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MAKARI'S ETHNIC SKINCARE EXPERT REVEALS THEIR TAKE ON BLACK BEAUTY AND WHY TONY-AWARD WINNING MELBA MOORE IS THE FACE OF MAKARI

(New York, N.Y. January 12th, 2007)- In honor of February as Black History Month, Makari de Suisse's Beauty Expert, Romell Duresseau explains how Makari continuously embraces Black Beauty by creating a line that addresses common ethnic skin concerns and teaching women how to embrace their skin and shine like a star! He reached out to Tony-Award winning actress and singer, Melba Moore as the Face of Makari; a true example of a living legend who, with more than 30 years in the industry, has maintained a clear, amazing complexion!

Makari de Suisse, a complete, high-end European skincare line, was designed for ethnic skin because it understands the many skin concerns among ethnic women, including hyper-pigmentation, discoloration and scarring. Their focus is to provide a full line of services which embrace dark skin, an action which Romell does not believe has been done by any other line. Although there are fade creams on the market which address specific dark areas on the skin, there is no other full line which works together to cleanse, moisturize and even the skin; while ensuring longevity and endurance of a beautiful, rich complexion.

To exemplify the importance of staying strong and taking care of your skin, Romell approached Melba Moore. At 60, this New York native has "showed endurance and strength. She has a gift and she was true to her talent; despite the obstacles she's faced throughout her years. And, she's beautiful!"

When asked why she uses Makari, Ms. Moore said "Oh, it's absolutely top-notch! I used to have large pores, however, since I've been using Makari's Day and Night creams to moisturize and the Deep Cleansing Lotion as my skin regimen, my pores are a lot tighter, but my skin is still moist and plump."

Ms. Moore is currently on the Broadway tour for the hit Musical, *Chicago*. She won a Tony Award for her star-making performance in *Purlie*, and has also appeared on Broadway in *Les Miserables*, *Incent Black*, *Timbuktu!* and *Hair*. Melba Moore will also headline the touring company of *Brooklyn*, starring "American Idol" star Diana DeGarmo in February.

Originating in Switzerland, Makari de Suisse was developed to address ethnic skin concerns among men and women using safe, yet effective ingredients; 100% free of hydroquinone. Makari products are sold in France, Belgium, and Nigeria and the U.S; flagship store located in Harlem N.Y. Interviews available with Beauty Expert, Romell Duresseau. For more information, please visit www.makari.com or contact Evelyn at THINK PR.

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