



INTERNATIONAL HOUSEWARES REPRESENTATIVES ASSOCIATION

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Representative Membership Application

Application Date _____ Date of Company Inception _____

Company _____

Address _____

City / State / Zip / Country _____

Phone(s) (_____) _____ (_____) _____

Fax: (_____) _____ eMail _____

Cell: (_____) _____ Web _____

SPONSOR (if any): _____ COMPANY: _____

OWNER / OFFICER / CONTACT INFORMATION:

1. Name: _____ Title: _____

2. Name: _____ Title: _____

3. Name: _____ Title: _____

NUMBER OF FULL TIME EMPLOYEES: _____ (Sales _____; Office Staff _____)

ADDITIONAL FACILITIES (Please check all applicable):

- 1. Warehouse 2. Computerized Mailing/Reports 3. Collection & Credit 4. Demonstration Van 5. Showroom 6. Distributor 7. Service Dept. 8. Telemarketing 9. In-Store Merchandising Other: _____

SALES TERRITORY BY STATE / PARTIAL STATE (Please list alphabetically):

MANUFACTURERS REPRESENTED (minimum of two):

1. Company _____ Represented Since _____

Products _____ Contact Name _____

2. Company _____ Represented Since _____

Products _____ Contact Name _____

SALES THROUGH CHANNELS / CUSTOMER BASE:

- Wholesalers Specialty Stores Warehouse Clubs National Chains Dprtmnt Stores Hardware Stores Supermarkets/ Mail Order Home Centers Discount Stores Food Stores Home Furnishings & Variety Stores Drug Stores Catalog Show Rooms Appliance Stores

Other _____

■ CATEGORIES OF PRODUCTS REPRESENTED - OR - ABLE TO REPRESENT

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|---|---|--|
| Albums & Scrapbooks..... <input type="checkbox"/> | Health & Beauty..... <input type="checkbox"/> | School Supplies..... <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Bath & Shower..... <input type="checkbox"/> | Holiday..... <input type="checkbox"/> | Sewing <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Books..... <input type="checkbox"/> | Home Décor <input type="checkbox"/> | Small Electrics <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Candy & Snacks..... <input type="checkbox"/> | Housewares..... <input type="checkbox"/> | Space/Garage Organizers..... <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Cleaning Products <input type="checkbox"/> | Juvenile <input type="checkbox"/> | Sporting Goods..... <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Closet & Storage <input type="checkbox"/> | Kitchen & Frig Storage <input type="checkbox"/> | Stationery <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Clothing Care..... <input type="checkbox"/> | Laundry..... <input type="checkbox"/> | Table Top <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Consumer Electronics <input type="checkbox"/> | Lawn & Garden..... <input type="checkbox"/> | Textiles..... <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Cookware & Bakeware <input type="checkbox"/> | Lighting & Electrical <input type="checkbox"/> | Toys <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Floor & Carpet Care <input type="checkbox"/> | Major Appliances <input type="checkbox"/> | Water Filters / Coolers <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Food (except Gourmet) <input type="checkbox"/> | Medical <input type="checkbox"/> | OTHER: |
| Frames & Artwork..... <input type="checkbox"/> | Office <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| Furniture <input type="checkbox"/> | Outdoor Living <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| Gadgets <input type="checkbox"/> | Party Goods..... <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| General Merchandise <input type="checkbox"/> | Personal Care..... <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| Giftware <input type="checkbox"/> | Pet <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| Gourmet Food & Products..... <input type="checkbox"/> | Photo <input type="checkbox"/> | |
| Hardware <input type="checkbox"/> | Safety & Security <input type="checkbox"/> | |

■ CODE OF ETHICS

The International Housewares Representatives Association is a trade association of manufacturers' representatives in the home, housewares, gourmet and hardware industries organized to:

Promote, protect and improve the multiple-line representative function and provide benefits and services to its members. Create and foster a spirit of mutual respect and esteem among members and others within the industry and other industries; and educate the industry and other industries as to the advantages of doing business through manufacturers' representatives.

In furtherance of these objectives, the Association develops and participates in programs and activities for manufacturers' representatives designed to elevate ethical standards, improve business operations and provide more efficient service to principals, customers and the industry. To implement these goals, the members of IHRA are expected to:

- Represent only those lines that they can effectively market and sell.
- Maintain a fiscally stable firm.
- Operate a well managed firm.
- Never degrade, malign or make false representations of a fellow representative.

Our company agrees to uphold this Code of Ethics.

■ **Date** _____ **Signature** _____
 (Applicant Owner or Officer & Title)

■ DUES

~~Dues are \$245 per year.~~ **SPECIAL PROMOTION FOR FIRST-TIME MEMBERS: \$122.50 pays your dues through the end of 2008 and all of 2009!** Your check, payable to IHRA, should accompany this application - or - charge to: AMEX VISA MasterCard

_____ Exp. Date _____

Billing Address _____

Name on Card _____

Signature _____