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CAPA'S BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND TECHNICAL COMMITTEE MEMBERS REPRESENT CROSS-SECTION OF INDUSTRIES AND EXPERTISE

WASHINGTON, DC – The Certified Automotive Parts Association (CAPA) announces the members of its Board of Directors and Technical Committee. Both groups are comprised of a cross-section of industries that are relevant to aftermarket parts, including manufacturers, distributors, insurers, collision repairers, consumer and general interest groups.

The CAPA Board of Directors, which sets CAPA policies and oversees the program, includes:

Bob Anderson, Anderson's Automotive Service (Chairman)

John Edelen, Allstate Insurance

Jackie Gillan, Advocates for Highway and Auto Safety

Jack Gillis, CAPA

Carl Hartman, Keystone

Robert Hurns, Property Casualty Insurers Association of America

Don Keenan, Joseph T. Keenan & Sons, Inc.

Jerry Kottschade, Jerry's Body Shop, Inc.

Brian O'Connor, Liberty Mutual Insurance

Rich Rosenthal, USAA

Bill Smeal, Choice Bumper, Inc.

Maureen Willett, State Farm Mutual Insurance Co.

The CAPA Technical Committee develops and maintains the CAPA Quality Standards. They review and refine the Standards in order to set the quality requirements that CAPA manufacturers must achieve in order to certify their parts. The Technical Committee members include:

Frank Bradbury, Liberty Mutual Insurance
Alan Bush, USAA
David Chen, Jui Li/U-Land International Corp.
Jeff Chen, T.Y.G. Products
Bill Dornon, Action Crash Parts
Ed Eaton, Veng USA
Rod Enlow, RENLOW Auto Technical Consulting, Inc.
Donald Feeley, Jr., City Body & Frame (Chairman)
Sharyn Germ, SKG Quality Consulting
Scot Hansen, Collision Parts Network, Inc.
Don Hill, State Farm Mutual Insurance Co.
Charlie Hogarty, Keystone
Jack Hsieh, Auto Parts Industrial Ltd.
Mel Hunke, CARS
Kelly McCarty, Carty's Collision Center
Ben Steinman, Ben's Auto Body (Vice Chair)
Chad Wadsworth, AutoLign Manufacturing Group
Mark Woirol, Allstate
Joe Woodin, Portage Central High School

“CAPA is fortunate to have such a broad range of industry expertise represented on both our Board and Technical Committee,” stated Jack Gillis, Executive Director of the non-profit association. “Their insight into issues facing the aftermarket parts industry and guidance with the program are extremely important to CAPA’s continuing success.”

The Certified Automotive Parts Association, founded in 1987, is the nation’s only independent, non-profit, third party crash parts quality certification organization. CAPA certification identifies, for both consumers and the industry, those parts that meet our high quality standards for fit, form, finish, material content and corrosion resistance. For more information see www.capacertified.org.

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