

Curtiss-Wright Ranks 76th in BusinessWeek's Top 100 Hot Growth Companies

LYNDHURST, N.J., Jun 11, 2002 /PRNewswire-FirstCall via COMTEX/ -- Curtiss-Wright Corporation (NYSE: CW; CW.B) has been named by BusinessWeek as one of its top 100 growth companies. Curtiss-Wright ranked number 76 on the list, which was published in the magazine's June 10, 2002 edition. BusinessWeek selected Curtiss-Wright from more than 10,000 public companies based on sales growth, earnings growth, and return on capital for the last three years. Banks, insurance companies, real estate firms and utilities were excluded from the pool of candidates.

"We are very pleased to have achieved this recognition," stated Martin Benante, Curtiss-Wright's Chairman and CEO. "Our strategic diversification has contributed significantly to our consistent track record of strong financial performance. We are particularly proud of our performance, given the current weak economic climate, and believe this solid growth record will continue."

Curtiss-Wright Corporation is a diversified company headquartered in Lyndhurst, New Jersey. The Company designs, manufactures and overhauls products for motion control and flow control applications and additionally is a provider of metal treatment services. The firm employs approximately 3,000 people. More information on Curtiss-Wright can be found on the Internet at www.curtisswright.com .

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