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HOME FASHION PRODUCTS ASSOCIATION ELECTS NEW BOARD FOR 2010-2012 TERM

The Home Fashion Products Association announces the election of a president-elect, and the re-election to the board of five directors who will each serve two-year terms. Richard Roman of Revman International is the president-elect; his term will begin January 1, 2010. Barry Leonard of Ex-cell Home Fashions & Glenoit LLC, who has completed his term as HFPA president, will serve a two year term as president of the HFPA Foundation.

Carl Goldstein of S. Lichtenberg, Mark Grand of Peking Handicraft, Bob Hamilton of Welspun, Tom O'Connor of Springs Global USA, and Stephen Palmer of United Feather and Down were each re-elected to serve on the board for another two year term.

Continuing on the board are Gretchen Dale of Loftex, Steve Elias of Louisville Bedding, Frank Foley of CHF Industries, Nancy Golden of WestPoint Home, Ed Greenberg of Pem-America, Jeff Hollander of Hollander Home Fashions, Carl Legreca of Croscill Home, Barry Leonard of Ex-cell Home Fashions & Glenoit LLC, Tom Merriman of Mohawk Home, Andrew Riesel of Richloom Fabrics, and Keith Sorgeloos of Home Source International.

About HFPA®—The Home Fashion Products Association (HFPA®) serves to advance the growth of the global home fashion industry by setting standards for excellence through technical product compliance, advocacy, and awareness efforts. Since 1968, HFPA has been a leading association providing members information, advice, and action on regulations governing U.S. trade policies, and on key state and federal legislative issues. HFPA establishes uniform market dates, and promotes best practice for high product standards in its industry. Members include companies that manufacture, market, or supply for window, bedding, bath, table linens, kitchen textiles, floor and wall coverings, allied products, accessories and services. The HFPA Foundation supports students of home fashion surface design and marketing, and has awarded multiple annual scholarships since 1996. For further information, please contact HFPA headquarters on (212) 297-2122.

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