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CHAMPION CONTINUES TO GROW SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA OFFICE

North America's fastest growing general service contractor adds three experienced event industry professionals to cultivate Champion's growing footprint in Southern California

SANTA FE SPRINGS, CA, April 29, 2008 – Champion Exposition Services ("Champion"), a leading provider of comprehensive event solutions and exposition services, announced today that it has hired three event-service professionals to the company's Southern California headquarters located in Santa Fe Springs, California. Dino Saravia and Aimee Rials have taken National Sales Manager positions with Champion, while Jason Baglin will work closely with the office's clients in his Account Executive role.

"The addition of three professionals of Dino, Aimee and Jason's quality is a strong indication that our foundation in Southern California is growing. I fully believe that this is a direct result of Champion's dedication to providing each of our clients with the expert advice and the premium client service that we are known for throughout the industry," said Ron Brown, COO, Western Region, Champion. "Each of these hires exemplifies the well-rounded versatility that Champion has always provided to our clients. We're excited to welcome them to the fold and continue to grow the office here in Southern California."

Dino Saravia, National Sales Manager – Saravia brings more than 19 years in the trade show industry, he joins Champion after excelling in a variety of production, operational and sales positions for both national general service contractors and regional custom exhibit houses. Throughout his career, Saravia has worked closely with many of the major conventional facilities in the area including the Anaheim, Los Angeles, Long Beach and San Diego Convention Centers.

Aimee Rials, National Sales Manager - Rials has worked in the trade show industry for more than a decade, her work has been focused on event and exhibit management and service. She comes to Champion with extensive show management and exhibit design house experience. Rials has worked on a number of major high technology events including JavaOne, Seybold Seminars, NetWorld+Interop and COMDEX.

Jason Baglin, Account Executive - Baglin comes to Champion after seven years of experience concentrated in operations and coordination management. He began his career with Shorecliff Communications and most recently served as the conference coordinator for iHollywood Forum, where he worked on shows such as Mobile Entertainment Summit, Hollywood Goes Green and Digital Living Room Summit.

About Champion Exposition Services

Champion Exposition Services ("Champion") is a leading provider of comprehensive exposition and corporate event services. Since 1986 Champion has been one of the top general service contractors in North America, providing innovative solutions and services to help their clients and exhibitors excel. Champion is part of the WCP (Wachovia Capital Partners) Exposition Services Holding Company, which also includes Immersa Marketing and the George Fern Company. It is one of the largest event marketing and service providers in the country with locations in 22 cities and more than 500 expert employees producing over 1200 events annually. More information on Champion can be found at <http://www.championexpo.com/>