

May 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2009

Press Release

Re: Fire at Sebright Products, Inc. and Bright Technologies, Specialty Equipment Division of Sebright Products, Wayland, Michigan Manufacturing Complex

On Tuesday, May 19<sup>th</sup>, Our Engineering-Design Department building located in the manufacturing complex at 2631 12<sup>th</sup> Street, Wayland, Michigan caught on fire; in addition to our Engineering-Design offices, it also included some manufacturing space. Sebright's Management Team is pleased that there were no injuries to any of their fellow workers or firefighting crews.

The fire spread rapidly and the building is a total loss. The production portion of the facility manufactured both recycling and compaction equipment. Thankfully we recently completed our new, state of the art painting facility, which moved any paint and chemicals to a different location.

Brent Sebright, Company President, has said there will be no additional lay off of employees, they all reported for work at normal starting time the next morning. We have adequate production space to move the workers from the building that burned into our other production facilities. We will start additional shifts if necessary, but feel that our other three production facilities in the West Michigan area can handle the influx of workers. Projects currently in production will not experience any delays.

The Engineering-Design offices have been moved to temporary quarters in another building within the same complex, and are already up and running. Phones and internet access are restored as well.

Everyone at Sebright is just so thankful that no one was hurt and God was watching over all of us!

Please feel free to contact our corporate offices with any inquiries at 269-793-7183 or 800-253-0532.

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