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**Speakman Company Appoints Blake Snow as Director of Sales, Commercial & Hospitality**

*New Castle, Del. January 9, 2012*— The Company that supplies showerheads to some of the most well known hotels has appointed Blake Snow as the new Director of Sales, Commercial & Hospitality.

Blake joins Speakman from Kohler Company where he served in many different capacities, including Regional Manager, Director of Marketing for Global Faucets and most recently as Director of Sales & Marketing for Mark David custom contract furniture. His background in plumbing & recent knowledge and experience with the hospitality market will be a key asset to Speakman Company.

Blake joins Speakman at an exciting time and will play a major part in the company's growth initiatives in commercial plumbing and residential shower and bath. His main focus will be further penetrating the hospitality market with the existing line of high-performing showerheads and the new bathroom collections including Neo & Rainier.

In 2011, Speakman introduced 30+ new showerhead products and is gearing up to launch and full suite of bathroom fixtures.

"I'm thrilled to be back in the plumbing industry and working with a company with such a strong brand identity...there is a plethora of opportunity in both hospitality and wholesale distribution and I can't wait to take our fair share!" said Snow.

To learn more about Speakman Company and their full line of shower and bath products please visit [www.speakmancompany.com](http://www.speakmancompany.com).

**About Speakman Company**

The Speakman Company was founded in 1869 as a plumbing pipefitting company. Retaining its independent and privately held status, Speakman has forged a reputation for continuous product innovation and quality leadership. Today Speakman continues to pioneer innovations that improve the quality of life for the global community. Speakman manufactures high quality commercial plumbing products, innovative emergency equipment and exceptional hospitality & residential showerheads. Speakman is registered to ISO 9001:2000, for more information on Speakman; please visit our web site at [www.speakmancompany.com](http://www.speakmancompany.com). ###