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Nourison Announces Owen Baker's Retirement

SADDLE BROOK, NJ — April 3, 2019 – Leading floor covering and home accents manufacturer Nourison has announced the retirement of Owen Baker, western regional sales manager, after 16 years of service. Derek Lopez, currently the northern California territory manager for Nourison, will step into Baker's role as of May 1st.

Baker has been in the flooring industry for 52 years, including Oriental Weavers, Coronet Carpets, Monticello Carpets, Lee's Carpet and Burlington Industries.

"When the opportunity presented itself, I wanted to work for Nourison because of their reputation and quality of merchandise," said Owen Baker. "What I will miss the most about Nourison is working alongside some of the nicest people I have met in my 52 years in the business, the excitement of working for a reputable company, and working with the Peykar family who treated me as more than just an employee."

"Owen is a true professional, an absolute pleasure to work with and he has a great sense of humor," said Alex Peykar, principal at Nourison.

"We will miss his vast experience and boundless enthusiasm. He has set a standard for work ethic and professionalism that has benefited customers and work associates alike. He will always be a part of the Nourison legacy and the Nourison family," said Gerard O'Keefe, vice president of sales at Nourison.

Nourison will celebrate Owen Baker's retirement at the Nourison showroom, IH101 at High Point Market on Saturday, April 6, from 3-5pm.

About Nourison

Nourison is a leading global floor covering company that produces extensive collections of area rugs, broadloom carpet, and home accessories at multiple price points from low to mid-market to luxury. Nourison is one of the few fully vertically integrated companies in its segment, overseeing almost every aspect of the manufacturing process. As a result, the company boasts exceptional speed-to-market, shipping more than 95 percent of its product orders within 48 hours. The focus on customer service has helped Nourison become a valued partner within the home furnishings and hospitality industries to both retailers and interior designers.

Nourison was founded in New York by brothers Alex, Steven, and Paul Peykar in 1980, and remains a family-owned company. Its product assortment includes licensed collections from well-known brands such as *CALVIN KLEIN*, Kathy Ireland, Waverly, Barclay Butera, Christopher Guy, and more.

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