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MIDDLETON COMPANIES ANNOUNCE NATIONAL SALES MANAGER

Hollister, MO. June 15, 2009 - Memco is pleased to announce that **J. Sloan Houston** has accepted the position of **National Sales Manager** for Memco, Inc. and MandM Poultry Equipment, Inc.

Formerly employed at Riceland Foods, Inc., Houston brings over 15 years of Public Relations, Member Relations, and Regional Sales experience to the Middleton companies. His expertise in sales gained him two consecutive recognitions as Riceland's top Sales Representative for High Valued Specialty Products, and also expanded his sales responsibilities to include the company's largest foodservice sales region, outside of metro New York. Houston holds a Masters Degree in Communications from the University of Louisiana at Monroe.

At Memco and MandM Poultry Equipment, Houston will lead the Sales Force in new growth, and will help integrate, build, and streamline an already seasoned Team in an ever-changing marketplace.

Memco, Inc. Executive Vice President for Sales & Marketing Rob Middleton said Monday *"At Memco and MandM, the role of National Sales Manager is a vital part of our team. Sloan is a professional who understands the value that the Middleton brand must bring in order to build quality relationships with every single one of our customers. We look forward to adding Sloan to our family."*

Memco, Inc. is a wholesale distributor of Safety, Packaging, Janitorial, and other Industrial Products. MandM Poultry Equipment, Inc. is a producer and distributor of quality equipment, engineered solutions and related products for the Poultry Processing Industry.

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