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East Teak Adds Regional Sales Manager

Company Expands Sales Team

DALLAS – October 1, 2007 – East Teak Fine Hardwoods, Inc., the industry leader in First European Quality teak lumber and other fine hardwood products, is pleased to announce Dan Grieco as its new Regional Sales Manager for the Central United States.

Based in East Teak's Dallas headquarters, Grieco will work to more cohesively align sales efforts with the company's branding and marketing strategies, as well as spearhead the growth of East Teak's premium residential clientele.

Prior to joining East Teak, Grieco gained an extensive sales background, representing specialty hardwood floor contractors and manufacturers in different areas around the southwest. Grieco has worked with custom and conventional wood flooring products and with projects ranging from single rooms to five-star resort hotels.

"Dan brings remarkable experience and enthusiasm to the sales team," said Don Daseke, chairman and CEO. "He will be essential in helping East Teak broaden its sales reach with architects, designers and builders looking for the beauty and durability of exotic hardwoods."

Founded in 1972, East Teak Fine Hardwoods, Inc. is the leading importer of the high grade teak lumber, and other fine hardwood products used as decking, flooring and cabinetry in the construction of yachts, hotels, resorts, office buildings and luxury homes. From its facilities in Texas, South Carolina and Washington, East Teak serves the architectural, up-scale residential, commercial construction, hospitality and boating industries throughout the United States, the Caribbean and Canada. More information can be found at www.eastteak.com.

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