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## **Marsco Signs Exclusive License to Produce Thermique™ Heated Glass for Foodservice Industry**

**CHICAGO, III. (Dec. 1, 2006)** – Marsco Glass Products has signed an exclusive licensing agreement with Engineered Glass Products to provide a revolutionary new heating technology to the foodservice industry. Thermique™ heated glass is more efficient, effective and attractive than traditional heat lamps, heating coils, and other devices. Marsco is currently designing stovetop burners, heated shelves, deli cabinets and other appliances for food storage and display using Thermique™ heated glass technology.

With Thermique™ heated glass, there are no hot spots and cold spots within heating area because the entire surface of the glass is uniformly heated. The glass temperature can reach up to 350° F with precise control. Traditional heating elements often must be hidden from view, which adds to the weight and material cost of the appliance. Heated glass, on the other hand, is an attractive design element that is also smooth and easy to clean.

Marsco is actively seeking manufacturing partners in the foodservice industry in order to develop new uses for Thermique™ heated glass. Since heated glass is more energy efficient than heating coils and other traditional devices, incorporating this technology into foodservice appliances can lower electrical use as well as improve function. Marsco will work with manufacturers to develop customized heated glass solutions for new products or to improve the design of existing product lines.

“We’re proud to introduce this heating breakthrough to the foodservice industry,” said Fred Fowler, President of Marsco. “We will be partnering with a number of diverse manufacturers to design heated glass products and components to meet their specific heating needs.”

Thermique™ heated glass is a proprietary technology owned by Engineered Glass Products. All components of Thermique™ heated glass are UL® approved.

Headquartered in Chicago, Ill., Marsco Glass Products has been a glass industry leader for more than 50 years and is today’s premier manufacturer of heat-reflective barrier glass and other advanced glass technologies. To find out more, contact Marsco at (312) 326-4710 or [info@marsco-mfg.com](mailto:info@marsco-mfg.com).

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