



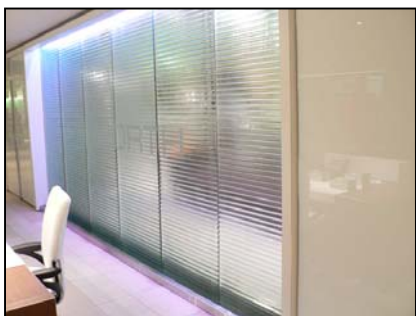
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JOEL BERMAN GLASS STUDIOS LTD

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## JOEL BERMAN GLASS STUDIOS COLLABORATES WITH HAWORTH

VANCOUVER, BC – Joel Berman Glass Studios Ltd., a leading designer and manufacturer of textured glass for the architectural and design community, is pleased to announce a collaboration with Haworth, Inc. to provide textured glass for Haworth's office furniture and architectural interiors Surface Collection. Four textures in the Berman Glass **editions** line of architectural glass – être, ima, aquí and esto – are now offered as part of Haworth's standard program.



"This collaboration is a natural fit for both our companies," said Joel Berman, founder and president of Joel Berman Glass Studios Ltd. "Our organizations share similar values in terms of creating aesthetically appealing spaces that inspire; sharing a mutual commitment to environmental sustainability; and inspiring a culture of innovation and forward thinking."

To celebrate the launch of the collaboration, Joel Berman Glass Studios worked jointly with Haworth and Perkins + Will in the creation of a stunning water sculpture involving custom textured glass that features prominently in Haworth's showroom at the Merchandise Mart in Chicago, Ill.

"Berman Glass **editions** textures are well suited to Haworth's Surface Collection, catering to designs that are sophisticated, sustainable and simple," said Franco Bianchi, Haworth's President and CEO. "The textures in the **editions** line are translucent, organic and appealing to the senses."

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### ABOUT JOEL BERMAN GLASS STUDIOS

Joel Berman Glass Studios is a world-renowned designer and manufacturer of glass art for the architectural and design community offering leading edge designs and collaboration possibilities to take any glass design project from concept to installation. From its design studio and manufacturing facilities located in Vancouver, BC, Canada Joel Berman Glass Studios offers kiln-cast glass, handcrafted to the highest standards and featuring designer textures, colors, hardware and design services, all delivered with unparalleled customer focus. [www.jbermanglass.com](http://www.jbermanglass.com)

### ABOUT HAWORTH

Haworth, Inc. is a global leader in the design and manufacture of adaptable workspaces, including raised floors, moveable walls, systems furniture, seating, storage and wood casegoods. Family-owned and privately held, Haworth is headquartered in Holland, Michigan, and serves markets in more than 120 countries through a global network of 600 dealers. The company had net sales of US \$1.40 billion in 2005. [www.haworth.com](http://www.haworth.com).

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