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**CREATIVE TOUCH INTERIORS (CTI) ANNOUNCES STRATEGIC
ORGANIZATIONAL REALIGNMENT IN SENIOR-LEVEL
CUSTOMER-FACING POSITIONS**

*Company streamlines operations to accelerate growth in key
customer segments and end markets*

Orlando, Fla. – May 20, 2008 – Creative Touch Interiors (CTI), an HD Supply business that provides interior finish solutions to the residential and commercial construction industries including the turnkey installation of flooring, countertops, cabinets and window treatments, recently announced several key organizational changes in key customer-facing positions.

- John Tisera, former president of Crown Bolt, an HD Supply business that distributes hardware products to the home improvement industry, joins CTI as vice president of national account sales. In this role, he is responsible for increasing CTI's sales with the top 25 builders nationally.
- Andrew Liebert, former west region vice president for CTI, has been named vice president of sales. In this role, he will lead CTI's sales team in growing market share by providing a consistent go-to-market strategy across the country.
- Steve Spade, former east region vice president, has been named vice president of marketing and business development. In his new role, he is responsible for accelerating the company's growth in new geographic markets, customer segments and product categories.

"Everything we do has to start with the customer in mind," said Tom Lazzaro, President of CTI. "We continually look for ways to strategically align our organization to meet the needs of our builder partners. These organizational changes showcase our deep industry expertise and associated knowledge to help our customers succeed."

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About CTI

Creative Touch Interiors (CTI) (www.ctihome.com) is the nation's largest, premium interiors partner to the building industry. CTI offers turn-key supply and installation of multiple interior finish options, including flooring, cabinets, countertops and window coverings, for residential and commercial projects, along with comprehensive design center and interior care services. CTI has over 90 design centers and six countertop fabrication facilities with a presence in 18 states.

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