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Tolar Manufacturing Forms Joint Venture to Pursue Bus Shelter Opportunities in India

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Oct. 28, 2009 (Corona, CA USA) – Tolar Manufacturing Company, Inc (“Tolar”) is pleased to announce that they have entered into a Joint Venture Agreement with Minaean Habitat India Pvt. Ltd. (“MHI”), a wholly owned subsidiary of Minaean International Corp., a Canadian-based developer of alternative building technologies to pursue construction opportunities for stainless steel transit shelters, more commonly known as Bus Queue Shelters (“BQS”), in the capital city of India, New Delhi.

The Joint Venture is a strategic move to meet stringent tender requirements and successfully bid for contracts from the Delhi Transport Corporation and other Indian entities to build and deliver BQS in various spots around New Delhi. Over the past two years, Minaean has been able to build a strong competitive advantage in the Indian BQS market with its quality and cost effective solutions. The Company has constructed over 350 such BQS in the previous fiscal year and is an emerging market leader in the industry. This Joint Venture is yet another step in furthering Minaean's footprint and strengthening its position in the Indian BQS market.

The Joint Venture approach leverages Tolar expertise in design, engineering and quality fabrication with MHI's proactive strategy of branding itself as a leading provider of BQS and other Street Furniture in the Indian market. India's economic growth remains robust despite the global economic slowdown, and the government continues to make heavy investments in infrastructure development, including installations of thousands of BQS and street furniture on its roadways.

About Tolar www.tolarmfg.com

Founded in 1991, Tolar Manufacturing Company, Inc. designs and fabricates best-in-class bus shelters, street furniture and display structures to Transit Agencies, Municipalities and Outdoor Advertising Companies across North America. The company operates a 55,000 sq. ft. company owned modern structure in Corona, California, that serves as its corporate headquarters and manufacturing facility. Its 49 person multi-disciplined team is responsible for designing and fabricating quality street furniture for installation in over 400 communities across North America and for transit districts, government entities and major outdoor advertising companies.

About Minaean www.minaean.com

Minaean Habitat (India) Pvt. Ltd., a wholly owned subsidiary of Minaean International Corporation, is a company well known for its pioneering efforts in the manufacture of LGS components for the construction industry and modular metal buildings in India. The strong, affordable, ecologically sustainable structures present a promising solution to the mass housing shortages in developing countries and disaster-stricken areas, in addition to a range of conventional applications. It offers a wide range of applications and has a manufacturing facility in Mumbai with a full fledged design and engineering team comprising 85 employees.