



Beazer Homes Listed on InformationWeek 500; Implementation of Web Technology "Beazer Design Studio" Enhances Customer Experience with Online Selection of New Home Options through MyBeazerHome.com

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MANHASSET, N.Y. & ATLANTA--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Aug. 31, 2006--Beazer Homes USA, Inc. (NYSE: BZH) today announced that it has been included in the 2006 InformationWeek 500. For the past 18 years, InformationWeek has identified and honored the nation's most innovative users of information technology with its annual listing. The list is unique among corporate rankings because it spotlights the power of innovation in information technology.

"The InformationWeek 500 honors today's leading companies who set the benchmark for business technology strategies and projects," said InformationWeek publishing director, Fritz Nelson. "The companies on our list are some of the most innovative users of technology."

InformationWeek selected Beazer Homes for inclusion on the prestigious list in recognition of its design and implementation of an online Beazer Design Studio. Beazer Homes, in conjunction with a consortium of homebuilding and building products manufacturing companies, originated the concept of the online design studio. This technology solution enables Beazer home buyers to view and research online the multitude of brands and product options they can choose to customize their new home purchase. The new technology enhances the company's existing and innovative customer web portal, "MyBeazerHome.com," through which new home buyers can track and follow from their own personal computers everything involved in their home buying experience, including key milestones in the construction process, warranty information, and now, online Beazer Design Studio selections.

"Offering Beazer Design Studio selections to our customers online captures the essence of our strategy of implementing technology solutions to improve the customer experience," said Cindy B. Tierney, chief information officer of Beazer Homes. "Prior to physically visiting the design studio location, our home buyers have the ability to conveniently research all the possibilities for customizing their new home. In turn, Beazer Homes benefits from more effective and efficient communication with our customers, improved interface with our manufacturing partners, enhanced opportunities to increase Design Studio revenues, and ultimately, greater equity of our brand, which is built around the customer."

Additional details on the InformationWeek 500 can be found at www.informationweek.com/iw500/.

About Beazer Homes USA, Inc.

Beazer Homes USA, Inc., headquartered in Atlanta, is one of the country's ten largest single-family homebuilders with operations in Arizona, California, Colorado, Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Indiana, Kentucky, Maryland, Mississippi, Nevada, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, North Carolina, Ohio, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia and West Virginia and also provides mortgage origination and title services to its homebuyers. Beazer Homes, a Fortune 500 company, is listed on the New York Stock Exchange under the ticker symbol "BZH."

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