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WYNNCHURCH CAPITAL ACQUIRES UNITED FIXTURES COMPANY

Chicago, IL, June 16, 2005 –Wynnchurch Capital Partners LP ("Wynnchurch Capital"), a Chicago-based, middle- market private equity firm, announces its acquisition of United Fixtures Company ("United Fixtures, or the "Company"). With state-of-the-art facilities in South Bend, IN, United Fixtures is internationally known as a leading manufacturer of retail and industrial storage systems.

Terms of the transaction weren't disclosed. National City Bank is providing senior debt financing for the Company, and Winston & Strawn provided legal support on the transaction.

United Fixtures has pioneered ways for some of the most progressive firms in the world to increase profits by maximizing storage space; providing easy access to products; and ensuring maximum safety for both employees and consumers. United Fixtures has a 27-year track record of producing heavy-duty steel storage and display racking, and vertical carousels. The Company also provides value-added ancillary services such as product design and engineering; logistics; installation; repairs; and maintenance for its customers. Post acquisition, United Fixtures will continue to focus on and sell into both retail and industrial-based markets. More information can be found on the Company's website at www.ufixtures.com.

Wynnchurch Capital has appointed Dan Wilson as President and Chief Executive Officer to augment existing Company management. Mr. Wilson, former President / CEO of Interlake Material Handling, brings over 25 years of industry knowledge to United Fixtures. "This is an exciting time for all of us at United Fixtures, and we plan to build on the successes and the experience that United Fixtures has gained as a recognized leader serving all of our customers," stated Wilson.

Wynnchurch Capital Managing Director Thomas Guido said, "United Fixtures is positioned for continued growth in its core areas, and we are delighted to have someone of Dan's caliber and experience join us."

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Wynnchurch Capital is a privately-owned investment management firm managing a number of private-equity funds with capital under management in excess of $200 million. Wynnchurch specializes in management buyouts, recapitalizations, restructurings, acquisitions and growth capital investments. Wynnchurch partners with middle-market companies in the United States and Canada with outstanding management teams, and the potential for substantial growth and profit improvement. The firm is primarily interested in working with companies where Wynnchurch and management can identify substantial opportunities for revenue growth and operational improvements. For more information, go to www.wynnchurch.com.