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DAP EXECUTIVE JOINS ADHESIVE AND SEALANT COUNCIL BOARD

Bethesda, MD – November 10, 2011 – The Adhesive and Sealant Council (ASC) announces that John J. McLaughlin, President and CEO of DAP, Inc, will join the ASC Board of Directors effective November 9, 2011.

Mr. McLaughlin is the President and CEO of the DAP Group, a division of RPM International (NYSE: RPM). He has held this position since 1994. DAP is the leading marketer and manufacturer of caulk, sealants, patch, repair and adhesive products for the professional and do-it-yourself markets.

“DAP’s slogan is, ‘You’ll find us in all the right places,’ and I’m pleased that John will be in the right place on ASC’s board of directors,” notes Matthew E. Croson, President of ASC. “He joins the Council’s leadership at a time when new programming ideas and value propositions are being developed, and we look forward to his ideas and energy to help drive the Council to new heights of success.”

DAP is headquartered in Baltimore, MD. In addition to his work at DAP and RPM International, McLaughlin is involved in the Baltimore community and serves on several boards including the Associated Catholic Charities, Collegebound Foundation, and John Hopkins University Carey School of Business, Corporate Advisory Board.

Mr. McLaughlin is also Member of the Maryland Economic Development Commission, having been appointed by Governor O’Malley in 2008 and re-appointed in 2011.

“DAP has been a strong supporter of ASC over the years, and I look forward to working with other member company leaders to ensure a strong future for the adhesives and sealants industry,” says John J. McLaughlin, President and CEO of DAP, Inc. “To truly lead an industry, you have to actively engage all parts of the supply chain to address issues of importance that impact the broader sector. You can’t sit on the sidelines, no matter how large or small your company is. ASC has a history of delivering value based on this basic association concept of participation and I look forward to continuing that legacy as an active board member of the Council.”