

## **Bulk-Hauling of CNG**

*Lincoln Composites, Inc. which is a 100% Hexagon Composites subsidiary, has received a second order for an additional US \$1,200,000 for Compressed Natural Gas (CNG) bulk hauling tanks.*

Lincoln Composites has received a second purchase order for Type IV TUFFSHELL® tanks used in bulk gas hauling applications in the amount of US \$1,200,000. This new order, combined with the previously announced purchase order, represents a combined total \$2,200,000 sales bulk hauling tanks in Q2 and Q3 of 2007.

Lincoln Composites President Dale Tiller said “We are very excited about the opportunity that this second order has afforded Lincoln Composites. This new order is evidence of Lincoln Composites’ commitment of finding solutions for today’s challenges of energy transportation and distribution. We are confident that Lincoln Composites has the right product, at the right time, and at an economical advantage to the alternatives.”

TUFFSHELL® fuel cylinders offer an optimum solution for CNG bulk gas hauling due to their lightweight, durability, and size advantage over other tank types. Lincoln Composites’ cylinders allow bulk haulers to carry more payload for less system weight than conventional all metal solutions. As a result, Lincoln Composites cylinders are an ideal solution for “virtual pipelines” that service stranded users or isolated sources of natural gas.

Lincoln Composites’ cylinder construction includes an aluminum boss interlocking with a high-density polyethylene thermoplastic liner and is wound using a carbon/glass structural layer and TUFFSHELL® overwrap. The TUFFSHELL® layer includes a layer of abrasion resistant fiberglass and an energy absorbing material providing impact resistance.

Lincoln Composites, a part of the “High pressure tanks” business unit within Hexagon, has an in depth understanding of pressurized gas storage, both for compressed natural gas and Hydrogen applications.

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