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NEW PREMIUM FINISH FROM TIMBERLAKE CABINET COMPANY CREATES A CUSTOM CABINET LOOK

LAS VEGAS, May 10, 2005 – Further blurring the line between semi-custom and stock cabinetry, Timberlake Cabinet Company, a leading supplier of cabinetry to the homebuilding and remodeling markets, introduces a new premium finish called Coffee. Timberlake's glazes combine the artistry of custom finishes with the sophistication of solid hardwoods that will easily satisfy even the most discriminating homeowner's demand for furniture-like cabinetry.

Coffee is available on the Tucson[®], Rushmore[®], Wyoming[®], Washington[®], Scottsdale[®], Sonoma, and Tahoe[®] Maple door styles, and is made with a glazing technique that directs the color into the grooves and recesses of the door, creating a rich custom-like look.

"Timberlake's premium finishes have been created with both builders and homebuyers in mind," says Connie Edwards, CKD, CBD and Timberlake's director of design. "These upgrade options help builders increase sales while satisfying homebuyers' desire for luxurious, personalized cabinetry."

Previously offered only on all *Portfolio Select* and Tahoe door styles, Timberlake's Mocha glaze has been expanded to Sonoma and Scottsdale Maple door styles.

The Chocolate glaze, previously offered exclusively on all *Portfolio Select* and Tahoe

door styles, has also been expanded to Timberlake's Sonoma Cherry door style. These rich premium finishes add definition and a lustrous, deep color in the recesses, corners and grooves of honey-finished Maple and spice-finished Cherry cabinetry.

Additionally, the new premium finishes are produced with Timberlake's exclusive BeautyGuard® patented multi-step finish process. Timberlake's state-of-the-art facilities combine the best automation and skilled craftsmanship to provide a high-quality cabinet finish of lasting value. Multiple staining and sealing enables BeautyGuard to deliver a rich, protective finish, enhancing the beauty and depth of the grain while increasing moisture resistance and durability. BeautyGuard meets or exceeds all specifications set forth by the Kitchen Cabinet Manufacturers Association.

Timberlake Cabinet Company is a division of American Woodmark Corporation, the third largest manufacturer of kitchen cabinets in the United States and Canada. With more than 156 cabinet styles and a full array of coordinating moldings and accessories, Timberlake brand cabinets combine style and affordability with the best service platform in the industry. The Company manufactures *Portfolio* and *Portfolio Select*, Timberlake's leading lines that deliver a full range of styles and upgrade options to make customizing homes easy, and *Value-Built by Timberlake*, a line that offers well-crafted, stylish cabinets for more affordable homes.

Timberlake cabinets are sold directly to major homebuilders through a network of builder service centers and to independent dealers and distributors. The company, celebrating its 25th anniversary this year, 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. To find out more about Timberlake Cabinet Company and view its vast array of cabinet styles, visit its Web site at www.timberlake.com.

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