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ABEC, Inc Announces the Expansion of Manufacturing Capacity at Stainless Technology

Bethlehem, PA.--ABEC, Inc. today announced that it is in the final stages of completing a major expansion at its Stainless Technology division in Springfield, MO. Kicked off in June, ABEC will be adding 40,000 sq ft of additional office space, clean manufacturing and fabrication capacity. Targeted for an October 15 opening, this new space will address the increasing demand from our Life Science customers for integrated, fully tested equipment modules.

"We are proud of the progress we have made at Stainless Technology since its establishment in 2003," said Scott Pickering, President and CEO of ABEC. "Since that time, we have seen our business grow such that we have completed 2 major expansions which we will use to support our growing customer base for systems and BioPharm vessels."

About ABEC

ABEC (www.abec.com) is a privately held systems engineering and equipment company servicing major biopharmaceutical companies for more than 30 years. Recognized as a global leader in the design and supply of bioreactors, ABEC is always expanding its product portfolio in an effort to deliver more cost effective production solutions. ABEC is headquartered in Bethlehem, PA with manufacturing in Bethlehem, Uxbridge, MA and Springfield, MO.