

## Press Release

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## GEL-PAK CELEBRATES 25 YEARS OF PROTECTING THE WORLD'S VALUABLE DEVICES

HAYWARD, CA, NOVEMBER 1, 2005: Gel-Pak, a division of Delphon Industries and leading manufacturer of device shipping and handling carriers used predominantly by the semiconductor, optoelectronics, telecommunication, and medical industries announced it's 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary today.

It's exciting to look back over what Gel-Pak has accomplished during the last 25 years," said Jeanne Beacham, president of Delphon Industries. "It's amazing to see the evolution of both our product line and the industries in which we operate. The high-tech industry has literally exploded since Gel-Pak first came on the market and with this explosion we've seen a vast array of fragile devices that need special consideration when handling. Gel-Pak has spent the last 25 years working directly

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with companies to develop unique solutions to answer these packaging and handling challenges. We've gone from offering one product to offering literally hundreds of products and variations all geared to meet the specific needs of our customers."

Gel-Pak's customers have grown to rely heavily on the innovative solutions the company provides in protecting sensitive devices during processing, inspection, assembly, and transport. Steve Greathouse, product development and quality engineer for Intel Corporation's User Products & Services Division states "…Thanks for being there to support the whole world in providing a means of shipping and handling of many of the world's valuable products…"

## Background:

Founded in 1980, Gel-Pak has developed a line of device carriers and handling materials that offer solutions for applications where damage during handling must be avoided. The company's proprietary elastomer technology serves as the basis of its Gel-Box, Gel-Tray, Film, and patented Vacuum Release products. For further information on Gel-Pak's product line, please refer to their website at www.gelpak.com.

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