



Sound Seal Announces Acquisition of Industrial Noise Control

*Acoustical and noise control specialist grows
footprint while adding new products and capabilities*

AGAWAM, Mass. – November 10, 2014 – [Sound Seal](#), a leading manufacturer of acoustical and noise control products serving the industrial, architectural, commercial and construction industries, announced today it has acquired Illinois-based noise control expert Industrial Noise Control (INC). The acquisition will enhance Sound Seal's noise control product offering to its distribution partners and expand the company's sales pipeline to additional markets.

"As an expert in acoustics and noise control products, Sound Seal understands what it takes to produce high-quality solutions for a variety of environments, ranging from sensitive interior spaces to rugged, exposed sites," said Joe Lupone, CEO of Sound Seal. "INC's history of customer satisfaction and solutions engineering for a broad range of high performing noise control products and systems, combined with Sound Seal's proven products and manufacturing capabilities will enable both organizations to thrive."

INC will become a division of Sound Seal and continue to offer its noise control system products, including Panl-Wall®, Panl-Sorb® and Sorba-Glas®. Additionally, INC's manufacturing, sales and customer service teams will remain in North Aurora, IL.

"We see Sound Seal as an ideal partner for the continued growth of our highly-sophisticated, engineered noise control systems," said Mark Rubino, president of INC. "It is with great pride and excitement that we enter this newest stage of our company's history. As part of the Sound Seal organization, INC gains new resources to continue delivering industry-leading innovation to our customers and distribution partners."

Sound Seal is an independent company owned by members of its management team and its primary investor, Hamilton Robinson Capital Partners. "The acquisition of INC is a perfect example of how the Sound Seal brand continues to find opportunity for innovation and growth in the architectural acoustics and noise control markets," said Chris Lund, partner at Hamilton Robinson. "We are excited to support Sound Seal in this important strategic acquisition, as well as enhance the impressive capabilities of the Industrial Noise Control organization."

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About Sound Seal

Since 1978, Sound Seal has been a leading manufacturer of acoustical noise control products offering the widest product selection in the soundproofing industry with innovative solutions and outstanding customer service. Sound Seal consists of three product divisions: the Industrial Division that addresses in-plant noise control and environmental noise control; the Architectural Division that handles interiors and finishes, including an award winning line of WoodTrends products; and the Impacta Flooring Division that offers floor underlayments. For more information, please visit www.soundseal.com or call 413-789-1770.

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