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Arlington Industries Wins Preliminary Injunction Against Bridgeport Fittings

Bridgeport Fittings Must Stop Making and Selling Duplex Whipper-Snap Connectors

Scranton, PA.

Arlington Industries, Inc. is pleased to announce that the United States District Court for the Middle District of Pennsylvania granted Arlington's motion for a preliminary injunction against Bridgeport Fittings, Inc., requiring Bridgeport to take its Duplex Whipper-Snap Connectors off the market immediately. The Preliminary Injunction specifically prohibits Bridgeport from making, selling or offering for sale the Whipper-Snap Duplex Connectors, catalog numbers 3838ASP and 3838SP, for the life of Arlington's patent on its SNAP-TITE® and SNAP²IT® Connectors.

By granting Arlington's motion, the District Court found that Arlington had demonstrated it will likely prove infringement of its patent by Bridgeport's Duplex Connectors. The District Court also found that the public interest would not be harmed by excluding Bridgeport's Duplex Connectors because Arlington has the capacity and inventory to fill the needs of the electrical market.

The Duplex Connectors were the last of the Whipper-Snap Connectors to be removed from the market by the courts in the past month. On June 23, 2011, the following infringing Bridgeport Whipper-Snap Connectors were also removed from the market: 38ASP, GF38SP, SG38ASP, 8400SP, 850SP, 651SP, 802SP, 841SP, GF50SP, 380SP, SG38SP, 846SP, SG38MCIA, SG38SPL, 840SP, 4502SP, 4501SP, 845SPL, BL16ASP, 851ASP, 845SP, 802MCIA, BL16MCIA, 851SP, 845ASP, 8400MCIA, BL16SP, 84690SP, 651SPX, and 802ASP.

In response to this latest win, Tom Stark, President of Arlington Industries, said: "Arlington is thrilled to have Bridgeport's entire Whipper-Snap product-line off the market and to again be the exclusive supplier of our patented snap-in fittings."

About Arlington Industries, Inc. (www.aifittings.com)

Arlington Industries, Inc. is a leading manufacturer of unique and innovative electrical and communications products. Its products are protected by both domestic and foreign patents, which Arlington vigorously enforces against unfair competition.

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