



Beacon Roofing Supply, Inc.

Beacon Roofing Supply Becomes Part of the New NASDAQ Global Select Market Listing

PEABODY, Mass.--(BUSINESS WIRE)--June 27, 2006--Beacon Roofing Supply, Inc. (NASDAQ: BECN) ("Beacon" or the "Company") today announced that, beginning July 3, 2006, it will be included in the new NASDAQ Global Select Market. The NASDAQ Global Select Market has the highest initial listing standards of any exchange in the world based on financial and liquidity requirements. The Company is currently listed on the NASDAQ National Market.

Beginning July 3, NASDAQ-listed companies will be classified under three listing tiers -- NASDAQ Global Select Market, NASDAQ Global Market, and NASDAQ Capital Market. NASDAQ also plans to launch indexes based on these new tiers.

"Beacon Roofing Supply is an example of an industry leader that has achieved superior listing standards, which clearly defines the essence of the NASDAQ Global Select Market," said Bruce Aust, Executive Vice President, Corporate Client Group. "NASDAQ is focused on leading a race to the top in terms of listing qualifications. In recognizing these companies, we are highlighting their achievement in meeting the requirements to be included in the market with the highest listing standards in the world," added Mr. Aust.

"We are honored by NASDAQ's recognition of our Company and excited about the potential benefits from the new listing," remarked Robert Buck, Beacon's President and CEO. "It is another accomplishment that our employees can be proud of," added Mr. Buck.

NASDAQ announced the new three tier listing classification in February 2006. All three market tiers will maintain rigorous listing and corporate governance standards. For additional information about the NASDAQ Global Select Market, please go to: www.nasdaq.com/GlobalSelect.

About Beacon Roofing Supply

Beacon Roofing Supply, Inc. is a leading distributor of roofing materials and complementary building products operating 148 branches in 30 states and in Eastern Canada.

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