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NFRC Approves New Conductivity Rating for GED's Intercept ULTRA

Twinsburg, OH -- GED Integrated Solutions, Inc. today announced that due to the technologically advanced materials used to manufacture Intercept Stainless Steel ULTRA material, the National Fenestration Rating Council (NFRC) has determined that Intercept ULTRA's new conductivity multiplier be reduced to 13.63 W/mK.

GED's President and CEO, Bill Weaver, stated, "This translates into a 20% reduction from standard Stainless Steel material, resulting in unit U-Values that are equal to or better than those found on other competitive spacer product lines." He further added, "As window and door manufacturers are faced with increasing pressure to meet or exceed Energy Star's more stringent thermal performance criteria, the Intercept family of spacer technologies not only achieves Energy Star, it also provides our customers the ability to produce IGU's in the most productive and cost effective method found in the industry today."

To update spacer libraries without having to recreate detailed geometry, GED has provided accurate geometry and THERM models for Intercept spacers and IG cross-section drawings at <http://www.gedusa.com/366.0.html>.

Inquiries and further information can be obtained by contacting either GED's Director of Sales, Dan Reinhart at 330.487.5006 or Product Engineering Manager, Bill Briese at 330.487.5030.

About GED Integrated Solutions, Inc.

GED Integrated Solutions is a worldwide supplier of fully integrated insulating glass and vinyl window and door fabrication systems, as well as solar manufacturing equipment, and the pioneer of the revolutionary Intercept i-3 Warm Edge spacer frame production system. The company's i-3 platform works with its LeanNet communications software to integrate every facet of a plant's operation, increasing IG quality and production volumes and profits while decreasing operating costs and material wastage. GED's commitment to innovation that addresses its customers' needs is evidenced by the fact that 18 of the top 20 window and door manufacturers utilize GED's equipment and software solutions.

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