEB.



JEB supplied over 95,000 square feet of glass for The Prudential Center in Newark, NJ, featuring PPG's Solarban 60 (2) Starphire / Starphire ultra-clear, low-E coated insulating glass.  **PPG V CFP**  
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“PPG has been supplying its Starphire® Ultra-Clear (low-iron) glass and Solarban® Solar Control low-e Glasses to JE Berkowitz, LP for years. The partnership has enabled JE Berkowitz to become a leading Certified Fabricator in the market,” says Mark Seeton, Regional Sales Director for PPG.

“PPG has consistently produced a great quality product on-time and without any deviations,” says Thomas. “It’s very important to ensure that our glass manufacturer’s product is consistently of the highest quality so that the integrity of our architectural glass products are not compromised.”

### **About JEB**

JE Berkowitz, LP (est. 1920) is a leading architectural glass fabricator. Its products include Tempered Glass, Insulating Glass, Spandrel Glass, Silk Screened Glass, Glass Doors and Entrances, Laminated Glass, and Point Supported Canopy and Wall Systems for the domestic and overseas architectural markets. The family-owned glass business is located in Pedricktown, N.J., with over 200,000 square feet of plant space and 250 employees.

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