



## January 2009 Monthly Sales Revenue and Sales Volumes

### *Sales Revenue Increases 6% Year over Year.*

**February 18, 2009** - International Barrier Technology Inc. ("Barrier") (IBTGF: OTCBB; IBH: TSXV), a manufacturer of proprietary fire-resistant building materials is pleased to release revenue and sales volume results for the month ending January 31, 2009. Overall revenue generated for the month was 6% higher at \$354,802 than the \$333,491 generated during the same month in 2008. Revenue attributable to the Residential Roof Deck market grew by 64% to \$78,422 (vs. \$47,960 in January 08). Revenue into the Commercial Modular Market was \$114,063 vs. \$133,837 in the comparable period in 2008.

Sales volume of shipments of Blazeguard product for the month ending January 31, 2009 was 511,840 sq ft. This was comparable to the 518,048 sq ft that was shipped during the same period one year ago. Multi-Family Residential Roof Deck shipments grew significantly to 183,100 sq ft vs. 112,500 sq ft (January 2008). This included 94,100 sq ft into Florida, 44,200 sq feet into the Mid Atlantic, 43,100 sq ft into the Midwest, and 1,700 sq ft into the North. Shipments into the Commercial Modular Market were slightly lower at 328,700 sq ft vs. 405,600 sq ft.

With the new economic stimulus plan focused on enticing new homeownership and initiating government construction projects, Barrier is confident as the economy starts to rebound our growth in the Residential Roof Deck Market will continue and sales into both the Commercial Modular and Wildfire Prone regions will also further expand. We look forward to the potential and opportunities the second half of 2009 will bring.

#### **About International Barrier Technology Inc.**

International Barrier Technology Inc. (OTCBB: IBTGF; TSXV: IBH) develops, manufactures, and markets proprietary fire-resistant building materials branded as Blazeguard®. Barrier's award-winning Blazeguard® wood panels use a patented, non-toxic, non-combustible coating with an extraordinary capability: it releases water in the heat of fire. The panels exceed "model" building code requirements in every targeted fire test and application, and are unique in combining properties that increase panel strength and minimize environmental and human impact. Blazeguard® provides Barrier's customers a premium material choice meeting an increasingly challenging combination of requirements in residential and commercial building construction. Blazeguard® customers include many of the top multifamily homebuilders, and commercial modular building manufacturers in the United States.

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