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**J. MARC TAYLOR TAKES HELM AS SALES DIRECTOR
FOR SHERWIN-WILLIAMS AEROSPACE COATINGS**

Andover, KS – July, 2005 – Officials at The Sherwin-Williams Company are pleased to announce J. Marc Taylor has been named Sales Director for the Aerospace Coatings business unit. The announcement was made by Paul Clifford, Vice President of Sales for Sherwin-Williams Automotive Finishes Corp., the parent company of Sherwin-Williams Aerospace Coatings.

“After a nationwide search, we’re elated to find someone whose values and philosophies are consistent with ours and who has the vision, passion and experience to raise us to even higher standards in customer satisfaction,” said Clifford.

Taylor said with his new appointment, he believes he is now at the pinnacle of the aerospace coatings industry. “Sherwin-Williams has never lost sight of their customers,” Taylor said. “Even though they are at the top of the industry, they are always trying to improve, whether it’s their product offerings, distribution network or customer service. That’s something I’ve always admired about this company. Now, being a part of the best, I’m excited to take the commitment to the customer even further.”

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As Sales Director, Taylor will oversee and direct all sales, marketing and distribution of Sherwin-Williams Aerospace Coating systems. “I like being a part of a Fortune100 company whose ideals align with mine,” Taylor commented. “It’s also very refreshing to be part of a team where the people truly enjoy their work. That says a lot about the company and its future.”

Before coming to Sherwin-Williams, Taylor gained industry experience with another paint manufacturer, primarily marketing products in the military aerospace and general aviation markets. Prior to that, Taylor served a four-year stint with the Air Force as a Systems Engineer. Now residing with his family in Wichita near Sherwin-Williams’ Aerospace Coatings’ facility in Andover, Kansas, Taylor is no stranger to the Midwestern United States. He earned a BA in Chemical Engineering from the University of Oklahoma, and later a Masters degree in Business Administration from Baylor University in Texas.

Sherwin-Williams manufactures aviation paint products, including the brands: JET GLO[®], ACRY GLO[®], JET GLO EXPRESS[™], and JET FLEX[®]. JET GLO[®] and JET GLO EXPRESS[™] are the premium aerospace coating products for overall base application on medium and large size aircraft. ACRY GLO[®] is a high-quality aerospace coating generally used for overall base application on smaller aircraft and feature striping on larger aircraft. JET FLEX[®] is an interior aerospace coating ideal for the finishing and refinishing of plastic, metal, composite and wood surfaces within the cabin and cockpit, available in water- or solvent-based formulations.

Sherwin-Williams Aerospace Coatings is a specialized business unit of the Sherwin-Williams Company, founded in 1866 and incorporated in 1884. It is one of the world’s leading manufacturer/distributors in the sale of coatings and related products to professional, industrial, commercial and retail customers internationally.

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