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BSN MEDICAL TO ADD 25 NEW JOBS IN EXPANSION

CONOVER – BSN Medical, Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of global healthcare leader BSN Medical, has selected its existing facility in Conover for a project with the potential to create 25 jobs over the next two years. The \$2 million expansion will add an additional 50,000 square feet to its facility located on 1011 Keisler Road SE in Conover. The expanded facility will continue to warehouse and internationally distribute products in the segments of traditional wound care and compression therapy and will add manufacturing capabilities for BSN Medical's line of orthopedic soft goods and bracing products.

Parent company BSN Medical, with approximately 3600 staff, is one of the world's leading suppliers in the fracture management, physiotherapy and compression stockings markets. Operating in more than 25 countries, BSN Medical has production facilities in Germany, France, the United Kingdom, Mexico, Pakistan, South Africa and the United States, while continuing to grow through various acquisitions.

A groundbreaking ceremony for the 50,000 square foot addition is scheduled for Monday, June 8 at 2:00PM at the BSN Medical, Inc. facility in Conover.

The addition is expected to be complete by the end of the year, with the expanded operations to be fully operational by Spring 2010.

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