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Jungle Laboratories Corp. adds dog, cat and small animal products to its established fish, pond and aquarium specialty manufacturing

Company to hold Job Fair on Saturday, March 31 from 10 a.m. – noon to showcase new employment opportunities

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Cibolo, Texas...3/20/07...Jungle Laboratories Corp., a 50-year old specialty manufacturer of aquarium, fish and pond chemistry products with headquarters in Schneider Industrial Park tripled its workforce over the last year as a result of the company being purchased by United Pet Group (UPG) 17 months ago and adding companion animal goods to its once exclusive line of aquarium, fish and pond products.

Pet business is big business according to American Pet Products Manufacturers Association (APPMA), as in 2006 an estimated \$38 billion dollars was spent in the pet industry by consumers and approximately 63 percent of all households in America own a pet. Jungle Labs also manufactures products for ponds and fountains, currently a \$1.75 billion hobby.

The once private company of 65 employees has tripled its workforce in the last year and is now seeking qualified applicants to assist in packing the more than 400 products the company manufactures. Specifically, Jungle Labs needs 30 additional packers to fill its day and night shift production responsibilities.

To showcase the corporate culture and job opportunities at Jungle Labs, the company is holding a **Job Fair** in conjunction with Hawkins Personnel on **Saturday, March 31** from **10 a.m. – noon** at the company's manufacturing facility located at 120 Industrial Drive, Cibolo, Texas 78108, in Schneider Industrial Park.

Sign-on bonuses will be granted to those who apply and are hired during the job fair; the \$250 bonus will be given after completing 90 days of employment.

Jungle Labs, though a fairly small company, offers comprehensive and progressive benefits like that of a larger organization. Employees receive full medical and dental, life insurance, Accidental Death & Dismemberment, tuition reimbursement for basic and advanced educational opportunities, 401K plan, a pool of time-off days that are comprised of sick leave and vacation days that equate to three weeks of paid time-off after one year of service, a scholarship program for children of employees, in addition to other creative and employee-focused programs.

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The company requests proof of identify and documents related to eligibility to work in the United States. Criminal background checks and drug screening will be required of all applicants.

For employment-related information about Jungle Labs, please contact Cecilia Bronaugh; contact Lucinda Vela-Wick at 210-658-3503 ext. 154 for any other information or visit the company's website at www.junglelabs.com.

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