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**DBO², STANDARD PACIFIC EARN PRESTIGIOUS
CONSTRUCTECH VISION AWARD AT NATIONAL TECHNOLOGY CONFERENCE**

REDWOOD CITY, CALIF. – The Northern California East Bay division of Standard Pacific Homes, based in Pleasanton, Calif., and DBO², based in Redwood City, Calif., were recently awarded a national Vision Award for innovative technology at the 2007 *Constructech* Vision Awards program held in Chicago. The annual Vision Awards honor companies that have applied innovative technologies to improve their everyday work world and attain their business goals.

Standard Pacific, one of the nation's largest homebuilders, partnered with DBO² in May 2006 to achieve the highest levels of quality at Standard Pacific's residential communities in Northern California. Using DBO²'s QualityNet software service, individual users record their site observations using handheld mobile devices. Handheld observations are then communicated electronically to subcontractors, quality control supervisors and others responsible for taking preventive or corrective actions.

According to Sean Webber, project superintendent for Standard Pacific, "QualityNet provides a consistent, convenient system for monitoring construction quality on job sites. It's easy to use and helps us stay on track with tight schedules. Because our observations are easily recorded on a digital system,

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we can quickly transmit information and requests to our subcontractors so that construction issues are resolved as soon as possible. It has been a huge help in managing our quality control program at each of our projects, and definitely represents next generation thinking.”

Webber added that Standard Pacific recently expanded usage of DBO²'s QualityNet program to its Orange County division, with other divisions reviewing the program as well.

“We are thrilled to share in this award with Standard Pacific and to be recognized once more by *Constructech* magazine as a leader in providing innovative and valuable solutions,” said Barry Nelson, president and chief executive officer of DBO².

DBO² was founded in October 2001 and has emerged as the clear leader in measuring human error and its consequence in the workplace. With more than 25 million observations, DBO² has the largest repository of workplace behaviors and conditions in the world.

DBO²'s SafetyNet, QualityNet and ProductivityNet software services are currently used on a daily basis at more than 7,000 worksites for some of the world's largest companies. DBO²'s technology and services enable customers in construction, energy, manufacturing, mining, insurance and other industries that are at a high risk for catastrophic loss to predict and prevent worker injuries and improve quality and productivity.

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