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Deli Star Completes Expansion

Deli Star's comprehensive line of meat products are produced at the U.S.D.A. state-of-the-art meat processing facility located in Fayetteville, Illinois, just outside of St. Louis, Missouri. The facility in Fayetteville just completed its third expansion to increase productivity and to meet the demands of its widening customer base. The expansion added 10,000 square feet for production purposes and 15,000 square feet for raw material storage.

As a premier cooked meats processor, there is a constant need for sufficient space for both manufacturing and cooling. Deli Star has previously expanded twice and has just completed its third expansion. The first major expansion took place in 1998 with the addition of a multi-faceted cooler for storing products at their required temperatures. The current expansion has increased the size of the existing plant by nearly fifty percent for a total of 60,000 square feet. The expansion will allow Deli Star to nearly double its weekly production and increase the variety of products produced for both retail and wholesale.

The expansion also added 3,000 square feet of office space for Deli Star. The expansion included additional offices, a lab for quality control and a culinary center for research and development. These additions will allow Deli Star to further focus on its three main aspects of operations: food safety, research and development, and customer service.

As one of the premier food companies in the Midwest, Deli Star produces a wide range of slicing logs, post-pasteurized protein salads, barbecues, fillings, and toppings for the sandwich-making industry; and diced, pulled, and shredded meats for the salad-making industry. For more information, visit their website at www.delistarinc.com.

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