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MetalTech-USA Fabricates Zinc Panels for Career and Technical Education Center

PEACHTREE CITY, GA., June 23, 2010 – MetalTech-USA, a premier distributor and fabricator of coils, sheet and architectural metal products, supplied the zinc panels for the innovative new Career and Technical Education Center in Frisco, Texas.

The Frisco Independent School District, located just north of Dallas, is one of the fastest growing school districts in Texas and the nation. The mission of the District's new Career and Technical Education Center is to prepare students for college and the 21st-century workforce in a competitive global economy. The Center combines academics with real-world work spaces and enables students to get hands-on experience in their chosen career field.

The design of the 125,000 sq. ft. facility design complements the traditional-style architecture of the town of Frisco while presenting a future-minded appearance. Approximately 12,000 sq. ft. of RHEINZINK® 1.0mm/20 gauge graphite-gray flat lock tiles were utilized as an integral design element. Panels were fabricated by MetalTech-USA in their Peachtree City, GA facilities.

"We take great pride in our work," said Eric Simonsen, V.P of project management at MetalTech-USA. "The RHEINZINK flat lock tiles interact with and complement the parts of the façade that are composed of aluminum composite material and masonry." "We worked closely with RHEINZINK America; the architects, SHW Group, Plano Texas; and the installers, Now Specialties, Inc., Carrollton, Texas, to make this innovative vision a reality." The general contractor on the project was Cadence McShane Construction, Dallas.

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