



STATE OF MICHIGAN
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
LANSING

JOHN ENGLER
GOVERNOR

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:
June 13, 2000

CONTACT: John Truscott
(517) 335-6397

**Southeast Michigan Job Bonanza:
2,891 New Jobs Coming to Michigan**
Delphi Automotive Systems Builds in Troy

Governor John Engler announced today that the Michigan Economic Development Corporation has finalized agreements with three southeast Michigan companies that plan to expand or build new facilities, creating 2,891 jobs.

The Governor announced the following southeast Michigan companies received approval for a job creation tax credit at today's Michigan Economic Growth Authority board meeting:

- Delphi Automotive Systems will construct two new facilities at its Troy headquarters campus by consolidating two of its divisional headquarters, creating a total of 1,646 direct and indirect jobs;
- LDM Technologies, Inc. will construct a new facility in Romulus, creating 520 direct and indirect jobs; and
- Altair Engineering, Inc. will construct a new facility in Troy, creating 725 direct and indirect jobs.

Delphi Automotive Systems has accepted a proposal that will create 1,646 new jobs, including up to 600 created directly by the company. About 1,046 indirect jobs will be created due to increased purchases from Michigan suppliers and spending by people who receive income from the jobs at Delphi, according to a University of Michigan economic analysis.

-more-