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**INTRODUCING TEN, A NEW LOOK FROM HIGHMARK
DESIGNED FRANCISCO ROMERO OF PHIDESIGN**

HUNTINGTON BEACH, CA, October 5, 2006 – Rounding out its 2006 introductions, HighMark presents Ten, a stylish guest stacking chair from contract designer Frank Romero's firm Phidesign.

Designed primarily as a plastic guest chair, Ten easily transforms into a task/training chair, a side chair, or a pull-up chair. Options include an arm and armless version, casters or glides, and an upholstered seat. The smartly designed seat scoop functions equally well in molded plastic or upholstery. A complementary molded plastic, supportive back shell helps Ten deliver a comfortable sit like no other. The steel tubular frame features a powder-coated black or silver finish; the legs are capped with molded plastic gliders or casters. The arms are injected polypropylene, a highly durable substance. The chair can stack from 6 to 8 units high.

"Ten was a terrific collaboration with Francisco," says Chuck Loeb, President of HighMark. "We were able to design a stylish, fun chair that exceeds the user's expectations of a simple guest chair. This chair can work in a variety of environments and provides exceptional value with great design."

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