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## Champion Enterprises Q3 2007 Earnings Call Transcript

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Champion Enterprises (CHB)

Q3 2007 Earnings Call

October 17, 2007 11:00 am ET

#### Executives

Laurie Van Raemdonck - IR

Phyllis Knight - CFO and Treasurer

Bill Griffiths - Chairman, President and CEO

#### Presentation

#### Operator

Good morning, and welcome to Champion Enterprises third quarter 2007 conference call. All participants will be in a listen only mode until the question and answer session of the call. This call is being recorded at the request of Champion Enterprises.

If anyone has any objections, you may disconnect at this time.

I would now like to turn the call over to Laurie Van Raemdonck, Vice President of Investor Relations. Laurie, you may proceed.

#### Laurie Van Raemdonck

Thank you, and welcome to Champion's third quarter 2007 conference call. Yesterday, the company issued its press release with the results for the quarter ended September 29, 2007. A copy of the release is available on our web site at [www.championhomes.com](http://www.championhomes.com) and on many financial web sites.

A telephone replay of the call will be available approximately one hour after the conclusion of this call and through October 31, 2007.

Replay information is available in our press release and will be provided at the end of the call. A web cast replay will be available on our web site for 90 days.

This morning we are joined by Bill Griffiths, Chairman, President and CEO; and Phyllis Knight, Executive Vice President and CFO. They will make some initial remarks regarding our results and current business trends, and then open the call for questions.

Also, as a reminder, comments made by the company during this conference call may contain forward-looking statements that involve risks and uncertainties. Listeners are cautioned that these statements are only predictions and may differ materially from actual future events or results.

Please refer to the documents filed by Champion with the SEC including, without limitation, its reports on Forms 10-K and 10-Q, which identify important risk factors that could cause actual results to differ from those contained in the forward-looking statements, including statements regarding potential changes to the company's capital structure, business strategies, financial projections, backlogs, operational improvement initiative, order rates, industry projections and commercial modular opportunities.

All forward-looking statements are based on information available to Champion today, and the company assumes no obligation to update such statements.

With that said, I would like to turn the call over to Phyllis Knight. Phyllis.

**Phyllis Knight**

Thank you, Laurie. Good morning and welcome to our third quarter conference call. To begin, I'll review our financial results in detail. Bill will then follow, with comments on our results, market conditions and strategy. Then we'll open the call to questions.

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