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Aluma Systems Awarded Scaffolding Contract with Fluor Corporation for Nevada Power Plant

TORONTO, CANADA, and LAS VEGAS, NEVADA - April 7, 2005 Aluma Systems announced today that its Industrial Scaffolding Division was awarded the contract to provide Fluor Constructors International, Inc. with all scaffolding equipment supply and services for the completion of the Chuck Lenzie Generating Station near Las Vegas, Nevada.

The 1200-megawatt, natural gas-fired, combined-cycle power generation facility in Clark County, Nevada is owned and operated by the Nevada Power Company. The facility is located in the Moapa Valley.

The contract value to Aluma Systems was not disclosed.

This contract stems from the Strategic Relationship Agreement [SRA] signed between Aluma and Fluor. Aluma is the SRA holder for all Fluor projects in the Western U.S. and all of Canada. Aluma works hand in hand with Fluor to provide them the lowest overall project cost and highest levels of project service levels possible on these geographical projects.

With the acquisition of this contract, as well as the recent award of the Nevada Power Multi-plant Maintenance Agreement, Aluma has now positioned itself as the primary supplier of scaffolding supply and services to all of the major power plant facilities within the state of Nevada.

"Aluma's current activities at the Chuck Lenzie Generating Station exemplify Aluma's commitment to providing Fluor with the safest and most efficient scaffolding workforce possible on this project with a continual effort to minimize Fluor's overall scaffolding costs. The SRA between Fluor and Aluma reflect Aluma's dedication to the long-term relationship focus with Fluor from which both organizations can best prosper," stated Jeryl Finke, Aluma Systems Branch Manager.

Aluma Systems, based in Toronto, Canada, founded in 1972, is a leading industrial scaffolding and concrete construction services company, with annual revenues of more than \$275MM. Aluma Systems' Concrete Construction division delivers high-efficiency forming and shoring equipment with unrivaled engineering expertise to global projects ranging from high-rise towers, airports and parking garages to dams, stadiums, bridges, transit systems and water treatment plants. The Industrial Scaffolding division serves refineries, chemical processing plants, shipyards, power plants, pulp and paper mills, marine maintenance, offshore oil rigs, mining and industrial construction customers. Aluma Systems, an award winning industry leader in safety, innovation and quality, has 45 offices worldwide and a growing international network of alliances in 50 countries. For further information on Aluma Systems and its services, go to its homepage: www.aluma.com