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**TEKNION TAKES FOUR DESIGN AWARDS
AT IIDEX/NEOCON CANADA 2011**

*Dossier executive furniture, Expansion Casegoods, AL3 executive
task chair and booth receive awards*

September 23, 2011 – Teknion Corporation today announced that it collected three Silver awards and one Bronze at IIDEX/NeoCon Canada, which runs September 22-23 at The Direct Energy Centre in Toronto. Three new workplace furnishings products won Innovation Awards – the Dossier line of executive furniture, AL3 Synchro-Tilt Executive Task Chair and Expansion Casegoods. Dossier and AL3 earned Silver awards and Expansion Casegoods a Bronze. Teknion’s booth, created by Vanderbyl Design, received a Silver Award in the 800-square-foot-plus category.

“The 2011 Innovation Awards have put the spotlight on some truly visionary product designs. Each new product honored by this awards program will ultimately help their companies differentiate themselves from the competition on the marketplace,” said Donna Assaly, President, Interior Designers of Canada.

“The IIDEX/NeoCon Canada Innovation Awards always bring the latest in North American design excellence to the forefront, so it’s an honor to be recognized by the judges amidst the outstanding competition at this year’s show,” said Scott Deugo, Chief Sales and Sustainability Officer.

Dossier is a line of executive furniture characterized by clean, modern design and high-quality materials and construction. It is designed to reflect today’s changing functions and preferences while staying relevant to traditional norms. Though it is furniture for one of the most conservative parts of the workplace, Dossier is a response to new thinking and a new image for the private office.

Designed by Girsberger, the nucleus of AL3 Synchro-Tilt Executive Task Chair is the revolutionary vertical mechanism discreetly hidden from view in the chair column. The result – a truly unique office chair that exudes elegance and lightness from any viewing angle, and that offers all important ergonomic functions – synchronous motion, height adjustment and tension adjustment – in an easy-to-use fashion.

Redesigned and with new enhancements, Expansion Casegoods brings a refined design aesthetic to today’s private office. It is one of the most extensive laminate casegoods offerings on the market, striking a perfect balance between price, functionality and

contemporary aesthetics. Expansion Casegoods creates efficient, highly functional workstations.

Organized by Interior Designers of Canada, the annual Innovation Awards recognize the best of North American product design from leading manufacturers and suppliers within the fields of interior design and architecture. This year, 51 products were recognized for their innovative designs, including nine Gold, 21 Silver and 21 Bronze. Thirty-eight judges from the interior design and architecture communities determined the winning products based on their technical creativity and design ingenuity.

Teknion Corporation is a leading international designer, manufacturer and marketer of office systems and related office furniture products. Teknion headquarters are located in Toronto, Ontario. The company has offices and facilities in Canada, the United States, the United Kingdom, India, Russia and Malaysia, and serves clients through a network of authorized dealers worldwide. Visit Teknion at www.teknion.com.

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