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E.T. Horn Signs Distribution Deal with Martek for *life'sDHA*™ in Food and Beverage

LA MIRADA, Calif. – Nov. 17, 2008 – E.T. Horn Company, a leading distributor, manufacturer and marketer of specialty chemicals and ingredients, today announced it has signed an agreement to be a distributor of Martek Biosciences Corporation's *life'sDHA*™ to the food and beverage industry in Southern California, Arizona and Utah. This marks the first time Martek has used a distributor for the food channel in the U.S.

"We believe we have the right partner with E.T. Horn, and see this relationship as an extension of the Martek team," said Rena Strauss-Cohen, Martek's western regional sales director. "The trends are in our favor—consumer awareness of DHA and *life'sDHA* is growing and this new agreement with E.T. Horn will help us take advantage of our momentum."

DHA (docosahexaenoic acid) omega-3 is a long-chain omega-3 fatty acid that serves as a primary building block for the brain and the eyes and supports brain, eye and cardiovascular health throughout life. *life'sDHA* offers a trusted, vegetarian form of DHA that contains no oceanic pollutants and toxins. Derived from microalgae and produced in the U.S. using a sustainable source that does not deplete ocean resources, *life'sDHA* is found in numerous foods, beverages and supplements for people of all ages. It is also the only source of DHA used in U.S. infant formula and is available in more than 95 percent of the formulas on the U.S. market.

"We feel very privileged to represent a company like Martek and to add such a phenomenal ingredient like *life'sDHA* to our Health & Wellness ingredient portfolio," said Lisa Alley-Zarkades, E.T. Horn's FoodTech group vice president of sales.

The E.T. Horn Company is one of the nation's largest distributors, marketers and manufacturers of raw materials and chemicals for use in coatings, building materials, elastomers, lubrication, nutrition, cosmetics, personal care, and food products. Founded in 1961, the company has focused on providing formulation solutions, superior customer service and technical expertise in distributing products from only the finest manufacturers. For additional information contact the company at 800-442-HORN or visit www.ethorn.com.

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