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## PGT Industries Appoints Dan Plotnick as New Director of Southeast FL & International Sales

N. VENICE, Fla., June 16, 2016 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- PGT, Inc. (NASDAQ:PGTI), the nation's leading manufacturer and supplier of residential impact-resistant windows and doors, announced today that it has appointed Dan Plotnick of PGT Custom Windows & Doors as of May 23, 2016. Mr. Plotnick reports directly to Bob Keller, Vice President and General Manager, and is responsible for sales in Southeast Florida and International.

A photo accompanying this announcement is available at <http://www.globenewswire.com/NewsRoom/AttachmentNg/86c1263e-9a3f-45c6-8e3b-f66687e0e3ac>

"Dan brings a wealth of knowledge and industry experience to PGT," said Bob Keller, Vice President and General Manager. "I am confident in Dan's passion for developing and leading high-performance teams will contribute to the continued growth of our company. We welcome him to the PGT family."

Mr. Plotnick has over 20 years of experience growing sales divisions, delivering sales results and implementing corporate strategy with experience in the US, Asia Pacific and India. Prior to joining PGT, he served as Director of Sales and Marketing for Guardian Industries. He also held sales leadership roles with Pilkington Group Limited and Stanley Tool & Hardware Corporation.

"I am excited to become part of the PGT team," said Dan Plotnick, newly appointed Director of Southeast Florida and International Sales. "I look forward to developing relationships with our customers, employees and other members of the community."

Mr. Plotnick earned a B.A. in History and Political Science from Occidental College and a Master's of Business Administration from Smith School of Business, University of Maryland. He has also completed the post-graduate program from Tuck School of Business, Dartmouth College for Executive Education and Management Training Program for Marketing and Leadership.

### ABOUT PGT:

PGT, Inc. (NASDAQ:PGTI), headquartered in North Venice, Florida, through its wholly-owned subsidiaries, creates products which focus on protecting and enhancing the beauty and functionality of homes and businesses. The Company's trusted brands include PGT Windows & Doors, CGI Windows & Doors and WinDoor. PGT, Inc. holds the leadership position in its primary market and is part of the S&P SmallCap 400 Index. For additional information, visit <http://ir.pgtindustries.com>.

### FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS:

In this press release, statements that are not reported financial results or other historical information are "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Forward-looking statements give current expectations or forecasts of future events and are not guarantees of future performance. They are based on management's expectations that involve a number of business risks and uncertainties, any of which could cause actual results to differ materially from those expressed in or implied by the forward-looking statements. They use words such as "will," "anticipate," "estimate," "expect," "project," "intend," "plan," "believe," and other words and terms of similar meaning in connection with any discussion of future operating or financial condition, performance and/or sales. Factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those implied by these forward-looking statements include, but are not limited to: our ability to achieve the strategic and other objectives relating to the acquisition of Spartech Corporation, including any expected synergies; our ability to successfully integrate Spartech and achieve the expected results of the acquisition, including, without limitation, the acquisition being accretive; disruptions, uncertainty or volatility in the credit markets that could adversely impact the availability of credit already arranged and the availability and cost of credit in the future; the financial condition of our customers, including the ability of customers (especially those that may be highly leveraged and those with inadequate liquidity) to maintain their credit availability; the speed and extent of an economic recovery, including



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the recovery of the housing market; our ability to achieve new business gains; the effect on foreign operations of currency fluctuations, tariffs and other political, economic and regulatory risks; changes in polymer consumption growth rates where we conduct business; changes in global industry capacity or in the rate at which anticipated changes in industry capacity come online; fluctuations in raw material prices, quality and supply and in energy prices and supply; production outages or material costs associated with scheduled or unscheduled maintenance programs; unanticipated developments that could occur with respect to contingencies such as litigation and environmental matters; an inability to achieve or delays in achieving or achievement of less than the anticipated financial benefit from initiatives related to working capital reductions, cost reductions and employee productivity goals; an inability to raise or sustain prices for products or services; an inability to maintain appropriate relations with unions and employees; the inability to achieve expected results from our acquisition activities; our ability to continue to pay cash dividends; the amount and timing of repurchases of our common shares, if any; and other factors affecting our business beyond our control, including, without limitation, changes in the general economy, changes in interest rates and changes in the rate of inflation. The above list of factors is not exhaustive.

We undertake no obligation to publicly update forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise. You are advised to consult any further disclosures we make on related subjects in our reports on Form 10-Q, 8-K and 10-K that we provide to the Securities and Exchange Commission.

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