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**PABLO PÄSTER, VP of Greenhouse Gas Management Innovations
San Francisco**

EXPERTISE: (Summary of qualifications)

- Lifecycle Greenhouse Gas Emissions Inventory/Carbon Neutral Product
- Corporate Greenhouse Gas Emissions Inventory
- Supply Chain Greenhouse Gas Emissions Management
- Sustainability Metrics

PROFILE:

Pablo is an experienced sustainable engineer, having worked on GHG management and sustainability projects at URS, one of the largest engineering and construction firms in the world. At URS, he founded the company's Sustainable Solutions Group. He has also worked as sustainability engineer at Natural Capitalism Solutions, where he led the supply chain sustainability analyses for a number of nationally and internationally recognized clients.

As the sustainable engineer at LiveNeutral, a non-profit organization that focuses on educating individuals and companies on how to reduce their carbon emissions, Pablo developed the organization's GHG calculators, now used by thousands of individuals and companies across North America. This included the industry's first freight calculator for land, air, and ground transportation developed for TransGroup Worldwide Logistics on behalf of LiveNeutral. He has also worked at the Wuppertal Institute for Climate, Energy and Environment, in Wuppertal, Germany where he developed a management tool for increasing the eco-efficiency of textile production in the third world.

Pablo is the author of AskPablo, a weekly sustainability column, which is featured on Salon.com one of the most established online media journals. Using his extensive analytical and engineering skills, coupled with his passion for the environment, he answers readers' questions about a wide range of sustainability and climate change related topics, from recycling to hybrids. Pablo received his MBA in sustainable management from the Presidio School of Management in San Francisco and has a B.S. in manufacturing engineering from Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo, CA.

EXPERIENCE:

ClimateCHECK

Leading greenhouse gas (GHG) management services and solutions company

VP of Greenhouse Gas Management Innovations, February 2008 – present

Pablo is a founding member of ClimateCHECK's San Francisco team and is the Western US lead for technical services. He provides greenhouse gas technical services for US-based clients and manages projects that include corporate protocol and inventory development, verification, validation, and carbon neutral products. Pablo provides customized solutions and advice to corporate, government, clean technology, and venture capital clients.

Ask Pablo on Salon.com

Sustainability answer column

Author and independent correspondent, September 2006 – present

Pablo is an internationally recognized author and writes a column for Salon.com, one of the internet's top news and opinion websites. His work has been published or referenced in Wired, Fast Company, The Chicago Tribune, The Sydney Morning Herald, the New York Times, International Design (ID) Magazine, GreenBiz.com, Urban Times Magazine (Kansas City), the New Yorker, and Treehugger.com. Along with Coauthor Dr. Tyler Colman of NYU and DrVino.com he performed an analysis on the greenhouse gas emissions from wine production and distribution which is currently featured as Working Paper Number 9 on the Journal of Wine Economists website.

Pablo is also a featured correspondent on the Discovery Network's new channel, "Planet Green" on a daily program called "G Word." He is a sought-after speaker and has been invited to conferences in France and Portugal and gave the annual Earth Day presentation at Pixar Studios in 2008.

URS

World's Largest Engineering Design Firm

Sustainability Engineer, April 2007 – February 2008

Pablo was hired by URS as a founding member of the Sustainable Solutions Group at URS' Oakland office. He developed the strategy and vision for the group and was responsible for recruiting talent, interfacing with other offices and departments, and performing business development. He worked on corporate greenhouse gas inventories, protocols, and policy analysis for major clients including a consumer electronics company, a personal care products company and a major electric utility.

Euroconsult, Inc.
Product Safety and Sustainability Consulting Company

VP of Sustainability, March 2006 – April 2007

Pablo developed a program of sustainability metrics for various food manufacturing clients that included the measurement and management of greenhouse gas emissions and identifying cost-saving opportunities. He worked with a sustainable textiles certification body (leafcertified.org) to develop their business plan and their certification model and criteria. Pablo also worked with Origo Inc. on a green building start-up including writing a business plan and performing due diligence.

Natural Capitalism Solutions
Premier sustainability consulting firm

Chief Engineer, September 2005 – March 2006

Pablo worked with internationally renowned author of Natural Capitalism, and the co-founder of the Rocky Mountain Institute, L. Hunter Lovins. He led the complete supply chain greenhouse gas analysis for a major food industry client, across multiple brands, ranging from the agricultural inputs, through processing, and including transportation emissions. His work was used to optimize the company's supply chain from a double-dividend perspective (cost and environmental impact) by selecting suppliers and adjusting product formulation

EDUCATION AND TRAINING:

- MBA in Sustainable Management from the Presidio School of Management, San Francisco, CA
- B.S. in Manufacturing Engineering from California Polytechnic State University (Cal Poly), San Luis Obispo, CA
- Awarded the College of Engineering Outstanding Senior Award for Contributions to the Image of the University