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***CONSOLIDATED CARPET TEAMS UP WITH METS TO FIGHT LEUKEMIA & LYMPHOMA:
NEW METS PARTNER SIGNS ON FOR FINAL SEASON AT SHEA AND
ANNUAL WELCOME HOME DINNER***

FLUSHING, N.Y., April 1, 2008 – The **New York Mets** today announced that **Consolidated Carpet** – the nation’s premiere full service flooring and carpet contractor – has signed on with the Mets as a sponsor for the 2008 final historic season at Shea Stadium and into Citi Field, the new Mets ballpark. On Tuesday, April 8 the Welcome Home Dinner for the New York Mets will be sponsored by Consolidated Carpet, following the final home opener at Shea Stadium and benefits The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society in raising funds and awareness for a cure.

The annual event, which officially welcomes the team back to New York, is attended by the entire organization, including players, coaches and front office staff. Emceed by Gary Cohen and Ron Darling of SNY last season’s dinner raised a record \$700,000 for The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society through raffles, and a silent auction.

About The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society – NYC Chapter

The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society®, headquartered in White Plains, NY, with 68 chapters in the United States and Canada, is the world’s largest voluntary health organization dedicated to funding blood cancer research and providing education and patient services. The Society’s mission: Cure leukemia, lymphoma, Hodgkin’s disease and myeloma, and improve the quality of life of patients and their families. Since its founding in 1949, the Society has invested more than \$550 million in research specifically targeting leukemia, lymphoma and myeloma. Last year alone, the Society made 5.1 million contacts with patients, caregivers and healthcare professionals.

For more information about blood cancer, visit www.LLS.org/nyc or call the Society’s Information Resource Center at (800) 955-4572, Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. EST.

ABOUT CONSOLIDATED CARPET: A NATIONAL LEADER WITH A TRADITION OF SERVICE

Consolidated Carpet is the nation's premier full service flooring and carpet contractor, with headquarters in the New York. As a third generation, family-owned and operated business we are hands-on, accountable and driven to satisfy our client's needs. As one of the nation's largest and most recognized full-service floor covering contractors, we serve our clients from planning and specification through installation and maintenance. Our prestigious clients include Fortune 500 corporations, professional service firms, luxury hotel properties, institutional properties, real estate owners, and general contractors. The firm's website can be found at www.consolidatedcarpet.com.

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