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Gelest Names Fluorochem Exclusive Distributor In the United Kingdom, Ireland

MORRISVILLE, Pa. (February 17, 2010) – Gelest, Inc. (Morrisville, Pennsylvania USA) is pleased to announce the appointment of Fluorochem Ltd. (Derbyshire, United Kingdom) as its exclusive distributor in the United Kingdom and Ireland of the company's complete line of silane, metal-organic and silicone catalogue products.

Gelest, Inc. is recognized worldwide as an innovator, manufacturer and supplier of commercial and research quantities of organosilicon compounds, metal-organic and specialty germanium compounds. Gelest serves advanced technology markets through a materials science-driven approach.

Fluorochem Ltd., founded in 1967, has grown over the years to become one of the UK's foremost chemical catalogue companies serving the high technology sectors. Its strength lies in its diversity of product lines. The company has well established warehousing, logistics and a technically trained staff with the ability to service the customer requirements.

Opportunities abound in the UK and Ireland for silane, metal-organic and silicone products in a variety of advanced technology industries, including microelectronics, pharmaceuticals, medical devices, diagnostics, optics and optoelectronics, and specialty adhesives, sealants and coatings. This has created a demand for sales support and locally warehoused products in the region. Gelest Inc. and Fluorochem Ltd. are well positioned to respond.

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