



News from Hawkeye Industries

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(Marietta, GA, USA, May 2, 2008) -- Hawkeye Industries Inc. is launching two new polystyrene compatible products, StyroSafe® Polyester Sealing Resin and StryoSafe® Polyester Laminating Resin.

StyroSafe Sealing Resin provides a fast method to seal expanded polystyrene foam (EPS). With two complete coats, the properly prepared EPS is sealed, and conventional polyester resin can be applied over the StyroSafe.

StyroSafe Laminating Resin allows manufacturers to laminate directly on inexpensive, low density polystyrene foam without an intermediate barrier.

“A processing money saver,” is how Hawkeye President John Daller describes the new products. “With StryoSafe, manufacturers can use low-cost and light-weight polystyrene foam instead of polyurethane foam,” he explains. Although applications for the product are still being developed, the products show great promise for RV interior panels, flotation devices, surfboards and CNC (computer numerical control) machining operations for tooling. The entertainment industry is also looking at StyroSafe to manufacture sets and props, according to Daller.

The worldwide marketer of Duratec® and AquaBuff® products, U.S.-based (Marietta, GA) Hawkeye Industries is observing its 25th anniversary in 2008. “Twenty-five years ago we brought

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Duratec surfacing products to the market and altered the composites industry by offering surfacing products that rapidly produce a Class A finish, says John Rea, one of Hawkeye's two founders and currently the company's chief executive officer. "With the StyroSafe Resins, we again have an opportunity to introduce products that offer dramatic savings in time and cost."

StyroSafe is now available through Hawkeye's worldwide distribution network. Both products are sold in five-gallon pails and 40-gallon drums. .

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