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Environmental Operations, Inc. Purchases Shively Geotechnical

St. Louis, Mo. –Environmental Operations Inc. (EOI) has acquired Shively Geotechnical Inc., a geotechnical engineering firm with offices in Fairview Heights and Peoria, Ill. The purchase was completed on Jan. 1, 2009. The new partnership is expected to generate between \$4-5 million in annual revenue and to increase and enhance EOI's Illinois presence.

John Shively, president and founder, has taken the title of Vice President of Geotechnical Services at EOI.

With the new acquisition come 16-plus employees and a variety of new services. Shively Geotechnical provides geotechnical engineering, construction observation, materials testing and laboratory services aimed toward architects, engineers, contractors, business owners, industry and government.

Shively is currently providing engineering and material testing for the SunCoke Energy development in Granite City, Ill. Shively has provided geotechnical engineering, construction observation, and materials testing for the expansion of the University of Missouri - St. Louis campus and for the extension of MetroLink light rail transportation system into St. Clair County, Illinois.

“Shively’s services, combined with ours, equal unmatched capabilities for providing environmental solutions,” says Stacy Hastie, EOI’s Chairman and CEO. “We hope to sustain ongoing growth in Illinois.”

Environmental Operations, Inc., the largest environmental services firm in the St. Louis region, offers a full range of environmental services. Incorporated in 1986, the company identifies and resolves environmental issues and facilitates deals with integrated environmental expertise, Brownfield incentives and risk assumption tools.

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