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Trinity Industries, Inc. Announces Construction Products Acquisition

DALLAS – April 5, 2007 – Trinity Industries, Inc. (NYSE:TRN) announced today that its subsidiary, Transit Mix Concrete & Materials Company, has acquired a combined group of East Texas asphalt, ready mix concrete and aggregates businesses operating under the name Armor Materials. The businesses were owned by a common group of individuals and companies. The acquisition was made for cash and the purchase price was not disclosed. Revenues for the acquired businesses are estimated to be approximately \$55 million per year.

“We are pleased to complete this acquisition,” said Timothy R. Wallace, Trinity's Chairman, President, and CEO. “These businesses will complement our portfolio of businesses in our Construction Products Group and strengthen our position in the East Texas market. This acquisition provides an entry into the Texas asphalt market, which we believe holds growth potential in select markets.”

Certain of the selling individuals will remain with the acquired businesses and be actively involved on Transit Mix Concrete & Materials Company's management team.

Trinity Industries, Inc., with headquarters in Dallas, Texas, is a holding company of diversified industrial companies with market-leading positions. Trinity reports five principal business segments: the Rail Group, the Railcar Leasing and Management Services Group, the Inland Barge Group, the Construction Products Group, and the Energy Equipment Group. Trinity's web site may be accessed at www.trin.net.

Some statements in this release, which are not historical facts, are “forward-looking statements” as defined by the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Forward-looking statements include statements about Trinity's estimates, expectations, beliefs, intentions or strategies for the future, and the assumptions underlying these forward-looking statements. Trinity uses the words “anticipates,”

“believes,” “estimates,” “expects,” “intends,” “forecasts,” “may,” “will,” “should,” and similar expressions to identify these forward-looking statements. Forward-looking statements involve risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from historical experience or our present expectations. For a discussion of such risks and uncertainties, which could cause actual results to differ from those contained in the forward-looking statements, see “Forward-Looking Statements” in the Company’s Annual Report on Form 10-K for the most recent fiscal year.

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