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## Align Aerospace Receives Silver Boeing Performance Excellence Award

CHATSWORTH, Calif. – July 6, 2012 – Align Aerospace LLC, a global provider of aerospace fasteners, assembly components and supply chain solutions, is pleased to announce that it has received a Boeing Performance Excellence Award (BPEA). The Boeing Company issues the award annually to recognize suppliers who have achieved superior performance. This year, Boeing recognized a total of 529 suppliers who achieved either a Gold or Silver level BPEA. Based on Boeing's metrics for quality and on time delivery, Align Aerospace achieved Silver level status for 2011.

"We have based our business on superior performance and execution and we are honored to once again receive this very important award from Boeing," said Rick Organ, CEO of Align Aerospace. "Boeing is a worldwide leader in the aerospace industry, and we have enjoyed a long and fruitful relationship with them."

Align provides parts to support Boeing commercial and military satellite programs, Boeing Defense C17 and UAV's, and Boeing Commercial 737, 767, 777 and 787 platforms, both direct to Boeing and through subcontractors.

For more information on the Boeing Performance Excellence Award, visit <a href="http://www.boeing.com/companyoffices/doingbiz/supplier\_portal/bpea.html">http://www.boeing.com/companyoffices/doingbiz/supplier\_portal/bpea.html</a>.

## About Align:

Align Aerospace is a leading supplier of hardware and related components to a broad range of aerospace and defense OEMs and their subcontractors throughout the world. Experts in bid-to-buy, JIT, VMI, lean manufacturing and supply chain management, Align has more than 90,000 unique parts in stock from over 2,000 suppliers ready to ship from its warehouses throughout the U.S. and Europe. Between 1998 and 2011, the Company operated as Pentacon, Eurofast SAS, and Anixter Aerospace Hardware. Align began independent operations in August 2011 as a result of the divestiture of the business by Anixter International to Greenbrier Equity Group.

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