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CBA Elects New Board Members for 2009

Lexington, KY—February 18, 2009—Craig Bandoroff of Denali Stud; Kerry Cauthen of Four Star Sales; Mike Cline of Lane's End Farm; Pat Costello of Paramount Sales; Dermot Ryan of Ashford Stud and John Stuart of Bluegrass Thoroughbred Services Stud have been elected to the Board of the Consignors and Commercial Breeders Association (CBA).

The newly-elected board members will join Darrell Brown of Stonereath Farm; Neil Howard of Gainesway Farm; Robbie Lyons of Hartwell Farm; Martha Jane Mulholland of Mulholland Springs; Mark Taylor of Taylor Made Farm; Joe Seitz of Brookdale Farm and Rob Whiteley of Liberation Farm. The association holds elections each February for an alternating six and seven vacant seats on the thirteen-member board of directors.

The CBA is a trade organization with more than 275 members. The association's membership accounts for over 80% of the annual auction revenue in North America, as either breeder or consignor. The CBA works democratically on behalf of every consignor and commercial breeder, large and small, to provide representation and a constructive, unified voice related to sales issues, policies and procedures. The Association's initiatives are designed to encourage a fair and expanding marketplace for all who breed, buy or sell thoroughbreds.

The association was founded in 2005 and is based in Lexington, Kentucky. For more information, please visit www.consignorsandbreeders.com.