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Norplex-Micarta Appoints Manufacturing Engineer

POSTVILLE, IA – Norplex-Micarta, the leading manufacturer of high performance thermoset composites, is pleased to announce the appointment of Timothy Delaney to Manufacturing Engineer at the company's Postville, IA headquarters. Mr. Delaney's responsibilities will include installation and safety review of new equipment, process improvements, and specification preparation and equipment testing. He will also be responsible for existing product enhancements as well as new product development.



Mr. Delaney has spent the past three years as a Product Development Engineer for Norplex in the Postville, IA plant. He oversaw all aspects of the manufacturing process associated with new product development, in addition to working with manufacturing personnel and relevant equipment to ensure quality control. Prior to his employment with Norplex, Mr. Delaney was a Project Engineer at Advanced Component Technologies. His responsibilities included managing start-up activities and development of new products, providing customer support, and implementing new handling systems. Mr. Delaney holds a Bachelor of Science in both Biomedical Science and Mechanical Engineering from Texas A&M University.

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About Norplex-Micarta

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