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**Delicato Family Vineyards Three-Time Winner,
IWSC USA Wine Producer of the Year**

Napa, Calif. - Delicato Family Vineyards, producers and importers of Irony Napa Valley, 337, Gnarly Head and Chateau Maris wines, has been named the International Wine and Spirits Competition USA Producer of the Year for the third time.

The award was presented to CEO Chris Indelicato at the awards banquet at London's Old Billingsgate Hall on October 31, 2006.

"To receive this distinction for a third time is a great honor," said Chris Indelicato, CEO and third-generation family member. "My family has farmed vineyard land and made wine for over 80 years. That Delicato has again won the International Wine and Spirits Competition USA Wine Producer of the Year Award demonstrates that family-owned wineries continue to be a driving force on the world wine market."

Founded in 1969, the International Wine and Spirits Competition is the premier competition of its kind in the world. Its aim is to promote the quality and excellence of the world's best wines, spirits and liqueurs.

The Indelicato Family, founders and owners of Delicato Family Vineyards, has farmed premium vineyards in California for over 80 years. The company's commitment to sustainable farming and winemaking excellence is evident in the quality of each and every bottle. Delicato Family Vineyards brands include Gnarly Head, 337, Irony Napa Valley, Chateau Maris, Twisted, Clay Station, King Fish, Encore and Delicato Family Vineyards.

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