

Todd Perkins joined **Van Waters & Rogers** Professional Products & Services business unit as a turf and landscape specialist. Lyn Hitt is manager for the South Central district.

American Cyanamid Company named Rich Kalik national accounts manager and Joseph Visaggio marketing manager for the professional turf and ornamental products.

Aquatrols Corp. promoted Demie Moore to director of marketing/liaison, Jennifer Wuilfe to customer services representative and Lé Mon Steward to assistant production manager. Newly hired: John Wilson, territory manager for Pacific Northwest and Western Canada; David Neff, corporate information systems manager; and Carolyn Moore,

sales/marketing administrative assistant/project coordinator.

Becker-Underwood Inc. hired Dr. Larry Butler to research new product developments for seed germination



Dr. Larry Butler



Cozette Hadley-Rosberg

and plant growth stimulation, and promoted Cozette Hadley-Rosberg to vice president of sales and marketing.

Rohm & Haas has received a label expansion for its Eagle® fungicide, now approved for use on pink snow mold.

Hunter Industries named Tom de Cavalcanti district sales manager for southeastern FL and the Caribbean; Steve Harrison district sales manager for southeastern FL and Atlanta, GA; David Evers district sales manager for the mid-Atlantic states; and Dave Peters district sales manager for metropolitan NY, Long Island and NJ.

Great Dane broke ground in Jeffersonville, IN, for a new factory. The first construction phase, which is expected to be occupied by December, will



Dane Scag and Rick Cudahy

construct 70,000 sq. ft. for assembly, R&D and warehousing.

Encore Manufacturing's third addition to its production facility in 10 years adds another 25% to the facility.

John Deere received two awards for innovative design of its 200 series skid steers. The Industrial Designers Society of America awarded a Silver IDEA99 for its "distinctive appearance and obvious attention to performance, safety and efficiency." The American Society of Agricultural Engineers awarded Deere with a 1999 AE50 award for outstanding innovations in product technology.

Jeff Wadhum has joined **LasTec Products** as regional sales manager for the Midwest.

Monterey Chemical Co. received approval for an expanded label for Kaligreen, for control of powdery mildew. The new label now includes ornamentals, roses and turf.

Steve Yoltiz, vice president - marketing at **Textron Turf Care and Specialty Products** is now responsible for business development while Peter Whurr has been promoted to vice president — product management.

Thomas Bros. Grass, Milberger Turfgrass, Elsberry Greenhouse and C&D Turfgrass have merged into **Turfgrass America Inc.** The Granbury, TX, firm has 10 farms and nine South-east wholesale/retail outlets.

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