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Clark Associates, Inc. Lands on CPBJ's Top 50 Fastest Growing Companies List for 9th Consecutive Year

(Lancaster, PA) – Clark Associates, Inc. landed on the *Central Penn Business Journal's* "Top 50 Fastest Growing Companies" list in central Pennsylvania for the 9th consecutive year. This year it ranked in 5th place.

This most recent accolade is one among many for the company. For example, the industry magazine *Foodservice Equipment & Supplies* ranked Clark Associates as the second largest foodservice equipment and supplies dealer in the country for 2017. Likewise, another industry publication, *Foodservice Equipment Reports*, recognized the company with its Management Excellence award.

Clark Associates has continued to renovate existing buildings and acquire additional facilities to improve the logistical side of its business as it simultaneously continues hiring more team members. Recently it has opened a 350,000 sq. ft. distribution center in Durant, OK, and a 236,000 sq. ft. facility near the port of Baltimore. With nearly 50 private label brands, the company also continues to expand and promote its own lines of products.

The *Central Penn Business Journal's* Top 50 Fastest Growing Companies identifies the region's most dynamic companies that make significant contributions to the strength of the mid-state's economy. Nominated companies are ranked according to revenue growth over a three-year period, with both dollar and percentage increases taken into consideration. This ranking formula leads to recognition of both large and small companies.

About Clark Associates:

Clark Associates is a privately held company headquartered in Lancaster, Pa. and has been recognized as one of Central Pa's fastest growing companies as well as Foodservice Equipment & Supplies magazine's 2015 Dealer of the Year. Employing over 1800 people, Clark's multiple divisions and branches in mechanical, sales, and manufacturing serve a variety of commercial food service customers nationwide. For more information on our business and history, please visit www.clarkinc.biz.

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