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Schaffner Announces Allied Electronics as 2008 Recipient of Annual Distributor of the Year Award

Edison, N.J. May 2008 – Schaffner EMC, a leading provider of EMI/RFI components and solutions for power quality, has named Allied Electronics as Distributor of the Year during the EDS trade show awards reception on May 6th in Las Vegas, NV. By analyzing point of sale (POS) data supplied by its distribution network, Schaffner determines the annual recipient based on an overall increase in sales as compared to the previous year.

Allied Electronics, a distributor of electronic components and electro-mechanical products, was awarded Distributor of the Year for its overall sales growth of 34% over last year's sales. In addition to receiving Distributor of the Year, Allied has also been Schaffner's fastest growing distributor for the past five years.

Scott McLendon, vice president of marketing & product management for Allied Electronics, notes, "It's an honor to be named Schaffner's distributor of the year, which is attributed to the effort put forth by both companies in order to provide exceptional service and top quality products to customers. We at Allied Electronics are very pleased with our progress with Schaffner and look forward to many years of accelerated growth."

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Established in 1928 and headquartered in Fort Worth, Texas, Allied Electronics was added to the Schaffner distribution network in 2003. The company represents Schaffner with 55 sales branches across the United States and Canada.

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EDITOR'S NOTE: Schaffner EMC Inc. is an international leader in electromagnetic compatibility and power quality. It offers the world's largest range of EMI components and EMC modules, which guarantee the smooth and efficient interaction of electric and electronic systems, as well as power magnetics, reactors and transformers. The company focuses on high-growth sectors such as the automotive industry, building automation,



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