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warehouse and delivery operation in Indianapolis. The building will serve as a distribution center for Tyler's custom-blended fertilizer products and speciality chemicals.

Wright Mfg. moving to expand

GAITHERSBURG, MD—Wright Manufacturing, Inc., is moving its headquarters to a new building in Frederick, MD, 21 miles north of its present headquarters.

Milliken new distributor for Sybron

SALEM, VA—Milliken Turf Products, Spartanburg, SC, recently became Sybron Chemicals' newest distributor for global turf markets.

Echo expands Lake Zurich facility

LAKE ZURICH, IL—Echo Inc. is adding over 155,000 sq. ft. of office and distribution space to its Lake Zurich facility. This is the third expansion at the Lake Zurich facility since the original building was built in 1989.

IGP acquires Vandenburg

BOSTON, MA—International Garden Products (IGP), Boston, MA, acquired Vandenburg Bulb Co., Chester, NY. IGP is a grower/supplier of ornamental plants and horticultural specialty products to U.S. garden centers and retailers. Vandenburg is a processor of perennials and flower bulbs from Holland, the U.S. and other sources worldwide.

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People & companies

Netafim USA began a facility expansion project that will add 20,000 square feet and new production lines to its existing facility. The project is Phase 2 of the company's expansion plans which have involved capital investments of close to \$4 million.

Nature Safe hired **Chuck Barber** as regional sales manager for



the mid-Atlantic and New England states and **Ibsen Dow** as regional sales manager for the western U.S.

Environmental Industries (EII), the parent company of **Environmental Care (ECI)**, named **Richard Sperber** president of ECI. Sperber will also continue to serve as senior vice president and chief operating officer of EII.

Simplot Turf and Horticulture named **Bill Whitacre** president.

Bayer Corp. named **Dan Carrothers** head of marketing for the company's Garden & Professional Care unit. The company also named



Phil McNally, Ph.D. field research and development representative for the western U.S. and **Chuck Silcox, Ph.D.** field research and development representative for the northeastern U.S.