



## **ELIASON ACQUIRES CMI DOORS**

April 30, 2010. Eliason Corporation, a leading manufacturer of double action traffic doors and energy saving products based on Kalamazoo, Michigan announced today that it has acquired substantially all the assets and operations of Winnipeg based CMI Doors. CMI Doors is a leading double action traffic door supplier in Canada specializing in serving the cold storage and supermarket industries.

“In addition to expanding our geographic reach into Canada, CMI’s product offering will enhance Eliason’s strong portfolio of products to provide our customers with unmatched quality, service and availability” stated Jeffrey Stark, President and CEO of Eliason. “We are pleased to welcome the CMI family of customers and suppliers to the Eliason family.”

CMI Doors began business in Winnipeg in 2002 and has steadily grown to be a leading manufacturer of double action doors to the Canadian market. In 2006 CMI expanded its reach in the United States focusing on the cold storage and supermarket segments. “We are extremely pleased to be joining the Eliason family,” stated Bob Vermette, President and CEO of CMI Doors. “Eliason was the inventor of the Easy Swing hinge that revolutionized the double action traffic industry and we look forward to being able to offer a more comprehensive line of the highest quality products to our customer base.”

Jeffrey Stark, stated “Eliason Corporation has been offering high quality custom made products and service to its customers for over 58 years. Adding CMI’s product line will allow us to better serve our existing customer base and extend our world class product offerings to new customers providing them with the high-quality Eliason products and service many have already come to expect.”

Eliason Corporation, founded in 1952, manufactures custom commercial traffic doors and energy saving products in our 110,000 sq. ft. facility in Kalamazoo, Michigan. With a lead time of two weeks on our custom products, Eliason is able to quickly serve our valued customers. Eliason’s Easy Swing double action traffic doors and Energy Saving Econo Covers and Strips are widely regarded as “best in class” products, with world wide distribution.