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PARTsolutions 3D Part Catalog Technology Enables DME to Offer 4.5 Million Different CAD Files

Leading Mold Base Company Expands Contract with PARTsolutions to More Effectively Serve Customers

Milford, OH – July 20, 2010 – [PARTsolutions LLC](#), a global provider of 3D part catalogs for manufacturers and enterprises, and [DME Company LLC](#), an essential mold technologies resource to the plastics industry worldwide, have extended their long-standing partnership. Already a PARTsolutions customer leveraging [PARTcatalog](#) for more than a decade, DME has benefitted from the management of more than 4.5 million CAD files. An average of 3,500 CAD files are downloaded from DME's CAD library each month, enabling mold designers to easily integrate DME parts into their designs.

"Our approach is to provide all possible information to our customers so they can make informed manufacturing decisions," said Anthony Padalino, Global Market Analyst, DME. "PARTsolutions has been instrumental in helping us achieve that."

Today DME is further investing in PARTsolutions' 3D part catalog technology by embedding a configurator directly into its website, making CAD a more intuitive part of its customers' product selection and design processes. Seamless integration with the company's website, single sign-on (SSO) and corporate identity (CI) will make the process even simpler and faster for DME customers.

Additional enhancements include CAD-native, web-hosted catalogs, enabling delivery in any native CAD format to support the needs of more customers, and in turn, generate more qualified sales leads. Streamlined catalog management will allow for automatic updating of changes across CAD formats. DME will also be able to more effectively meet the needs of its worldwide customers through internationalization capabilities, as well as global support.

"From the very beginning, this effort has been completely customer driven," said Rob Zesch, president of PARTsolutions. "DME's focus on delivering what its customers need--access to product CAD data without drawing it themselves--is a value-added service that makes the company both a leader and an innovator."

DME first implemented PARTcatalog™ from PARTsolutions in 2001, in order to web enable its vast product line, which encompasses more than 66,000 items in 69 different 2D and 3D CAD and graphic formats. Today more than 80 percent of the company's standard products are featured in the online catalog and PARTsolutions' technology enables DME to easily maintain its library to support frequent CAD revisions.

For more information on PARTsolutions visit: <http://www.partsolutions.com> or to view the DME solution in action, go to: http://dme.net/dme/resources/cad_library.html.

About PARTsolutions LLC

PARTsolutions® LLC is a leading provider of PLM solutions for next generation 3D part catalog management and hosting, delivering solutions since 1992. For large manufacturers, the PARTsolutions product suite provides centralized 3D standard part catalogs making it easy for global design teams to find, reuse, and control standard and proprietary 3D parts. For component manufacturers, the PARTsolutions product suite provides web hosting of 3D part catalogs to increase lead generation, and to ensure that components get “designed in” to OEM products. The PARTsolutions CAD-Native advantage provides support of over 85 native and neutral CAD and graphics formats to meet the needs of the multi-CAD supply chain. The PARTsolutions product suite maximizes support of reuse and standardization initiatives to deliver measurable business growth through maximizing standard part reuse to get products to market faster with reduced cost. Information about PARTsolutions can be found at <http://www.partsolutions.com>.

About DME

DME Company is an essential mold technologies resource to customers worldwide. Through aggressive new product development, global product standardization and a powerful combination of in-house manufacturing centers of excellence and strategic global partnerships, DME is helping customers succeed in changing times. The company's standard-setting, comprehensive product line—including hot runner systems; control systems; mold bases and components; mold making and molding supplies; and cold runner systems for elastomers — is backed by expert technical service every step of the way. DME also manufactures and sells standard tooling for the die-casting industry. Visit www.dme.net for more information.