



## H.J. Baker & Bro., LLC Appoints Tim Puglielli as Chief Financial Officer

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**Shelton, CT, January 23, 2018** – H.J. Baker & Bro., a global manufacturer and supplier in the animal health and nutrition and sulphur industries, today announced the appointment of Tim Puglielli as Chief Financial Officer (CFO). Puglielli brings extensive finance and business leadership experience in global manufacturing to H.J. Baker.

“As global demand for food increases, it is essential that H.J. Baker continues to lead the industry in innovations in animal health and nutrition products that improve both the availability and quality of food. With Tim, we have a proven leader with deep manufacturing knowledge and first-hand experience supporting company growth through global product innovation, acquisition and partnerships,” said Christopher Smith, CEO of H.J. Baker & Bro. “H.J. Baker is proud to have him join our executive team to accelerate our ability to innovate our products and provide quality services to our growing global customer base.”

Most recently, Puglielli was CFO of PAS Technologies, where he led the initiatives to significantly improve business processes and, leveraging his lean manufacturing background, to optimize production resulting in major business performance improvements.

“I am pleased to be joining H.J. Baker as CFO,” Puglielli said. “With a long history of success to build upon, I am looking forward to being a part of the company’s future.”

Puglielli also spent 33 years at Pratt & Whitney where he served the company in positions of increasing responsibility and including leadership positions as general manager, controller, financial manager, business unit controller, and senior financial analyst. From 1999-2011 he served as CFO for Pratt & Whitney’s Global Service Partners - Component Repair and as CFO for Pratt & Whitney’s Global Engine Overhaul Centers before to being promoted to General Manager for the company’s East Hartford Connecticut, Aftermarket division. Mr. Puglielli earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Accounting from Post University and a Master of Business Administration from the University of Connecticut.

### **About H.J. Baker**

H.J. Baker is committed to adding value to the products and services it provides as a global manufacturer and supplier in the animal health and nutrition and sulphur industries. Family owned since 1850, H.J. Baker builds trusting relationships that last decades. The company invests in ongoing research, product innovation and manufacturing excellence so that our customers have the best opportunity to succeed. H.J. Baker supports environmentally sustainable practices and our dedicated employees are active in the communities where they live and work. H.J. Baker & Bro., is headquartered in Shelton, Connecticut.

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