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## **REAL ESTATE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL BECOMES SILVER SPONSOR FOR 2008 GLOBAL DIVERSITY SUMMIT IN COMMERCIAL REAL ESTATE**

**Atlanta, GA** - Officials of the *Global Diversity Summit (GDS) in Commercial Real Estate* are pleased to announce the Real Estate Executive Council (REEC) will be a Silver Sponsor of its 3rd Annual Summit that will be held July 21-23, 2008 at the Georgia World Congress Center in Atlanta, Georgia.

“The work being done by the Global Diversity Summit is extremely important, and that’s why REEC is pleased to once again partner with the organization,” said Quintin E. Primo III, Chairman of REEC and Chairman and CEO of Capri Capital Partners, LLC. “When it comes to addressing the issue of diversity in the commercial real estate industry, we all must come together and share ideas that will help minorities, at all levels of the business, succeed.”

The 2008 GDS is entitled “Reinventing Real Estate- Faces and Places”. For more information about the Global Diversity Summit in Commercial Real Estate, please go to our website [www.globaldiversitysummit.org](http://www.globaldiversitysummit.org).

### About the Global Diversity Summit

*Created in 2005, the Global Diversity Summit unites commercial real estate professionals throughout the world to focus on increasing diversity in the industry. The organization believes that diversity in commercial real estate can be achieved through education and networking with the world’s senior-level minority professionals, sharing their success stories and ideas on future challenges with the industry’s emerging minority talent. For more information, please go to our website at [www.globaldiversitysummit.org](http://www.globaldiversitysummit.org).*

### About REEC

*Founded in 2003, the Real Estate Executive Council is a 501 (c) (6) professional trade association composed of minority men and women executing business in the commercial real estate industry. The commercial real estate industry has a market valuation of approximately \$5.0 trillion and employs 100,000 professionals; 36% are women and less than 1% are African American. In the retail industry, approximately 8% of professional employees are African American. REEC members are made up of the most senior executives throughout the nation, along with the rising stars in the commercial real estate industry. These individuals come from varying backgrounds all culminating in professional careers allied to investment, management, leasing, financing and property development.*

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