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**THE WEIR GROUP PLC
ACQUISITION**

The Weir Group PLC announces that it has completed the acquisition of Mesa Manufacturing Inc. ("Mesa") for a cash consideration of \$40million.

Mesa, a family owned business based in Odessa, Texas is a specialist manufacturer of cementing pumps and other products for the oil and gas drilling and well service industries. The company had 2007 sales of over \$20million.

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