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**Solutia's Nanette Lockwood to Present at
2007 Bahamas Weather Conference
*Fourth Consecutive Invitation for Lockwood***

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ST. LOUIS – March 8, 2007 – For the fourth consecutive year, Nanette Lockwood, director of legislative affairs for Solutia Inc, has been invited to speak at the prestigious Bahamas Weather Conference which attracts meteorologists from throughout the United States and Caribbean. Saflex[®], a business unit of Solutia, is the world's leading manufacturer of polyvinyl butyral (PVB) interlayers used in laminated glass. A long-

time advocate for building code reform, Lockwood and the Saflex governmental affairs team have been instrumental in pressing for building code adoption and reform throughout hurricane-prone regions of the U.S.

“Nanette is clearly one of the nation’s leading experts on the benefits of hurricane resistant construction,” said Dr. Robert Sheets, former director of the National Hurricane Center and coordinator of the annual conference. “Her insights are valued by meteorologists who need to understand how and why building codes are adopted and their importance in creating safer and stronger buildings that will survive and protect those inside during a hurricane.”

Now in its eleventh year, the Bahamas Weather Conference is an initiative of the Bahamas Ministry of Tourism to bring together media outlet and top hurricane experts in the U.S. This year’s conference will convene April 18 through 22 at the Atlantis Paradise Island.

Lockwood will speak at 11:30 a.m., Thursday, April 19, on the status of building code legislation in hurricane prone states. She will also participate in a panel discussion on the hurricane insurance crisis moderated by John Zarella from CNN at 10:30 a.m., Friday, April 20.

For additional information, contact Lockwood at njlock@solutia.com. For more information on the Bahamas Weather Conference, visit www.bahamaswxconference.com.

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fluids and aviation hydraulic fluid and an integrated family of nylon products including high-performance polymers and fibers.

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