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Tidewater Power Equipment Hires Anthony Wood as Territory Salesman for South Carolina and Portions of North Carolina

Virginia Beach, VA (August 13, 2009) – Tidewater Power Equipment would like to welcome Anthony Wood aboard as the latest addition to their sales team. Anthony has over 30 years experience in the OPE industry and has worked for top quality companies such as Wise Mid-State and Barefoot's Machinery. Anthony started working on lawnmowers at age seven with his grandfather at R. Wood's Small Engine. He will be covering South Carolina and portions of North Carolina for Hustler Turf Equipment, Maruyama Power Equipment, Jacto Sprayers, Prizelawn spreaders, Bluebird lawn maintenance equipment, and Ecolawn top dresser.

According to Todd Winstead, General Manager of Tidewater Power, "We are very excited to have landed such a top quality salesperson such as Anthony. On behalf of everyone at TPE, I would like to welcome Anthony to the Tidewater Power family."

Tidewater Power Equipment is one of the largest power equipment distributors in Virginia and has been distributing power equipment in Virginia, West Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Maryland, Delaware, and Tennessee since 1982. They proudly distribute the following brands: Hustler Turf, Maruyama, Honda Engines, Honda Power Equipment, Bluebird, Plugr, Prizelawn, Jacto, and Ecolawn. Visit the website at www.tpeco.com.

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