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### **DME Solid Bronze Bushings to Debut at Plastimagen**

*Industry's broadest line of Solid Bronze Bushings ensure smooth, non-galling operation*

**Madison Heights, Michigan, USA** – DME Company is pleased to introduce to the Latin American market at Plastimagen 2010 its Solid Bronze Bushings, the newest addition to its extensive line of mold components. The bushings, available in shoulder, straight and guided ejection, possess internal oil grooves for natural lubricity and are constructed of high-strength bronze for smooth, non-galling mold operation. To learn more, attendees can visit the Proveedora Industrial Vargas S.A. de C.V./DME booth #4107, March 23-26 in Mexico City.

“Our bushing line offers customers the opportunity to overcome today’s common mold challenges of wear and the high expense of damage to the mold,” said Chuck Azzopardi, Global Business Manager, Mold Bases and Components, DME Company. “We are pleased to offer customers another essential solution for easing the molding process, and are committed to continuously enhancing our product lines to ensure their success.”

For use in applications where increased lubricity is desired, benefits of the Solid Bronze Bushings include:

- ∞ Ability to hold ejector assembly in alignment
- ∞ Support for the weight of the ejector assembly throughout entire cycle
- ∞ Reduction of wear on ejection components
- ∞ Prevention of cocking of ejector plates
- ∞ Prevention of graphite migration into finished parts

In addition, incorporating these bushings as part of a Guided Ejection System is an inexpensive way to protect against wear and costly damage to the mold itself.

This broad range of bushings is competitively priced and offered in many dimensions to accommodate most mold sizes. The line is particularly desirable for molders and moldmakers processing medical, food and electronics products due to the elimination of graphite migration into finished parts that other bushings may cause.

*DME Company is an essential mold technologies resource to customers worldwide. Through aggressive new product development, global product standardization and a powerful combination of in-house manufacturing centers of excellence and strategic global partnerships, DME is helping customers succeed in changing times. The company’s standard-setting, comprehensive product line — including hot runner systems; control systems; mold bases and components; mold making and molding supplies; and cold runner systems for elastomers — is backed by expert technical service every step of the way. DME also manufactures and sells standard tooling for the die-casting industry. Visit [www.dme.net](http://www.dme.net) for more information.*

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