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**Amerikal Named to *Fast Company Magazine's* Fast 50 Readers Favorite List
Receives Top Ranking Among Chicago-based Businesses**

WAUKEGAN, Ill. (Feb. 23, 2007)...Amerikal Products Corporation is pleased to announce the company was selected as a 2007 Fast 50 Readers Favorite by *Fast Company* magazine. Thousands of Fast 50 entries were submitted and Amerikal was selected No. 21 by *Fast Company* magazine readers' for its commitment to developing eco-responsible pressroom chemistry, making it the highest ranked Chicago-based business.

"We are extremely honored to be recognized by *Fast Company* readers," said Robert Danielson, Jr., vice president of business development and sales. "For 18 years, Amerikal has been focused on doing what's right for the printing industry and environment. We never thought about our work as being extraordinary. It's very humbling to have readers acknowledge our efforts and commitment to develop safer and more effective pressroom chemistry."

The Sixth Annual Fast 50 is *Fast Company* magazine's annual readers' challenge, a worldwide search for ordinary people doing extraordinary things. The goal is to remind the world of all the good that is created when passionate people with big ideas and strong convictions are determined to make a difference.

Each year, the challenge generates thousands of entries and tens of thousands of comments from around the world, and results in the high-profile recognition of 50 leaders, innovators and technology pioneers.

To be honored as a Readers Favorites, companies must have received the highest marks among the entries with at least 25 votes. For more information about *Fast Company* magazine's Fast 50, visit http://www.fastcompany.com/fast50_07/.

Based in Waukegan, Ill., Amerikal Products Corporation, through its Genesis® division is the leading innovator and manufacturer of environmentally responsible pressroom chemicals. Founded in 1989, Amerikal is committed to improving customer's productivity and profitability by developing products and equipment designed to preserve natural resources, reduce consumable usage, waste streams and energy costs and improve overall health and safety.

To learn more about Genesis®, please visit www.genesischemistry.com or contact Robert Danielson, Jr. at (847) 244.3600.

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