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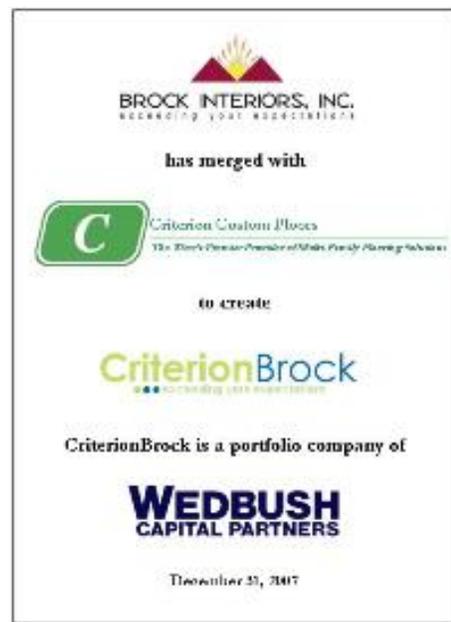
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**Wedbush Capital Partners Announces Merger of Brock Interiors
With Portfolio Company Criterion Supply**
Creates Leading Provider of Floor Covering Solutions in Western U.S.

LOS ANGELES, Calif. (December 31, 2007) – Criterion Supply, Inc. and Brock Interiors, Inc. have announced that they will combine their operations to form a leading flooring provider to the multi-family housing market in a transaction that was driven by a recapitalization of Brock Interiors by Wedbush Capital Partners. As a result of the transaction, the companies will have a broader geographical presence and improved operational efficiency in areas such as procurement, distribution, marketing, information technology and supply chain management. The merger of Criterion and Brock brings together significant customer, technical, channel and go-to-market synergies. Cary Jackson, Chief Executive

Officer of Criterion, will be the CEO of the merged companies. Cathi Brock, currently Chief Executive Officer of Brock Interiors, will become President and Chief Operating Officer.

“The combination of Criterion and Brock is extremely compelling for our customers and associates, as it will create a powerful leader in the multi-family flooring industry, with greatly expanded points of service, access to talented personnel and significant opportunities for improved scale and operating efficiencies. Both organizations have made great progress to improve service in the industry, and we believe that the combination will further improve development and create a true leader. Together, we will further enhance our capabilities to better serve customers by addressing a wider range of solutions and accelerating the growth of our multi-family partners,” said Cary Jackson.



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Cathi Brock commented, “The true synergies between our organizations revolve around shared values. As we discussed our mutual dreams and desires, we realized that they all centered on honoring the commitments to our customers, our people and our communities. The merger will greatly strengthen both organizations by enhancing our service capabilities and accelerating the growth strategy. Our priority during and after the integration process is to ensure that our customers continue to get the benefits of existing products and services, followed by the introduction of additional access to a more expanded geographic presence. We will have a combined store base of ten Pacific West and Southwest locations and will be the leading service organization in the industry.”

“Cary Jackson and Cathi Brock have built first-class businesses over the past few decades. Their client base includes established REITs and multi-family property owners and managers, and they are ideal compliments to each other’s values and company cultures. We are pleased to support the growth of both organizations,” said Geoff Bland, Managing Director of Wedbush Capital Partners.

About Criterion Supply, Inc.

Established in 1982 and headquartered in Portland, Oregon, Criterion is one of the largest providers of floor covering services to the multi-family housing industry in the Western United States. Criterion has a comprehensive staff of experts at all levels and is able to service multiple customer locations from its six branches serving the West Coast. Specializing in the multi-family housing industry, Criterion focuses on providing reliable service, easy ordering, consistent invoicing, and quick project turnaround. The company’s expertise and resources that have been developed over decades of experience allow it to service customers at all levels with installations, treatments, audits, repairs, and customized property reports. For more information about Criterion Supply, please visit www.criterionsupply.com.

About Brock Interiors, Inc.

Brock Interiors is a leading provider of professional floor covering installation and retail services to multi-family housing units. Brock’s locations are strategically located in key areas of the Southwest region of the U.S., where its sizeable installer base and strong quality control procedures have promoted consistent service excellence and industry leading turn-around times for its customers. The company’s mission to exceed expectations is reflected in each staff member’s

commitment to providing superior levels of service. Brock's achievements in establishing lasting relationships within the industry by providing professional installations and customer service have resulted in consistent growth since its founding in 1997. For more information about Brock Interiors, please visit www.brockinteriors.com.

About Wedbush Capital Partners

Wedbush Capital Partners is a private equity firm focused on recapitalizations, growth investments, and management-led buyouts of lower middle-market companies. Wedbush Capital acquires and builds growing companies headquartered in the Western U.S. with revenues ranging from \$10 to \$50 million and operating cash flow of \$1 to \$5 million at the time of the investment. The firm's preferred initial investment is \$2 to \$10 million of equity. Since 1980, Wedbush Capital and its professionals have invested in more than 80 companies in industries including consumer products and services, business and financial services and niche manufacturing. Wedbush Capital is an affiliate of Wedbush Morgan Securities, founded in 1955 and one of the largest investment banks and brokerage firms in the Western United States. For more information, please visit www.wedbushcapital.com or call (213) 688-8012.

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