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Paper Packaging Canada elects Chairman and Officers

(January 18, 2011) Paper Packaging Canada today announces its new Board of Directors. Rob Latter of Kruger Inc. has been elected Chairman. Other executive members of the board include Charles Malo of Norampac (Vice-Chairman); Bob Hagan of Atlantic (2nd Vice-Chairman); and Peter Moore of Moore Packaging (Secretary/Treasurer).

John Mullinder, President and Chief Executive Officer of Paper Packaging Canada, welcomed the election of officers. "I am delighted by the quality and standing of the executives of the board. This leadership, knowledge, experience and drive will be invaluable for the paper packaging industry in what are extremely challenging times." He also paid tribute to past-chairman, Chris Bartlett of Tencorr Packaging.

Other officers elected or nominated include: Jim Levia (Emballages Mitchel-Lincoln); Gary Johnson (Maritime Paper Products Ltd.); James Devries (Crown Packaging); Mike Dienst (AICC Canada); Larry Cooper (Independent Corrugator); Chris Bartlett (Tencorr); David Lint (Master Packaging); Serge Desgagnes (Packaging Mills) and Steve Strickland (Smurfit). The Paper & Paperboard Packaging Environmental Council (PPEC) is represented by its chairman (to be nominated).

Elected chairman, Rob Latter, said he looked forward to advancing the interests of the industry in Canada. Mr. Latter is Vice President, Packaging Group, Kruger Inc.

Paper Packaging Canada represents the major packaging mill companies in Canada and the major converters of that paper and board into packaging grade products.

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