

News Release

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**UltrePET ANNOUNCES SUCCESSFUL INSTALLATION AND START-UP OF A NEW
PLASTICS EXTRUDER**

Bedford, Massachusetts, December 19, 2008 – UltrPET, LLC announced completion of a major equipment installation at its Albany, NY facility. This addition consists of a state-of-the-art, \$3 million extrusion line which increases significantly the production capacity for PET resins. This investment will extend the UltrPET value added PET business model, allowing the company to expand its reach into the FDA market and other PET high value applications.

With this new investment, UltrPET will now operate more than 50.0 million pounds of FDA approved extrusion capacity and 70.0 million pounds of reclaiming capacity in its Albany facility. When coupled with its Novapet subsidiary in Atlantic Canada, UltrPET now ranks as one of the largest independent PET reclaimers in North America. Paul Zordan, General Manager of UltrPET, LLC, comments on this major investment by the Company, “Our entire operating and management team is thrilled with this new investment and the opportunities it will present to our business. We are now in a position to significantly extend our value chain in the PET reclaiming business, both in the FDA market as well as our other high end sheet, engineered resin and fiber markets.”

UltrPET, LLC is a major independent PET (polyethylene terephthalate) reclaimer located in Albany, NY. The Company specializes in high-end recycled resins serving the FDA bottle market, sheet applications, engineering resin markets and strapping. UltrPET is a partnership of wTe Corporation (Bedford, MA) and TOMRA of North America (Stratford, CT).