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OLDCASTLE MATERIALS INC. WINS NATIONAL AWARD FOR COMPANY BROCHURE

Lanham, MD – The National Asphalt Pavement Association (NAPA) announced today that Oldcastle Materials Inc., a CRH plc company, of Atlanta, Ga., is a winner in its 2009 Brochure Award competition. The company received its award on January 20, 2010, at a special awards breakfast during the Association's 55th Annual Meeting in Maui, Hawaii.

The award recognizes outstanding company brochures published to promote the asphalt industry.

Oldcastle Materials' 10-page brochure focuses on warm-mix asphalt. It explains the benefits of warm-mix and describes several successful applications of the technology. It informs readers about the different types of warm-mix asphalt methods. Oldcastle Materials completes the brochure by outlining its own commitment to "green" technology.

The National Asphalt Pavement Association is the only trade association that exclusively represents the interests of the asphalt pavement material producer/contractor on the national level with Congress, government agencies, and other national trade and business organizations. NAPA supports an active research program designed to improve the quality of asphalt pavements and paving techniques used in the construction of roads, streets, highways, parking lots, airports, and environmental and recreational facilities. The association provides technical, educational, and marketing materials and information to its members; supplies product information to users and specifiers of paving materials; and conducts training courses. The association, which counts more than 1,100 companies as its members, was founded in 1955.

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