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## ELVAL HELLENIC ALUMINIUM INDUSTRY S.A.

Impressive participation by ELVAL - ETEM at the Greek Aluminium Exhibition 2010

At the 10th industry exhibition GREEK ALUMINIUM 2010, which took place at the EXPO ATHENS exhibition center, at Anthousa, from October 21 to October 24, ELVAL S.A. and its subsidiary ETEM S.A., participated, with a shared exhibition stand. Once again, the stand of both companies' was impressive and attracted many visitors.

ELVAL, a leading aluminium rolling company world-wide, presented comprehensively its main products, meeting a wide range of requirements, such as :

- a) construction, with products such as painted or plain strips and sheets for false ceilings, door panels, corrugated sheets for roofs and side cladding, tread plates for floors, special sheets for infrastructure projects such as bridges and road sign poles.
- b) transport (automotive industry, special construction such as fuel tanks and bowsers and AIMg alloys for shipbuilding) and
- c) rigid packaging products such as beverage cans and food cans In construction applications, two very interesting, alternative solutions were presented, one being the ETALBOND composite panels, produced and marketed in the home and export markets by ELVAL's subsidiary, ELVAL COLOUR S.A. and the other being ELVAL ENF, which is an aluminium painted sheet, for architectural applications, marketed by CCS CONSULTANT CONSTRUCTION SOLUTIONS S.A. Both ETALBOND and ELVAL ENF presented a multitude of impressive applications on an international level, as well as alternative solutions for suspension and support systems.

At the same time, ELVAL by presenting the activities of the Can Recycling Center, it operates at Maroussi, underlined that sustainable growth and environmental protection are non-negotiable and core corporate values. This was confirmed, by receiving the 1st Clean Technology Prize, for its modern delacquering and melting furnace, in the framework of the Greek Environmental Prizes 2009-2010, organized by the Panhellenic Association of Environmental Protection Companies. ETEM on the other hand, a pioneering Greek aluminium extrusions company and one of the largest in southeastern Europe, presented an extensive range of aluminium systems, fully meeting the most demanding requirements of modern construction. ETEM, utilizing the technical know-how it has developed for over 40 years, as well as the R&D on which it has invested substantial sums, guided also by respect towards the environment, presented high performance thermo-break systems as well as the E-66 AVRA shading system.

ETEM thermo-break systems have attained the highest performance indices as regards thermal and sound insulation and integrity against the elements, as certified by the IFT Rosenheim certification organization.

The system, however, that made an impression and attracted many visitors, professionals as well as individuals, was the new revolutionary series E-70 LESSFRAME BY ETEM. This is a sliding system, uniquely combining top thermal insulation, of class A+, offering lower energy consumption with high anti break-in protection, for enhanced security, noted mainly for its novel design, leading to modern architectural solutions.

E-70 LESSFRAME BY ETEM- This designation derives from the technical design evolution of aluminium systems EXTRA LOW PROFILE TECHNOLOGY BY ETEM, offering a unique aesthetic advantage, attained by the least possible application of aluminium profile, at the external side of the system.