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### **LONE STAR STATE QUARTER HOLDER JOINS THE CAT'S MEOW COLLECTION**

WOOSTER, OH – Cat's Meow is celebrating each of our 50 states with their State Quarter Holder collection, which coincides with the U.S. Mint's ten-year 50 State Quarter<sup>®</sup> Program. The Texas quarter is the third release of 2004 and the 28th in this program. On December 29, 1845, Texas became the 28th state to be admitted into the Union. The quarter for "The Lone Star State" features an outline of the State with a star superimposed on the outline. The Cat's Meow holder is an attractive miniature sign with the text "1845" and "Welcome to Texas."

States are honored in the order they ratified the Constitution and joined the union. Each quarter contains a unique state design. Faline, creator of Cat's Meow, has created charming state sign holders to show off all 28 quarter designs. The Cat's Meow also offers other state specific pieces that look great with the quarter holders. They include the State Snowman, State Map, and State Flag collections.

The Texas Quarter holder is 2"H x 3"W x 3/4" deep and retails for around \$9.00. Each piece includes an authentic Texas quarter. Introduced June 2004 and available at retailers now. Other quarter holders will be released as they become available from the U.S. Mint. To verify release dates, please visit <http://www.usmint.gov> .

#### **About Cat's Meow**

The Cat's Meow<sup>®</sup> Village has been building memories with its miniature, wooden, handcrafted buildings and accessories for over 20 years. Many pieces commemorate historic structures and points of interest. "Casper," the trademark black cat, signifies the authenticity of Village products and can be found on each piece, along with the signature of Faline Fry Jones, creator of The Cat's Meow<sup>®</sup> Village.

Village enthusiasts find gratification in purchasing pieces that not only add to the warmth of their décor, but also preserve a favorite destination or time. There are over 1,000 Cat's Meow retailers in 50 states nationwide and a Cat's Meow piece that touches everyone's life. Each piece is handcrafted in the United States.

**For more information, please visit our web site at [www.catsmeow.com](http://www.catsmeow.com), e-mail [cmv@fjdesign.com](mailto:cmv@fjdesign.com), or call 1-888-353-3744.**

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