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TIMBERLAKE[®] OPENS NEW BUILDER SERVICE CENTER IN PHOENIX

New State-of-the-Art Facility Reinforces Timberlake's Commitment to Serving High-Volume Homebuilders in Phoenix; Grand Opening Ceremony to be held on Aug. 29, 2006 at 11:45 a.m.

PHOENIX, (Aug. 28, 2006) – Timberlake Cabinet Company[™], a leading supplier of cabinetry to the new construction market, announced today the opening of the Company's new 30,000-square-foot Builder Service Center located at 1020 E. University Drive in Phoenix, Ariz. The Company will host a ribbon cutting ceremony and management presentations to customers and the media on Aug. 29, 2006.

A \$1.5 million investment, the new service center strengthens Timberlake Cabinet Company's position as the industry leader serving high-volume homebuilders in the Phoenix market. The new stateof-the-art facility boasts new systems and technologies that will allow Timberlake to implement best practices in resource, job and workflow management processes. The 18,000 square feet of warehouse space features an improved warehouse footprint and a new inventory management system. An additional 12,000 square feet serves as office space and incorporates a new, real-time technology to facilitate on-time delivery of completed products to builders' job sites. "Phoenix is an important market for Timberlake," said Mike Leikam, general manager of the Timberlake Phoenix Builder Service Center. "Our investment in infrastructure, technology and people signifies our continued dedication to ensuring superior total quality service to our customers from the design, order entry and production phases through to delivery and installation."

About Timberlake Cabinet Company

Timberlake Cabinet Company is a division of American Woodmark Corporation, the third largest manufacturer of kitchen cabinets in the United States. Timberlake cabinets are sold directly to major homebuilders through a network of builder service centers and distributors. With more than 177 cabinet styles and a full array of coordinating moldings and accessories, Timberlake brand cabinets combine style and affordability. The Company manufactures *Portfolio*[®] and *Portfolio Select*[®], Timberlake's premier lines that deliver a full range of styles and upgrade options that make customizing homes easy, and *Value-Built by Timberlake*[®], a line that offers well-crafted, stylish cabinets for more affordable homes.

American Woodmark Corporation operates 15 manufacturing facilities in Arizona, Georgia, Indiana, Kentucky, Maryland, Minnesota, Oklahoma, Tennessee, Virginia and West Virginia, as well as various service centers across the country. American Woodmark shares are traded on the NASDAQ Global Select Market under the symbol "AMWD." To find out more about American Woodmark and Timberlake Cabinet Company and view the entire collections of cabinetry styles and accessories, log onto <u>www.americanwoodmark.com</u> and <u>www.timberlake.com</u>.

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