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## **PATIO RENAISSANCE BY SUNLORD LEISURE PRODUCTS RELOCATES AND EXPANDS SHOWROOM AT THE CHICAGO MERCHANDISE MART**

CHICAGO, IL (July 29, 2010) – Patio Renaissance by Sunlord Leisure Products, a casual furniture manufacturer, is relocating and expanding its showroom space on the 16<sup>th</sup> floor. Patio Renaissance's newly relocated and expanded showroom will be open just in time for the July ICFA Preview Show and September International Casual Furniture & Accessories Market™.

"This will be our second season at The Merchandise Mart and we have been very happy with the traffic that our showroom has received," said Mike Anzelde, national sales, Patio Renaissance by Sunlord Leisure Products. "Our newly expanded space will feature new products that have already drawn quite a bit of attention during the July ICFA Preview Show."

Patio Renaissance was founded in 1992, and for over a decade has dedicated its production of fine furniture to be the "Renaissance of the American family" and families from all over the world. Products include weather wicker furniture, cast aluminum furniture, tubular aluminum furniture and stainless steel furniture for both residential and commercial applications. New offerings from Patio Renaissance include, Catalina and Naples.

Due to increased consumer demand for outdoor rooms and casual furnishings and accessories, MMPI has been expanding its casual industry at The Merchandise Mart. The expansion includes adding several new resources and many current tenants expanding in order to increase their space to showcase more collections. Patio Renaissance is one of several exciting expansions happening in 2010.

Patio Renaissance's relocated and expanded showroom is located in Suite 16-108. The showroom will continue to reach the design trade and their clients shopping the Merchandise Mart on a daily basis. Patio Renaissance will also continue to be a part of the International Casual Furniture & Accessories Market™ on September 21-24 2010. For more information about Patio Renaissance and its products please visit [www.patiorenaissance.com](http://www.patiorenaissance.com).

For more information on the Chicago Merchandise Mart and its showrooms, please visit <http://www.mmart.com/>.

### **SHOW INFORMATION**

The International Casual Furniture & Accessories Market™

The Merchandise Mart, Chicago, IL  
Tuesday, September 21– Friday, September 24, 2010

**Permanent Showrooms: Floors 15, 16, 17**

Tuesday-Thursday, September 21-23, 8:30 a.m.-6 p.m.  
Friday, September 24, 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m.

**Temporary Exhibitors**

Tuesday – Thursday, September 21-23, 9 a.m.-6 p.m.  
Friday, September 24, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.

For more information, please visit [www.casualmarket.com](http://www.casualmarket.com).

**Patio Renaissance** was founded in 1992, and for over a decade Patio Renaissance has dedicated its production of fine furniture to be the “Renaissance of the American family” and families from all over the world. Products include weather wicker furniture, cast aluminum furniture, tubular aluminum furniture and stainless steel furniture for both residential and commercial applications. With a staff of 1400 employees and production sites at half a million square feet, we have successfully brought the dream of a model home come true to many outdoor life lovers. Our delicate designs with affordable prices have won the hearts of dealers and home owners all over the country. Patio Renaissance is pledged to provide the best quality products and services to customers and continue our work of innovation to develop new designs every year for your utmost profit and enjoyment.

**The International Casual Furniture & Accessories Market** is a four-day trade show that provides retailers with an outlet to find all things related to outdoor and casual living. Featuring the latest products and trends in the industry, the Casual Market averages approximately 350 temporary exhibitors and permanent showrooms totaling approximately 350,000 square feet of overall exhibit in The Merchandise Mart.

**MMPI** is a trade show and property management firm, specializing in managing buildings devoted to wholesale showrooms and commercial office space. MMPI produces more than 300 trade shows, market events and conferences each year.

MMPI manages The Merchandise Mart and 350 West Mart Center in Chicago; Market Square, the Suites at Market Square, Hamilton Market, Plaza Suites, Furniture Plaza and the National Furniture Mart in High Point, N.C.; the Architects & Designers Building and 7 W New York in New York; the Boston Design Center in Boston; the L.A. Mart in Los Angeles; and the Washington Design Center in Washington D.C.

**Vornado Realty Trust**, owners of MMPI, based in New York City, is a fully integrated equity real estate investment trust. Vornado's common shares are listed on the New York Stock Exchange and are traded under the symbol VNO.

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