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### **Skanska Attends Groundbreaking at Robertet Flavors**

**PARSIPPANY, N.J.**, December 17, 2007 – Skanska USA Building Inc.

announced today that it has broken ground at Robertet Flavors Inc.'s 60,000-square-foot liquid compounding addition in Piscataway, New Jersey.

The new facility will house a liquids compounding area, an expansion of its warehousing capacity, an office mezzanine and a variety of support spaces. The facility will almost double Robertet's capacity to produce both small and large batch quantities of compounds and enable the company to meet the needs of its expanding flavors business.

The building will be constructed utilizing a structural steel framework with precast architectural panels at the perimeter walls, an independent electrical service to the new addition, a new sanitary sewer, as well as water and process waste disposal systems. It also will contain a bulk materials tank farm for raw materials as well as a finished goods storage tank.

The building is scheduled to be operational by the end of 2008.

Skanska USA Building Inc. is a leading national and local provider of construction, pre-construction consulting, general contracting and design-build services to a broad range of U.S. industries including life sciences, healthcare, education, high-tech, aviation, transportation and sports and entertainment. Skanska USA Building also provides pharmaceutical validation services to clients. The

company, part of the Skanska AB global group of companies, is headquartered in Parsippany, New Jersey, and has approximately 3,800 employees.

Skanska is one of the world's leading construction groups with expertise in construction, development of commercial and residential projects and public-private partnerships. The Group currently has 56,000 employees in selected home markets in Europe, in the U.S. and Latin America. Headquartered in Stockholm, Sweden and listed on the Stockholm Stock Exchange, Skanska's sales in 2006 totaled \$17 billion.

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