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## Red is the New Green: PECO Pallet Named Green 75 Supply Chain Partner

June 23, 2015 (Irvington, NY): In recognition of PECO Pallet's ongoing commitment to environmental sustainability, the pallet pooling company was recently named a Green 75 Supply Chain Partner by *Inbound Logistics* magazine. PECO is profiled in the special June 2015 "Lean and Green" issue as one of the top 75 companies in supply chain sustainability.

As the North American leader in pallet rental services, PECO Pallet provides high-quality wood pallets for grocery and consumer goods manufacturers throughout the U.S., Canada, and Mexico. PECO's sturdy block pallets are built from responsibly forested timber and are constantly reused, repaired, and recycled. Companies who utilize PECO's pooled pallets can eliminate the waste, inefficiency, and safety problems associated with single-use or low-quality pallets.

PECO offers a number of benefits to customers looking for more sustainable shipping solutions and long-term cost savings. PECO inspects, cleans, and repairs pallets every time they cycle through a depot to ensure that customers consistently receive high-quality pallets that work smoothly in automated production lines. Block pallets offer exceptional structural rigidity, reducing the need for customer-supplied slip sheets or excess packaging to maintain product integrity. PECO's true 4-way block pallets can also be stacked and transported more efficiently than conventional notched stringer pallets, which cuts down on fuel costs and emissions.

Adrian Potgieter, PECO Pallet's Senior Vice President of Sales, said, "PECO Pallet is proud to be named to the G75 list for the fourth year in a row. Environmental sustainability truly is at the very heart of our company, and we provide simply the best quality and service in the industry today. We encourage customers who want to 'go green' to switch to red, so they can enjoy the benefits of a more sustainable shipping solution as well as long-term TCO savings throughout the supply chain."

*Inbound Logistics'* G75 Green Supply Chain Partners highlights sustainability leaders in the logistics and transportation sector. The editors evaluate companies based on their corporate sustainability initiatives, collaborative customer-driven projects, and participation in public-private partnerships. According to Editor Felecia Stratton, "The 2015 honorees are truly 'walking the walk' when it comes to commitment to supply chain sustainability."



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## About PECO Pallet:

PECO Pallet is the North American leader in pallet rental services and provides millions of its red block pallets to major grocery and consumer goods manufacturers throughout the U.S., Canada, and Mexico. PECO Pallet's tremendous growth over the last decade reflects the company's overall commitment to exceptional quality and customer service. PECO is headquartered in Irvington, New York and maintains over 1,300 service centers and manufacturing plants throughout North America. For more information about PECO Pallet, visit <u>www.pecopallet.com</u>.

## About Inbound Logistics:

Since its inception in 1981, *Inbound Logistics'* educational mission is to illustrate the benefits of demand-driven logistics practices, give companies the knowledge to help them match the inbound flow of materials to their demand, and align their business process to support that shift. Inbound Logistics offers real-world examples and decision support to guide businesses to efficiently manage logistics, reduce and speed inventory, and offset rising transport costs, supporting business scalability across their value chain. More information about demand-driven logistics practices is available at **www.inboundlogistics.com**.