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## **DAN STAUBER JOINS BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF HAWKINS, INC.**

Minneapolis, MN, February 4, 2016 – Hawkins, Inc. (Nasdaq: HWKN) today announced that Daniel J. Stauber, has joined the Hawkins Board of Directors. Mr. Stauber was formerly Chief Executive Officer of Stauber Performance Ingredients, Inc., which Hawkins acquired in December 2015. Mr. Stauber currently serves as Chief Brand Officer of Stauber Performance Ingredients.

“I want to welcome Dan Stauber to our Board of Directors. Dan joined the Stauber organization in 1984 and has spent the last 31 years building the company his father founded in 1969 into the outstanding company we acquired in late December. We believe Dan’s market and product expertise will be extremely valuable to our Board as we work together to grow all of our businesses,” said Patrick H. Hawkins, Chief Executive Officer of Hawkins.

### *About Hawkins, Inc.*

Hawkins, Inc. distributes, blends and manufactures bulk and specialty chemicals and other health and nutrition products for its customers in a wide variety of industries. Headquartered in Roseville, Minnesota, and with 41 facilities in 19 states, the Company creates value for its customers through superb customer service and support, quality products and personalized applications.