



For Immediate Release

TDK Contact in U.S.:

Sara Reynoso
TDK Corporation of America
Tel: 972-409-4519
E-mail: sreynoso@tdktca.com

TDK Corporation Awarded Delphi's 2009 Pinnacle Award

Mount Prospect, IL, March 20, 2009—**TDK Corporation**, a leader in the electronic components industry, announced today that its Foshan Nanhai Pingzhou Electronic facility has been awarded Delphi's 2009 Pinnacle Award. The facility, located in China, is the manufacturing site for TDK's Power Inductors. The Delphi Pinnacle Award recognizes a premier group of Delphi suppliers for their commitment to and achievement of Quality, Value and Cost Performance.

As a recipient of the Delphi Pinnacle Award, TDK has met or exceeded award requirements:

- Supplier for at least one year
- Green 12 month average quality score on the Delphi Supplier Scorecard
- Zero Major Disruptions, zero Repeat Problems, and single digit PPM
- Zero Customer Impacts for quality
- Zero parts on Controlled Shipping
- Green indicator for ISO/TS16949 certification on the compliance section of the Delphi Supplier Scorecard
- Registered for the Problem Solver system and have an active supplier receiver
- Greater than five parts or greater than US \$500K Annual Purchase Value
- Meets category savings objectives; no commercial issues
- Meets requirements as identified in the Delphi customer specific requirements
- Supports Delphi position on social responsibility
- Acceptable warranty performance
- Acceptable delivery performance and no ship threats

2 – TDK Receives 2009 Delphi Pinnacle Award – 2

“TDK is very proud to achieve our 3rd Pinnacle Award. To be recognized for our quality and support by Delphi emphasizes the importance of our 30 year partnership,” said Jon Nelson, President, TDK Corporation of America. “During this challenging time in our industry, we will continue to work together to provide the same quality excellence and improve our processes for the mutual benefit of both companies.” TDK received its first two Pinnacle Awards from Delphi in 2005.

About Delphi:

Delphi is a leading global supplier of mobile electronics and transportation systems, including powertrain, safety, steering, thermal, and controls & security systems, electrical/electronic architecture, and in-car entertainment technologies. Engineered to meet and exceed the rigorous standards of the automotive industry, Delphi technology is also found in computing, communications, consumer accessories, energy and medical applications. Headquartered in Troy, Mich., Delphi has approximately 146,600 employees and operates 150 wholly owned manufacturing sites in 34 countries with sales of \$18.1 billion in 2008. Delphi can be found on the Internet at www.delphi.com.

About TDK:

TDK Corporation (NYSE: TDK), a leading global electronics company based in Japan, employs over 51,000 people worldwide. The company was established in 1935 to commercialize "ferrite," a key material in electronics and magnetics. TDK's current product line includes ferrite materials, electronic components, factory automation solutions, anechoic chambers & test systems, magnetic heads for hard disk drives (HDD) and power supplies. Net sales in FY08 were US\$8.7 billion. For more information on TDK products visit our website at www.TDK.com.

###