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Xten Industries to reveal new focus at Plastec.

[Kenosha, WI] Xten Industries, a growing leader in contract manufacturing and plastic injection molding, will showcase the company's new industry focus at this year's Plastec Midwest show. Although Xten has an extensive background in plastic injection molding, the company is re-focusing its efforts to build awareness of its contract manufacturing abilities.

"We have shown, over and over again, that Americans produce excellent products here which are cost competitive with China," said Matt Davidson, Xten Industries CEO. "Hidden transportation and inventory costs from overseas destinations are making us more and more attractive to OEMs."

With the backlash of cheaper manufacturing in China hitting the US manufacturing industry daily, companies are looking for ways to bring business back to the United States. Xten Industries, which already produces products for Chinese companies, is using their new focus to highlight the company's abilities to produce higher quality products and ease supply chain issues. Xten's booth at the Plastec Midwest show will include company information about Xten's contract manufacturing abilities, plus numerous examples of plastic injection molding.

COMPANY INFORMATION:

Xten Industries, an ISO 9001:2000 certified company, was founded in 1940. Since moving to Kenosha in 2002, Xten's revenue has grown over 35% annually to almost \$15 million in 2007. Xten has become a local leader in contract manufacturing and plastic injection molding. Xten and all its employees strive hard to be an *extension* of their customers, assembling finished products and drop shipping those directly to ultimate users. Xten provides significant manufacturing efficiencies and has proven to be competitive with Asian and other outsourcing alternatives. The company offers many services including part and tool design, engineering, finishing, in-mold decorating, assembly, and packaging, along with inventory management and logistics solutions. Xten's mission is to deliver outstanding products on time and at a fair price and to work in a safe manner in an enjoyable atmosphere. For more information on Xten, please visit www.xtenindustries.com or Xten's headquarters in Kenosha, WI.

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