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**Curbell Plastics, Inc. Joins Green Initiative with Eco-Friendly Tooling Board
RAKU-TOOL® WB-1450**

Orchard Park, N.Y. (August 19, 2009) – Curbell Plastics, Inc. introduces the world's first eco-friendly tooling board made using predominantly recycled materials.

Environmentally-friendly RAKU-TOOL® WB-1450 (www.curbellplastics.com/prototyping-tooling/rakutool-wb-1450.html) tooling board is manufactured using polyols obtained from tooling board chips. The chips are normally a waste product generated when tooling board is machined.

Rampf Ecosystems has developed an advanced thermal glycolysis process to convert waste chips to polyols – a raw material used in the production of tooling board. Use of recycled materials makes WB-1450 an economical alternative in addition to satisfying growing interest in environmentally-friendly industrial materials.

RAKU-TOOL® WB-1450 exhibits a density of 90.5 pounds per cubic foot, represents an alternative to red foundry boards currently on the market and is recommended for foundry patterns, thermoform molds, jigs and fixtures.

To learn more about RAKU-TOOL® WB-1450, please visit www.curbellplastics.com. To speak with a Curbell representative locally about this new product, dial toll-free 1.888.CURBELL (1.888.287.2355). For technical assistance contact Rick Delaney, Sales and Market Manager, at 484.643.3217 or rdelaney@curbellplastics.com.

Curbell Plastics supplies hundreds of plastic products to serve key industries throughout the United States and Canada from locations nationwide. It has evolved into one of the nation's largest suppliers of plastic sheet, rod, tube, films, adhesives, sealants, tapes, prototyping materials, and fabricated parts. Curbell Plastics, Inc. is a subsidiary of Curbell, Inc., a privately-held business headquartered in Orchard Park, NY. Curbell, Inc. the parent company, established in 1942, employs more than 400 nationwide. Serving its customers for sixty-five years, Curbell is a progressive organization driven by strong values with a proud Dun & Bradstreet credit rating of a 4A1.

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