



Silicone Release Liner Producer, MPI Technologies, Doubles Capacity Adds 87" Wide Thermal Coating Equipment to its Silicone Coating and Curing Capabilities

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WINCHESTER, MA (September 1, 2009) – MPI Release Technologies, LLC, a silicone release liner producer, is pleased to announce the purchase of a wide-width Thermal Coating line in Greenfield, Indiana. The equipment is a world-class, high speed, Polytype Coater capable of applying silicone to two sides of a web in one pass. The equipment can also print or treat in-line and apply controlled remoisterization to a cellulosic substrate. The acquisition enables MPI Technologies Release to produce the widest range of release-coated films [.0025"/0.0635 mm and up] and paper, both with and without extrusion coatings, in widths up to 87"/2210 mm.



The acquisition adds a vital curing capability to the Company's state-of-the-art equipment line-up, which also includes both ultra violet [UV] and electron beam [EB]. The acquisition not only greatly expands MPI's product offerings, but also provides the security and convenience of facilities in two central locations. With this expansion, the

company is well-positioned to take advantage of the full range of silicone chemistries available to the marketplace in connection with the engineering and development of controlled or differential release liners for its growing list of top tier customers.

According to MPI Technologies Release President Ed Alois, "Our corporate philosophy is that bigness is not greatness. Our ongoing goal is to continue to nurture MPI as a user-friendly supplier, with personalized responsiveness to customers of any size, quick turn-around of sample requests and quotations, and predictably prompt shipments of consistent quality."

MPI has been in the business of producing one and two-side coated release liners for over ten years for applications in the electronics and other demanding industries. It is one of the country's largest coaters of EB materials. Effective with the purchase of the Indiana production facility, releasable materials will be the Company's entire focus. MPI expects to further expand its product line on a national basis to include pressure-sensitive labels, plastic rubber processors, converters, composites and structural plastics, medical applications, and more.

MPI Release LLC, headquartered at 37 East Street, Winchester, MA 01890, is a privately owned company.