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Heath Breedlove Joins Beck/Arnley as Vice President of Retail and Program Group Sales

SMYRNA, Tenn., October 30, 2009 – Beck/Arnley announces Heath Breedlove has joined the company as its new vice president of retail and program group sales. In this position, Breedlove calls on and facilitates sales growth with program groups and retailer customers businesses. He reports to Paul Farwick, vice president of sales for Beck/Arnley.

“I would like to welcome Heath to the Beck/Arnley team and express how excited we are to have him on board to lead retail and program group sales,” said Farwick. “Heath brings industry knowledge from manufacturing, product and street level experience. His working knowledge of all industry levels will be extremely important as he works with our retail and group customers to grow their import sales to professional installers. This is a much needed position at Beck/Arnley that will focus on being a value added solution for these important customer segments.”

Prior to joining Beck/Arnley, Breedlove served as regional director of store sales for General Parts Inc., where he managed sales activities for more than 20 CARQUEST Auto Parts® Stores corporate sales. Earlier in his career, Breedlove held various national account executive and sales manager positions with General Parts Inc., as well as served in a sales manager position with the Wix division of Dana Corporation.

With almost 100 years of global *Application Specific Sourcing* experience, a multi-million dollar original equipment/supplier sample parts library, and an extensive application and product database, Beck/Arnley has earned top brand awareness among import technicians. Beck/Arnley continues to expand resources to support wholesale distributors, who service jobbers, and retailers. The company works to support our channel partners who sell to commercial technicians.

About Beck/Arnley:

Beck/Arnley is exclusively dedicated to supporting its distribution partners who service the foreign nameplate repair and maintenance market. Beck/Arnley supplies wholesale distributors, who sell to jobbers, and retailers. Founded in 1914, Beck/Arnley's broad product offering for the aftermarket is organized into six modules: Brake & Chassis, Electrical, Clutch & Driveline, Engine Management, Engine Parts & Filtration, and Cooling Systems. Headquartered near Nashville, Tenn., Beck/Arnley researches, sources and delivers parts to resellers through its Master Distribution Center in Smyrna, Tenn. and strategically located satellite distribution centers across North America. Additional information is available at www.beckarnley.com.

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