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ENERGY SEMINAR FOR HOME BUILDERS

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TO BE HELD IN SAVANNAH

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ATLANTA, GA....Georgia Tech's Engineering Experiment Station is sponsoring a one-day seminar on energy conservation for home builders at the Savannah Electric & Power Company on East Bay Street in Savannah, January 16. There is no charge for the seminar, which begins at noon, and pre-registration is not required.

Funded through the Georgia Office of Energy Resources in cooperation with the Home Builders Association of Georgia, the seminar is being conducted by EES in order to provide home builders with the most current information available on constructing and marketing energy conserving homes.

According to Tom McGowan, project director for EES, the seminar programs will be a practical guide to new construction methods and their economic benefits. Topics to be discussed include new energy saving devices, new construction techniques, effective sales and marketing strategies, the effect of energy costs on the home buyer, and the effects of the new State Energy Code For Buildings.

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Home builders are encouraged to bring their lenders, appraisers, sales people and subcontractors.

Other cities in the state included on the workshop program schedule are: Macon, January 17; Columbus, January 30; and St. Marys-Kingsland Area, January 31. Seminars have already been held in Atlanta, Augusta, Calhoun and Carrollton.