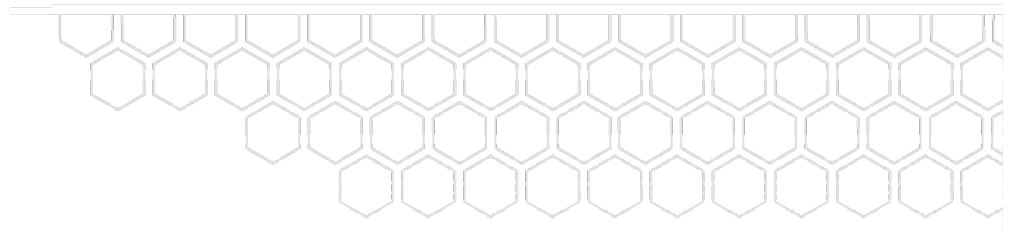




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KRYPTONITE - THE FIRST MAJOR BREAKTHROUGH IN COMPOSITE PANEL STRUCTURES IN OVER A DECADE Makes CCV's Composite Panels Stronger, More Durable and Faster To Produce

Kelowna, BC, May 22nd, 2007

CCV, North America's leading manufacturer of innovative composite panels and composite panel systems, announced a major breakthrough today. CCV's unique Kryptonite Adhesive System and their corona treatment machine ensures CCV composite panels are stronger, more durable and produced with a more environmentally friendly manufacturing process. This achievement underscores CCV's commitment to provide their customers with innovative, high performance composite panel solutions.

A key element in the design and manufacture of any composite panel is the adhesive used to bond together the facing and core materials. The adhesive must ensure the panel is structurally strong and eliminate degradation in the adhesive bond over the lifetime of the panel. Using the Kryptonite Adhesive System, CCV composite panels and panel systems improve performance, simplify production and deliver a high-strength, lightweight, durable solution in comparison to other paneling structures.

After more than five years of international research, the implementation of CCV's Kryptonite Adhesive System marks a significant milestone for the company. For several decades, adhesives for bonding composite panels showed a lack of innovation and no signs of enhancements. CCV's Kryptonite Adhesive System ensures panels will last longer and handle heavier loads. Because of CCV's unique application process, their customers get a better, more consistent bond in their composite panel solution that prevents de-lamination. This new technology allows CCV to increase their daily panel production output.

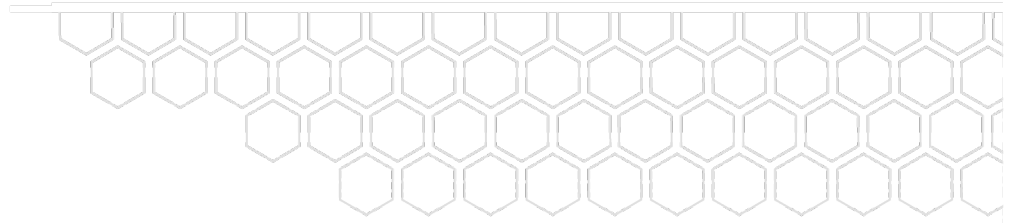
"The combination of a new CNC adhesive applicator and our Kryptonite Adhesive allows us to deliver composite panel solutions that are strong, cost efficient and perform better than anything else on the market today," said Richard Luehr, Managing Director. "Our customers recognize the value of our new automated application process, which enables us to have greater control of adhesive coating weights and deliver a consistent bond line. Our Kryptonite Adhesive System is environmentally friendly and RoHs compliant. It is completely solvent free and meets the standard for smoke generation, flame spread and toxic gas generation."

A manufacturer of Composite Panels and Composite Panel Systems since May 2000, CCV is well known for its success as a Tier 1 automotive supplier to Daimler Chrysler. They continue to manufacture lightweight sleeper boxes for its Class 8 Western Star Trucks division. CCV also manufactures Mobile Treatment Centers for first aid and medical transport applications for Code 3 Emergency Vehicles Inc and Printer Beds for Océ Display Graphics Systems.

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About CCV

CCV is North America's leading manufacturer of innovative composite panels and panel systems. Using a unique combination of advanced technologies and processes, our skilled design, production and technical support team transforms the industry's largest range of material options into composite panels and panel systems engineered to our customers' specifications. CCV is well known for its capability to transform standard panels into complete system solutions.

CCV solutions can be used in almost any application. Examples include vehicle floors, enclosures, trains, boats, buses, building interiors and exteriors, clean rooms, printer beds, interactive white boards, and tradeshow booths and/or displays.

As a premier supplier of quality products, CCV's mission is to exceed customers' expectations while creating an environment where every employee is recognized as an important resource. For more information about CCV and its products or services visit www.ccvbc.com.

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