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Oak Solutions Group

Formed to Provide Expert Advice & Innovative Product Development

Oak Alternatives have come a long way. Advances in science and technology have yielded many techniques that more effectively oak-age wines. World Cooperage has been there every step, backed by a complete research team that keeps the company at the forefront to winemaking. Today, the company announces it has taken the oak alternatives even further by forming Oak Solutions Group, completely separating the oak alternative product division and the wine barrel division.

Leading Oak Solutions Group is cooperage veteran, Ed Larmie, who has 20 years experience. “We will share our sensory science and provide expert advice in aging wine with a wide range of super premium oak products,” said Larmie. “That’s primarily what differentiates us from other oak alternative suppliers.”

Through this new division, Oak Solutions Group has introduced a new product line, ēvOAK. ēvOAK takes American-made oak products to the next level with creative technology and superior product development to produce value added flavor solutions. French-made products are currently in a pilot program with high-profile French winemaking consultants. These two new brands and products will provide winemakers a more comprehensive solution for high quality aging of their wines.

“Winemakers who are moving into high-tech methods can benefit from our sensory and analytical capabilities that are recognized worldwide,” stated Larmie. “Our product development is second to none.”

The Oak Solutions Group staff is expanding with creative and analytical talent at winemakers’ disposal worldwide. Paul Abbott will serve the needs of North American winemakers while specialists Sophie Mur and Mark Roberts will handle Europe and Australia, respectively. A new associate is currently being hired for the South American market. Winemakers will benefit from continuity of service from experts who are already familiar with their wines as well as access to a broader range of products.

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