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**AMERICAN FURNITURE HALL OF FAME FOUNDATION
CALLS ON INDUSTRY FOR VINTAGE PHOTOS**

HIGH POINT, N.C., July 13, 2009 — The American Furniture Hall of Fame Foundation, Inc. is asking the industry to share vintage photographs prior to 1950 of manufacturing plants, facilities and assembly lines as part of the organization's effort to preserve the cultural and artistic history of the furniture industry.

"If we do not preserve our priceless industry memorabilia now, it will not be available for future generations," says Donald Belgrad, president of the Foundation. "Please help us preserve our heritage and history by expanding our photography collection."

The following information needs to accompany the submitted photography:

- Company
- Year
- Description

Photos received via mail will be scanned, archived and returned immediately. To be included on our new Web site, please submit photos by July 31.

Photos can be sent to the American Furniture Hall of Fame Foundation, Inc. at 202 Neal Place, High Point, NC 27262 or via e-mail to lestep@furniturehalloffame.com. If sent digitally, photos must be 300 dpi JPEGs and at least 5" x 7".

If you have any questions, please call 336.882.5900.

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The American Furniture Hall of Fame Foundation, Inc. is an international, industry-wide organization founded to honor those individuals whose outstanding achievements have contributed to the continued growth and development of the U.S. furniture industry, as well as to research, collect and preserve our cultural, economic and artistic history. Membership includes eligibility to vote for inductees into the American Furniture Hall of Fame, and the opportunity to help preserve the history and heritage of the industry. The organization is based in High Point at 202 Neal Place, and can be reached at 336.882.5900.

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