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**Sport Court® Provides 40 Playing Surfaces for USA Adult Open Volleyball Championships: 20<sup>th</sup> Year As A Partner For The Games**

Minneapolis, Minnesota (PRWeb) May 22, 2009—When the USA Adult Open Volleyball Championships open on Saturday, May 23, Sport Court® will be providing the playing surfaces for the 20<sup>th</sup> year of the event. The games run through May 30.

Sport Court is providing 40 full-sized playing courts of its Response™ surface, the equivalent of 135,000 square feet. Nearly a quarter of a million Response tiles will be set in place in the Minneapolis Convention Center, where men and women volleyball players from throughout the world will gather for the event. Sport Court is the official supplier of playing surfaces for USA Volleyball.

Bill Kauffman, USA Volleyball Spokesman, said about 5000 individuals and 480 teams will take part. Some will be coming from as far away as Brazil, Venezuela and Canada, as well as virtually every state within the U.S.

There are 29 playing categories for both men and women, starting with Men's and Women's Open and going to Women's Age 70 and over and Men's age 75 and over. The Division with most teams will be Women's A, with 54 teams. Men's A will have 51 teams. Interestingly, the Women's 50 and over will have two Brazilian and one Canadian team in the competition, said Kauffman. For more information go to <http://volleyball.teamusa.org/event/event/574>

“It's truly gratifying that men and women—some of them 70 years and older—can play on our Response surface with a system engineered to provide the utmost safety in a playing court,” said Ron Cerny, President and CEO of Connor Sport Court International. [www.connorsportcourt.com](http://www.connorsportcourt.com).

“Our Response playing surface is a state-of-the-art engineered polymer surface, which has Lateral Forgiveness™ for player safety while at the same time providing the resiliency needed in this fast-moving sport,” Cerny said. “Our engineers have constantly developed and improved this court system to make it the indisputable choice for volleyball players the world over.”

### **About Connor Sport Court International**

More athletic events are played on Connor Sport Court surfaces than on any other sports flooring in the world. Connor sports floors have established themselves as the standard for professional and collegiate sports since the company was founded in 1872. Sport Court® is a registered trade mark of Connor Sport Court International. Since 1974, it has identified the original and authentic modular sport surface, continuously improved and patented to provide the highest levels of quality and performance.

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