

CoorsTek Armor Solutions Holds Grand Opening for Golden Facility

*Armor integration subsidiary of CoorsTek expands to
second facility located in Golden, Colorado*

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February 17, 2009 – Golden, Colorado – CoorsTek Armor Solutions, the newest subsidiary of technical ceramics giant CoorsTek, Inc. and a leading provider of integrated armor solutions for ground vehicles, aircraft, and marine crafts, held a ribbon-cutting ceremony for its state-of-the-art facility in Golden on Tuesday, February 17th at 3:30 p.m.

Attendees included Congressman Ed Perlmutter, Congressman Mike Coffman, Golden Mayor Jacob Smith, several CoorsTek and CoorsTek Armor Solutions officers including John K. Coors, President, Chairman, and CEO of CoorsTek, and other delegates.

“CoorsTek Armor Solutions offers superior lightweight armor products for vehicle manufacturers throughout the United States to protect our brave men and women in the armed services,” stated John K. Coors, President, Chairman, and CEO of CoorsTek, Inc. “We also expect the local community to benefit from the creation of jobs as our business expands,” he continued.

More about CoorsTek Armor Solutions

Established in June, 2008, CoorsTek Armor Solutions (CTAS) provides next-generation lightweight armor panels made with CoorsTek technical ceramic and other proprietary materials for leading vehicle manufacturers exclusively within the United States. Using advanced materials like silicon carbide, high-density

alumina, transparent ceramic (dubbed Spinel and used for windows), and other hybrid materials, CTAS operates out of two state-of-the-art facilities – one in Ogdensburg, New York and one in Golden, Colorado. DEW Engineering and Development, another CoorsTek subsidiary also providing integrated armor components and located in Canada, serves customers outside the United States.

More about CoorsTek

CoorsTek is the largest technical ceramics manufacturer in North America and has manufacturing facilities in Europe and Asia. CoorsTek supplies critical components and complete assemblies for defense, medical, automotive, semiconductor, aerospace, electronic, power generation, telecommunication, and other high-technology applications. Utilizing advanced material technologies, the company's engineered solutions enable its customers' products to overcome technological barriers and improve performance. For more information about CoorsTek, please visit the Company's website at www.coorstek.com.

More about DEW Engineering and Development Limited

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High-Resolution Product and Facility Photographs

Military Humvee with composite ceramic armor protecting cab (1.3 MB)

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CoorsTek Armor Solutions Golden facility – panoramic view (3.2 MB)

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CoorsTek Armor Solutions Golden facility with view of Humvee (1.4 MB)

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