

# **D.R. HORTON, INC., AMERICA'S BUILDER, ANNOUNCES SCHNEIDER ELECTRIC AS ITS 2005 MANUFACTURER OF THE YEAR**

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FORT WORTH, Texas, March 27 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ -- D.R. Horton, Inc. (NYSE: DHI), America's Builder, the largest homebuilder in the United States, Monday (March 27, 2006), announced that its "2005 Manufacturer of the Year" award was presented to Schneider Electric, best known for its Square D(R) brand of electrical distribution products. Don Tomnitz, President and Chief Executive Officer for D.R. Horton, Inc., said, "The Company is very pleased to honor Schneider Electric as its '2005 Manufacturer of the Year.' Schneider Electric has consistently worked to increase its share of D.R. Horton's business since 1999 by providing quality products and delivering excellent service. We are very pleased with the relationship we have built together."

Rob Laub, Square D(R) Director of National Accounts commented, "The award is an excellent indicator of our success at being customer-focused. It demonstrates that what Schneider Electric does as a company to enhance the customer experience pays off. We are proud to be partnering with a company like D.R. Horton and honored to be selected as its top manufacturer."

D.R. Horton, Inc., America's Builder, is the largest homebuilder in the United States, delivering more than 51,000 homes in its fiscal year ended September 30, 2005. Founded in 1978 in Fort Worth, Texas, D.R. Horton has expanded its presence to include 77 markets in 26 states in the Mid-Atlantic, Midwest, Southeast, Southwest and Western regions of the United States. The Company is engaged in the construction and sale of high quality homes with sales prices ranging from \$90,000 to over \$900,000. D.R. Horton also provides mortgage financing and title services for homebuyers through its mortgage and title subsidiaries.

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