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TPC Printing & Packaging Recommended for Environmental Sustainability Certifications

TPC partners with Greener Planet, LLC to enhance corporate social responsibility.

CHATTANOOGA, TN – September 22, 2008. TPC Printing & Packaging announced today that it has successfully completed a third-party audit and been recommended for two international forestry chain-of-custody certifications. TPC retained the help of Greener Planet, LLC to facilitate the audit as part of its commitment to reduce the environmental impact of its products and services through recycling, responsible material sourcing and management, and waste minimization.

Forestry chain-of-custody follows the path wood products take from a forest to the consumer, including all manufacturing and distribution aspects. Printers who receive chain-of-custody certification must document their ability to maintain high standards of raw material accountability ensuring the paperboard used in their products can be traced directly to a certified, sustainably managed forest.

TPC has been recommended by independent auditor SGS Systems and Services Certification to receive chain-of-custody certification from Forest Stewardship Council and Sustainable Forestry Initiative. Both are internationally recognized organizations promoting responsible forestry management. Certified forests must pass stringent, international standards for harvesting and reforestation to ensure healthy management of one of the world's most valuable renewable resources. Certification allows TPC to offer its customers a more environmentally responsible product.

TPC is not new to industry recognition having received numerous awards for product ingenuity and excellence. TPC follows Good Manufacturing Practices in the production of pharmaceutical packaging and is also a certified supplier to the bakery industry through the American Baking Institute

About TPC Printing & Packaging

TPC Printing & Packaging is one of the oldest independent package printing companies in the South. Founded by the late J. A. Schmissrauter, Sr. in 1924, TPC is wholly owned and operated by the third generation of the Schmissrauter family. TPC provides custom, high quality packaging to a number of markets, including the pharmaceutical, food, spirits, and cosmetics industries. www.tpcpackaging.com

About Greener Planet, LLC

Greener Planet, LLC is a Chattanooga-based company whose purpose is to help local small and medium sized companies begin or enhance their environmental sustainability programs.

For more information on the above mentioned programs visit the following web sites:

www.fsc.org

www.sfiprogram.org

www.sgppartnership.org.

www.sgs.com

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