



NOMINATION FORM

1. Any member of the American Furniture Hall of Fame may nominate one qualified individual.
2. Nominations are made by completing this form and returning it, along with a photograph of the nominee, to the Foundation at the above address. A seconding nomination from another Foundation member is also required. A new scoring process will be used to accept qualified nominees. It is important that the form is filled out completely and thoughtfully.
3. A candidate may be re-nominated.
4. Candidates may be nominated and elected posthumously.
5. An independent selection committee will choose best qualified candidates for the ballot, based on the nomination you submit. If chosen, there is a nomination fee of \$500 to help defray the cost of photo reproduction and video production. This is a one time charge and will not apply to re-nominations.

CANDIDATE QUALIFICATIONS AND REQUIREMENTS:

A qualified candidate shall:

1. Have demonstrated a high degree of personal integrity, personal skill, ingenuity, intelligence and courage in the conduct of personal and business affairs, verified by the persons making the nomination.
2. Have a record of leadership in the furniture industry, the community, business, politics, government, charitable and/or religious organizations.
3. Do business in the United States and have achieved success in their chosen industry sector. This may include:
 - a. Founding a company.
 - b. Significant business growth or innovation in manufacturing, marketing or retail sales.
 - c. Dramatic or utilitarian innovations in design, invention, management or marketing.
4. Have rendered extraordinary service to the American furniture industry that produced growth and/or change through service in:
 - a. Manufacturing techniques, quality improvements and/or innovation in style or function.
 - b. Sales, marketing and promotion.
 - c. Industry associations.
 - d. Historic preservation.

THE HISTORY OF THE NOMINEE

About the Nominee

Name _____

Past or Present Position or Title _____

Company Affiliation _____

Address _____

_____ Phone Number _____

Date of Birth _____ Date of Death _____

Closest Living Relative _____ Relationship to Nominee _____

Relative's Address _____

_____ Phone Number _____

About the Nominee's Background

Business Background _____

Civic Activity Background _____

Educational Background _____

About the Acceptance of the Award

If Elected to Hall of Fame, Will the Nominee Accept Their Award? _____

If Not, Name of Acceptor _____

Relationship to Nominee _____

Acceptor's Address _____

_____ Phone Number _____

THE NOMINEE'S BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION

Please submit written biographical information on this page and attach additional pages as needed. Supporting information, photos and print should be labeled with the names and appropriate dates. Please indicate those to be returned. Copies of all information will be placed in the nominees file and retained in the Foundation archives.

1. INTEGRITY:

2. LEADERSHIP:

3. MILESTONES AND SUCCESS IN INDUSTRY:

BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION *(continued)*

- 4. SERVICE TO THE INDUSTRY. WHAT DID THE CANDIDATE DO TO CHANGE THE FACE OF THE INDUSTRY? WHAT WAS THE IMPACT OF THAT CHANGE?**

BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION *(continued)*

5. CIVIC, COMMUNITY, AND CHARITABLE ACTIVITIES AND CONTRIBUTIONS:

**PLEASE LIST NEWSPAPERS, CONTACT NAMES AND ADDRESSES IN THE
NOMINEE'S AREA. (Include e-mail addresses if possible)**

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____



Date _____

Nominee's Full Name

As a Member of The American Furniture Hall of Fame Foundation Inc., I (Company Name), _____, nominate the individual whose name appears above. I/we understand that a candidate should be an individual, whether living or deceased, whose achievements have singularly contributed to the growth and development of the American furniture industry. I/we sincerely believe the nominee, whose name appears above, fully meets this criteria for election to the permanent membership in the American Furniture Hall of Fame. I/we have completed this form and have provided as detailed a summary as I/we are able to provide, including dates, organization names and locations of the Nominee's significant contributions to the furniture industry.

Member's Name _____ Title _____

Company Address _____

Phone Number _____ Fax Number _____

Business or Personal Relationship (if any) to Nominee _____

Member's Authorizing Signature _____

Seconding Member:

Name _____ Title _____

Company Address _____

Phone Number _____ Fax Number _____

Please mail this form and a photo of the nominee to:

American Furniture Hall of Fame Foundation
202 Neal Place
High Point, NC 27260

If selected for the ballot, there is a nomination fee of \$500.

Deadline for Entries: May 10, 2010