



## Press Release

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### **CURRIES Trio-E Door Certified to New Standard by UL Environment**

Mason City, IA – September 29, 2011 – CURRIES Hollow Metal Doors and Frames, an ASSA ABLOY Group brand and an industry leader, is excited to announce the Trio-E door has been certified to the new UL Environment UL ISR 102 standard. The new standard helps gauge the environmental and human health impacts of various products such as swing, hang, or glide door slabs, Trio-E is the first door to be certified to these strict sustainability requirements, attaining the silver level.

UL ISR 102 provides detailed requirements with which to evaluate the environmental impacts related to producing a variety of door types. The life cycle impact of doors is measured throughout the materials management, energy use, water use, manufacturing and operations, health and environment, product performance, product stewardship and innovative practices of production. These new guidelines will help architects, designers and LEED-APs select environmentally preferable door slabs.

The Trio-E door is steel stiffened for strength, but has achieved an operable U Factor of 0.29 which is 50% better than other steel stiffened doors currently available on the market today. Building owners spend millions of dollars a year on energy bills and the Trio-E represents a chance for them to realize significant savings on a new or retrofit project. The Trio-E door is manufactured in the USA from over 57% recycled steel and can be supplied to meet urgent jobsite demands.

"We are pleased to have worked closely with UL Environment and to be the first manufacturer of door opening solutions to qualify for UL ISR 102 and attain silver level", says Dan Glover, product manager for the ASSA ABLOY Door Group. "Achieving the UL Environment silver level label is a significant milestone in our pursuit of energy efficient and sustainable solutions. Seeing, hearing and understanding customer needs to support and promote development of energy efficient innovative products is a core strategy in our road map for growth at ASSA ABLOY."

For more information about Trio-E, log on to [www.curries.com](http://www.curries.com).

#### **About CURRIES**

Founded in 1958, CURRIES is an industry leader in the manufacture of hollow metal doors and frames. The company supplies a full line of custom and standard products for new and retrofit construction projects in the commercial, educational and healthcare markets. For more information, visit [www.curries.com](http://www.curries.com).

#### **About ASSA ABLOY**

ASSA ABLOY is the global leader in door opening solutions, dedicated to satisfying end-user demands for security, safety and convenience.

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