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AEC COMMUNITE-STORE OFFERS ONE-STOP, ONLINE SHOPPING FOR CONSTRUCTION SAFETY EQUIPMENT

Pittsburgh, PA, July 13, 2005 – The <u>AEC CommunitE-store</u> announced today the public launch of its online store for the architectural, engineering and construction community. The store's product offering focuses on construction safety equipment and personal protective gear.

Established in 2004, the store offers customers the convenience of one-stop shopping online and the lowest prices by connecting them directly to manufacturers.

"We harness the purchasing power of national accounts, allowing us to combine fast, convenient online shopping with the most competitive pricing," says Paul J. Wypasek, chief operations officer of the <u>AEC CommunitE-store</u>. "We expect the store to streamline online ordering for the construction industry."

Other store products include printing services, custom branded items and books, with offerings expanding in the near future to include a variety of services and construction-specific online training.

About the <u>AEC CommunitE-store</u>

The store is dedicated to providing quality construction safety equipment and other construction-related products to the architectural, engineering and construction community. Products include eye protection, face protection, fall protection, first aid kits, hand protection, hearing protection, protective footwear,



rainwear, respiratory protection, signage, books, traffic safety products, wearables, lockout/tagout goods, safety instrumentation, branded items and custom printing services. Shop the <u>AEC CommunitE-store</u> at: www.aeccommunitestore.com.

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