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## **(CSL) Carlisle Companies To Build Two New Roofing Products Manufacturing Facilities**

CHARLOTTE, NORTH CAROLINA, August 5, 2004 ... Carlisle Companies Incorporated (NYSE:CSL) announced today plans to construct a new commercial roofing manufacturing facility in Tooele, Utah and a fourth insulation plant in Terrel, Texas. This strategic growth initiative for the Company's construction materials and commercial roofing company, Carlisle SynTec, will enhance Carlisle SynTec's sales and service capabilities to the western United States and Canadian markets and increase its insulation distribution capabilities.

Carlisle's President and Chief Executive Officer, Richmond McKinnish, commented, "We are very excited about the opportunity to grow internally through expansion of our construction materials and commercial roofing business. Construction Materials has been a significant growth platform for Carlisle Companies for many years. The allocation of capital for the construction of these facilities shows again how committed we are to this market."

**Carlisle is a diversified global manufacturing company serving the construction materials, commercial roofing, specialty tire and wheel, power transmission, heavy-duty brake and friction, foodservice, data transmission, process systems and automotive industries.**

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