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QUIKRETE® STEPS UP TO THE PLATE AT TURNER FIELD

The QUIKRETE® Companies to Demonstrate Products Before Braves/Red Sox Game on June 17

ATLANTA (**June 11, 2006**) – The QUIKRETE® Companies will showcase its versatile line of interior and exterior home products for baseball fans outside the main entrance of Turner Field on Saturday, June 17; before the Atlanta Braves take on the Boston Red Sox at 1:20 p.m.

QUIKRETE® professionals will demonstrate QUIKRETE® Concrete Resurfacer,
QUIKRETE® Fast-Setting Concrete Mix, QUIKRETE® Walk Makers® and QUIKRETE® Epoxy
Garage Floor Coating Kit.

"Baseball season coincides with home improvement season, so we are pleased to have the chance to introduce Braves fans to the latest QUIKRETE® products," said Dennis Winchester, QUIKRETE® executive vice president. "The QUIKRETE® Companies are proud supporters of Major League Baseball and QUIKRETE® concrete and mortar has been used to build and refurbish stadiums all across the country."

The hands-on demonstrations will showcase the instant results and high quality associated with the following:

QUIKRETE[®] Concrete Resurfacer

Ideal for use on sidewalks, pool decks, concrete floors, driveways, patios, parking decks, floors and curbs, this special blend of portland cement, sand, polymer modifiers and other additives is designed to provide a shrinkage compensated repair material for making thin repairs to sound concrete in need of surface renewal. QUIKRETE® Concrete Resurfacer is available in 40 and 80-pound bags as well as 20-pound pails.



QUIKRETE® Fast-Setting Concrete Mix

A special blend of fast-setting cements, sand and gravel, QUIKRETE® Fast-Setting Concrete Mix is designed to set hard in approximately 20 to 40 minutes. QUIKRETE® Fast-Setting Concrete requires no pre-mixing and can be easily poured and soaked with water, allowing for rapid setting and drying. QUIKRETE® Fast-Setting Concrete Mix is ideal for pouring slabs 2-inch or thicker, and for other building applications, such as steps, sidewalks and air conditioner pads, where a fast-setting concrete is desirable.

QUIKRETE® Walk Makers®

QUIKRETE® Walk Makers® are reusable plastic molds available in four types of brick and stone patterns. The molds are perfect for building concrete walkways through gardens or leading to doorways and borders around flower beds. Colors can also be added to the concrete during the mixing process to achieve an authentic look of red brick or stone.

QUIKRETE® Epoxy Garage Floor Coating Kit

The flagship product of the Professional Concrete Coatings line, the QUIKRETE[®] Epoxy Garage Floor Coating Kit, an all-in-one, easy-to-use kit. Catalyzed by revolutionary Bond-LokTM technology, QUIKRETE[®] coatings have extended life, unsurpassed durability and bonding strength that is actually twice as strong as concrete.

The QUIKRETE® Companies

The QUIKRETE® Companies are the largest manufacturers of packaged concrete in the United States and an innovative leader in the commercial building and home improvement industries. With more than 80 manufacturing facilities in the United States, Canada, Puerto Rico and South America, The QUIKRETE® Companies have unsurpassed product distribution and depth. The QUIKRETE® Technical Center ensures that professionals and consumers alike are provided with the most innovative and highest quality products available on the market. For additional information on QUIKRETE® or its products, please visit www.quikrete.com or call (800) 282-5828.

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