

# NEWS RELEASE

**Dollar Bay, Michigan, March 29, 2004** — Horner Flooring's Pro-King Portable basketball floor will once again be center stage for this year's NCAA Final Four tournament held on April 3<sup>rd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> in the Alamodome in San Antonio, TX. This year's Final Four tournament will find Georgia Tech tipping off against Oklahoma State and Duke playing Connecticut. The Horner Pro-King continues its two decade dominance as the preferred floor of choice for the premier championship tournament in collegiate basketball...truly earning itself the moniker of Final Floor.

"My family and I come to this event every year; it's one of our traditions that we wouldn't miss for the world. It is remarkably humbling to look on the court, see these absolutely tremendous athletes, and know this great championship is played on one of Horner's floors. I know this will sound somewhat clichéd, but it truly is an honor for our company and its employees. It is not something we take lightly or for granted," said Douglas J. Hamar, Horner's President. Horner's Pro-King portable floor has been the preferred floor of choice for the NCAA Final Four and NBA All-Star games since 1983.

For more information on the Pro-King portable floor please feel free to contact Bill Gappy, Sales Manager - Portables, at [bgappy@hornerflooring.com](mailto:bgappy@hornerflooring.com). To address any questions about Horner's complete line of sports flooring products please contact Lew Bosco, Sales Manager, at [lbosco@hornerflooring.com](mailto:lbosco@hornerflooring.com) and one of Horner's service professionals will be pleased to provide assistance.

Horner Flooring Company, founded in 1891, is a charter member of the Maple Flooring Manufacturers Association (MFMA), and is the industry's oldest name in hardwood sports flooring -- a name that exemplifies the phrase "tradition of excellence." Horner, the proud provider of the NBA All-Star and NCAA Final Four Floors since 1983, supplies top-quality, affordable sports flooring systems to schools, colleges, universities, sports organizations, and private clubs throughout the world.

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