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## **CEILUME BRINGS THERMOFORMED CEILINGS TO NEOCON FOR THE FIRST TIME**

GRATON, CALIFORNIA – Ceilume makes its debut as an exhibitor at NeoCon - the leading trade show for commercial interiors - on June 12, 2017 in Chicago's Merchandise Mart, booth number 7-1039. Ceilume is the leading manufacturer of decorative thermoformed ceiling panels and tiles.

According to company president Ed Davis, "Ceilume was one of the original producers of specialty ceilings in the Mid-Century era. Our thermoformed ceilings are now attracting renewed interest among designers and building owners looking for alternatives to plain acoustical ceilings. We have preserved the beauty of our original products and reengineered them to improve sustainability, fire safety, acoustics, and other performance attributes." Ceilume ceilings, he says, are Greenguard Gold certified for low-VOC emissions, are not affected by water or mold, and can be washed for simplified maintenance and greater service life.

The company offers a wide range of traditional and contemporary styles in a variety of colors, faux finishes, and light transmitting material. Davis points out, "Our light transmitting ceiling panels can be installed beneath LED lights and skylights to create exciting new illumination scheme." In addition to its popular translucent panels, Ceilume recently introduced frosted and clear ceiling panels to expand its palette of luminous ceilings.

Several new products will also be introduced at NeoCon, including new panels especially designed for wall covering. The company has also increased the recycled material content of several of its products to 98 percent for prefinished products and 100 percent for paint-grade products.

Davis believes designers are initially attracted by the visual appeal of the firm's products. "Then," he says, "they discover that Ceilume ceilings and walls are versatile, affordable, durable, and practical in all types of buildings."

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### **ABOUT CEILUME**

Ceilume is the leading manufacturer of thermoformed ceiling tiles and panels. The company's predecessor dates from the early 20th Century and was a pioneer in the invention of the modern suspended ceiling. The family-owned business is located in Graton, CA in the heart of



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California's wine country, and occupies a historic apple-packing warehouse. With an eye on the future, Ceilume has invested in advanced manufacturing equipment and an active R+D program to create improved ceiling and wall finishes to meet changing environmental, performance, and aesthetic expectations. [www.ceilume.com](http://www.ceilume.com)

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