

**New Long-Span Canopy Roof System from Duo-Gard
Sports Low Profile and Significant Savings**

Canton MI – May 6, 2011 – Stadium designers can achieve unprecedented savings with a new long-span canopy roof system from Duo-Gard Industries Inc. The system significantly reduces the reliance on a costly structural steel grid as it integrates a clean contemporary look in a low profile unsurpassed for its exceptional structural capacity. Translucent glazing adds the benefit of diffused natural light.

Duo-Gard's Series 3000 BPC-LS features aluminum framing with a specially engineered base plate, pressure plate and curved cap that conceals fasteners in the low-profile system.

Under typical conditions, the system will span 20 feet with no additional support and can be cantilevered up to 6 feet. Translucent glazing of shatterproof, inch-thick multiwall polycarbonate allows fans to enjoy diffused natural light with protection against the sun's rays as well as rain, wind and hail.

"The savings architects can achieve with our new canopy roof system, along with the custom design flexibility, are two elements previously unavailable in the market," said David Miller, president of Duo-Gard. "Our engineering advances with this long-span system benefit not only stadium designers, but also those working with large, high-performance skylights and curtainwalls in daylighting applications."

Each system is custom-designed and engineered around the project's specifications. The materials used are recyclable. The translucent multiwall polycarbonate glazing is available in a variety of colors and features co-extruded UV protection against color loss or change. Custom colors are also available in the framing.

Duo-Gard's Series 3000 BPC-LS system is currently being installed at the Kansas City Wizards Soccer Stadium in Kansas City KS.

About Duo-Gard Industries Inc.:

Duo-Gard Industries Inc. is an international innovator in high-performance translucent daylighting systems and architectural illumination, as well as custom canopies, shelters and outdoor structures. For more than 27 years, Duo-Gard has advanced translucent technology with design, engineering, fabrication and installation of custom architectural products that enhance sustainability consistent with LEED compliance. Duo-Gard was established in 1984 and is based in Canton MI. For additional information, please visit www.duo-gard.com.

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