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Paslode[®] 16-gauge Angled Finish Nailer Named One Of The 100 Best New Products of 2008

(VERNON HILLS, IL) – The Paslode 16 gauge Pneumatic Angled Finish Nailer, Model T250A-F16, has been named one of the *Professional Builder* magazine’s “100 Best New Products” of 2008.

This new finish nailer provides a compelling alternative to existing 15 gauge angled tools due to the superior combination of size, weight, power, and durability. Professional users will experience less wood splitting and smaller nail holes with the preferred 16 gauge fastening system. The angled-magazine design gives users a combination of maneuverability and comfort never before available in a full-size finish nailer.

The 100 Best New Products Award was created to recognize innovations, highlighting manufacturers that are investing in research and development. Announced annually, these awards are chosen by *Professional Builder* editors based on technological advances, significant product improvement, new product lines, increased product lines and nationwide availability. Products are judged in 10 different categories.

The T250A-F16 uses 16 gauge angled finish nails ranging from 1-1/4 to 2-1/2 inches. It also features:

- A convenient Quick Clear should nail jams occur
- A tool-free depth of drive adjustment mechanism
- A two-step follower allowing for faster, easier nail loading
- A no-mar tip to prevent damage to trim work surfaces

Paslode engineered this new nailer to be lightweight – one of the most lightweight 16 gauge tools available today, and lighter than most 15 gauge finish nailers – and small in size to minimize fatigue during all day use.

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The Paslode 16 gauge Pneumatic Angled Finish Nailer is a versatile and ideal tool for installing door jambs and stops, door and window casings, baseboard and shoe molding, chair rails, paneling, stair assemblies, window casings, crown molding, cabinetry, pick-up and service work, and more.

As with other Paslode finish nailers, the new 16 gauge tool comes complete with carrying case including pneumatic tool, extra no-mar tip, owner's manual, quick reference set-up and cleaning guides, and safety glasses.

The T250A-F16 is available through authorized Paslode retail outlets nationwide. To learn more about the product or to find a dealer, users can visit www.paslode.com or call 1-800-222-6990.

About Paslode

Paslode, a division of Illinois Tool Works, is a leading manufacturer of Cordless and pneumatic nailers, staplers, and fasteners. The company's products are widely used by professional remodelers and carpenters for framing, sheathing, trim and finish applications, fencing, floor and roof decking, siding, and insulation.