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**Mr. Michael Luning Appointed to Industrial Associate at
The Everest Group/TCN Worldwide**

CINCINNATI, OHIO, MAY, 2008 – The Everest Group/TCN Worldwide – one of the fastest growing commercial real estate service providers in the marketplace, announces the appointment of Mr. Michael Luning as an Industrial Sales Associate. His responsibilities will include the sale and leasing of industrial properties throughout the Greater Cincinnati area.

Previously, Mr. Luning worked at Fifth-Third Bank in Cincinnati as an Internal Wholesaler/Investment Advisor. While at Fifth-Third, he reviewed and generated financial models, provided investment analysis, presented investment solutions, and made recommendations of methods to improve credit positions. He also built and expanded relationships with current clients. Prior to working at Fifth-Third, Mike worked at The Everest Group as a Research Analyst.

Mike is a graduate of The Ohio State University, and holds a Bachelor of Science Degree in Business Administration. He also holds two National Association of Security Dealers licenses – Stockbroker (Series 7) and Investment Advisor (Series 66).

Adam Simon, Vice President/Partner, commented, “We are pleased to welcome Mike to our growing team of professionals at The Everest Group. He will be an invaluable asset to our clients who demand expert market analysis, and proven expertise, in order to make the most informed real estate decisions for their businesses.”

Mr. Luning can be reached directly at 513-769-2506 (office), or at 513-382-6548 (cellular). His e-mail address is mike.luning@everestrealstate.com.

The Everest Group, Inc. is a privately held employee owned Cincinnati based real estate brokerage firm formed in 1987. Everest specializes in the sale and leasing of office, retail, industrial and investment real estate in the Cincinnati/Northern Kentucky markets. The Everest Group provides personalized quality service to a select clientele.

TCN Worldwide, a consortium of independent commercial real estate firms, provides complete integrated real estate solutions locally and internationally. With approximately \$11 billion in annual transactions and nearly 80 million square feet of space under management, the organization ranks as one of the largest service providers in the industry. An extensive range of real estate services coupled with a personal commitment to exceed client expectations is what allows TCN Worldwide to be a leader within the commercial real estate industry. Formed in 1989, TCN Worldwide is comprised of 55 independent commercial real estate service firms in more than 210 markets worldwide with over 1,200 brokers and salespeople in both primary and secondary markets throughout the world.

For more information on The Everest Group/TCN Worldwide, contact its Cincinnati, Ohio Headquarters at (513) 769-2500 or visit their website at www.everestrealstate.com.