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**AMERICAN WOODMARK CORPORATION APPOINTS NEW
CORPORATE ENVIRONMENTAL, HEALTH AND SAFETY MANAGER**

WINCHESTER, VA, (July 28, 2008) – Effective immediately, American Woodmark Corporation (AWC) (NASDAQ: AMWD), a leading supplier of cabinetry to the new home construction and remodeling industries, has appointed Todd Regula corporate environmental, health and safety manager. Reporting to Rob Adams, vice president engineering, American Woodmark Corporation, Regula will be responsible for developing, organizing and administering the company’s safety and environmental programs in order to create a workplace that is conducive to zero safety accidents. Regula will also ensure safety and environmental compliance with all local, state and federal government regulations.

“Todd brings with him a wealth of knowledge and experience in safety and environment program development and implementation,” says Cary Dunston, senior vice president manufacturing and supply chain services. “American Woodmark’s continuous commitment to its employees, the environment and health safety remain a top priority through the entire supply chain process. Todd has demonstrated his individual commitment to these issues as well, and we are confident in his ability to drive these initiatives.”

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Regula joins the company with over 15 years of safety and environmental management, worker's compensation and industrial hygiene experience. Most recently he was with the Kawneer Corporation where he was the corporate health and safety manager. He has a Bachelor of Science degree in Safety Science from Indiana University of Pennsylvania and is a Certified Safety Professional.

About American Woodmark Corporation

American Woodmark Corporation, located in Winchester, VA, is the third largest manufacturer of kitchen and bath cabinets in the United States. Offering more than 350 cabinet lines in a wide variety of designs, materials and finishes, American Woodmark products are sold through a network of dealers and distributors and directly to home centers and major home builders. All American Woodmark products have received certification by the Kitchen Cabinet Manufacturers Association (KCMA) Environmental Stewardship Program. The Company operates 14 manufacturing facilities in Arizona, Georgia, Indiana, Kentucky, Maryland, 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 view its vast array of cabinet styles, visit its Web site at www.americanwoodmark.com.

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