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Dear Valued Customers:

DuPont has long been a trusted provider of innovative solutions that help protect people and critical processes. We are committed to supplying all of our customers with leading innovations so that they can help ensure superior protection for business-critical systems, equipment, production processes and personnel.

In line with this commitment, we have focused on initiatives designed to better serve our customers. We expanded capacity on our Kevlar® and Nomex® lines and used an integrated business management process to improve the customer experience.

We are now taking the next step in our commitment to provide a portfolio that fully meets our customers' controlled environment apparel and accessory needs. Today, DuPont announced its intent to purchase the Industrial Apparel line of Cardinal Health's Scientific and Production Products business, which manufactures and markets a variety of products used in cleanrooms and other controlled environments. The agreement includes the transfer of existing inventory, intellectual property and the prominent Micro-Clean® brand.

This acquisition allows DuPont to provide a more extensive range of cleanroom consumables and complements the current DuPont portfolio in controlled environments, including garments and accessories, wipes and disinfectants. It also allows us to better focus on and understand the market, so we can continue to bring you an expanded range of products to meet current and emerging needs.

Both DuPont and Cardinal Health are committed to a smooth transition for our distributors and customers. We are currently working together to outline a transition plan that addresses sales and service, products and inventory, and other critical operations in time for the close of the acquisition, which is anticipated this quarter. During this transition and continuing through most of 2008, the products customers use will remain the same.

At DuPont, we are excited about this opportunity to more completely meet your controlled environments needs. We look forward to working with you to help ensure your operations' success. Please feel free to call our customer service line, 1-800-931-3456, or visit us at www.controlledenvironments.dupont.com if you have any questions regarding this transition.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Dale Outhous", written over a horizontal line.

Dale W. Outhous
Global Business Director, DuPont Personal Protection