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Houston-Based Solvents and Chemicals, Inc. Launches New Corporate Name and Logo

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Houston, TX, October 10, 2008 – On Friday, October 10, 2008, Solvents and Chemicals, Inc. will officially change its corporate name to SolvChem, Inc. The company will simultaneously launch a new corporate logo and tagline. The tagline, “Delivering Customized Solutions” emphasizes the company’s commitment to fulfilling its customers’ unique business requirements.

After operating under the Solvents and Chemicals, Inc. name since 1981, company leaders decided that the organization’s renewed goal of customer focus, safety, and continuous improvement merited a dynamic corporate image – one that would capture the essence of its business spirit today. In the words of President Jean-Pierre Baizán, “Notwithstanding the strength and experience we have gained from our 27-year history, our corporate culture at SolvChem supports positive change and innovation. The launch of the SolvChem brand embodies this culture and reinforces our core value of continuous improvement.”

Headquartered in Pearland, Texas, SolvChem, Inc. is a family-owned, minority-certified business founded in 1981. The company is a full-line distributor of top-grade organic and inorganic chemicals, with capabilities ranging from chemical processing to contract packaging. SolvChem is among the top 40 chemical distributors in the nation, regularly ranking in *Purchasing Magazine’s* annual Top 100 Chemical Distributors survey.

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