

Attn: Trading and Market Making / Legal and Compliance / Operations / Systems
UNIFORM PRACTICE CODE ADVISORY (UPC # 026-2009) August 21, 2009
Caraustar Industries, Inc. – Common Stock (OTC: CSARQ)

Notice has been received that the above Company's Joint Plan of Reorganization (Plan) filed under Chapter XI of the Federal Bankruptcy Code, became effective on August 20, 2009. According to the Plan, Each Holder of a Caraustar Equity Interest shall have its Interest cancelled, annulled and extinguished on the Effective Date. Each Holder of a Caraustar Equity Interest shall receive its Pro Rata share of \$2,900,000 in Cash in consideration of the cancellation of its Caraustar Equity Interest, provided that no official committee of equity security holders is appointed in these cases. In the event that an official committee of equity security holders is appointed in these cases, then Holders of Caraustar Equity Interests shall receive no distribution under this Plan.

Members are reminded of their obligations under NASD Conduct Rule 2310 if they continue to engage in transactions in the above security after the effective date.

Members are further advised that deliveries in settlement of contracts in the **OLD** securities, which were executed prior to the announcement that the securities had been deemed worthless, shall be evidenced by either a) the **OLD** security; or b) a *Letter of Indemnity* which shall grant the purchaser any rights and privileges which might accrue to the holders of the physical securities. Such deliveries shall operate to close-out the contract and shall be settled at the existing contract price pursuant to Uniform Practice Code Rule 11530.

Questions regarding this notice should be directed to: FINRA Operations, 866.776.0800.