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MUELLER'S RESPONSE TO MARKET CONDITIONS

As a result of the global economic crisis, Paul Mueller Company, like many companies, has experienced a downturn in business. The Company has responded by "right sizing" the operations to reflect today's market conditions, successfully maintaining a positive cash position, and retaining its core competencies in anticipation of the eventual recovery. The strong financial condition of the Company has allowed it to successfully move forward during a time of significant business challenges for many of our customers. We, at Paul Mueller Company, remain committed to the markets we serve and our many loyal customers.

Paul Mueller Company manufactures stainless steel equipment and performs on-site construction and repair/maintenance in over 100 countries worldwide on dairy farms and in a wide variety of industrial applications, including food, dairy, beverage processing; pharmaceutical, biotechnological, and chemical processing; water distillation; heat transfer; HVAC; heat recovery; process cooling; and thermal energy storage.

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