

**West Point Foundry & Machine Company
Receives Contract to Produce New Weapons Racks for Fort Benning, GA**

July 14, 2009 West Point, Ga., -- West Point Foundry & Machine Company announced today that it has been awarded a government contract through ITT Corporation to modify existing weapons racks and design new rack systems for several types of weapons that are used for training at Fort Benning, GA

“This project will greatly improve the efficiency of the Weapon’s Pool and Repair facility for Fort Benning as they prepare for the arrival of over 12,000 more soldiers due to “BRAC” Base Realignment Commission. In addition, the modifications and newly designed racks will provide for a lockable storage system that will increase security when the weapons are issued from the Weapons Pool back to the units.” said Pate Huguley, President of West Point Foundry & Machine Company.

The contract includes modifications to existing racks for the M16 Machine Gun, M240 Machine Gun and M249 Bravo SAW Machine Gun to meet the growing safety and efficiency needs of our United States Military. The contract also provides for the design and production of new weapons racks to protect and transport the 120 mm Mortar Tube and 80 mm Mortar Tube. The weapons racks are scheduled to be completed in September 2009.

In addition to modifying the storage racks, West Point Foundry and Machine Company has designed and manufactured other products for the United States Army, including a lockable weapons rack for the M2 “fifty-cal” Machine Gun and tripod, an engine and transmission maintenance stand for the M88 Tank Recovery Vehicle and an Armored Vehicle Lifting System for the M88 Tank Recovery Vehicle, M1A1 Main Battle Tank and Bradley Fighting Vehicle.



West Point Foundry and Machine Company, founded in 1868, is an engineering and manufacturing company located in West Point, Georgia. The company specializes in developing practical engineered solutions, designed for process improvements, safety and efficiency. Capabilities include mechanical and electrical engineering, steel fabrication, machining, assembly and testing. For more information, please visit www.westpoint.com. Contact: Pate Huguley, President (706) 643-2483, phuguley@westpoint.com