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High Performance
Rubber Components
Support Analytical
Instrumentation Sector



Philadelphia, Pa. - Stockwell Rubber

Company, Inc. announces a broad range of on-site production and engineering capabilities to support the design and manufacturing of Analytical Instrumentation and Laboratory Apparatus. Stockwell's in-house capabilities include application of adhesive backing, die cutting, compression and injection molding (LIM), water jet cutting and custom fabrication capabilities. The company is renowned for its design support, prototype, and fast-turn initial production capabilities.

Stockwell Rubber Company recognizes that in the high technology equipment sector, the rubber gasket or cushioning pad is often the last component specified. The housing, closure door, or lid, often come together at the last minute and the effects of accumulated tolerances cause needs for design modifications. The gasket or cushioning pad is often more practical to modify or add to the design, than retooling the

housing or other assembly components. Therefore, the company has dedicated itself to

fulfilling this need for a limited number of industry sectors. Along with Analytical

Instrumentation, Stockwell also focuses these resources on the Medical Diagnostic

Equipment, Industrial and Process Controls, Information Technology,

Telecommunications and Aerospace related industries.

Stockwell Rubber Company successfully transitioned from ISO9002-1994 to

ISO9001-2000 in June 2003. The company's core competence is the fabrication and

molding of silicone rubber components that enhance the performance of the final

product. These components are most often specified to meet requirements such as

environmental and fluid sealing, cushioning over temperature extremes, thermal

management and special ESD (electro-static discharge) and EMI (electro-magnetic

interference) shielding in high technology OEM equipment designs.

The company competes in the global economy by employing Lean Business

practices to reduce set up costs. This provides unit cost reductions in shorter production

runs and reduces lead-time – two critical elements of any manufacturer's value

proposition.

For information on this broad range of capabilities contact Stockwell Rubber

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