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## **West Point Foundry and Machine Company Changes Name to West Point Industries**

West Point, Ga.—West Point Foundry and Machine Company founded in 1868, serves over 70 countries internationally as one of the leading textile machinery and industrial manufacturing companies in the world. As a result of globalization in the textile market, West Point has refocused their business by providing engineering and manufacturing services for the United States Department of Defense, industrial manufacturers, and general contractors. Therefore, effective in January 2010, West Point Foundry and Machine Company will change their name to West Point Industries.

“For over 140 years, West Point served the textile industry exceptionally well and is known internationally for superior quality, reliability, innovation, service and integrity. The textile industry is no longer economically viable for West Point,” said President of West Point Industries, Pate Huguley.

“West Point Industries is a name that more accurately reflects the transformation of our business in recent years. While our company name and branding have changed, our clients can be assured that we will continue to deliver the same reliable products, service, and support that we’ve been providing for years,” added Huguley.

**West Point Foundry and Machine Company, founded in 1868, is an engineering and manufacturing business 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, castings, steel fabrication, machining, assembly and testing. For more information, please visit [www.westpoint.com](http://www.westpoint.com).**