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Payne Debuts New Line of Packaged Heat Pumps

INDIANAPOLIS, June 23, 2008 – Payne Heating and Cooling has debuted a new line of packaged heat pumps that are built to endure harsh outdoor weather. A rust-free base and corrosion-resistant exterior protects components normally stored inside the home in traditional heat pump systems.

The heat pump's sturdy base provides superior drainage and moisture control that reduces the opportunity for growth of bacteria, mold and algae that can compromise indoor air quality. Copper tubing on the condenser coils and aluminum fins minimize the opportunity for corrosion as air passes through it, and maximize heat transfer required for heating and cooling.

Payne's heat pumps meet the federal government's 13 SEER (Seasonal Energy Efficiency Rating) minimum cooling efficiency rating and can be purchased with either a 6.8 or 7.1 HSPF heating efficiency. Optional installation can allow for either a ground or rooftop mounted installation and an insulated cabinet for additional noise reduction.

About Payne Heating and Cooling

Payne Heating and Cooling is a division of Carrier Corp. Headquartered in Farmington, Conn., Carrier is the world's largest provider of heating, air conditioning and refrigeration solutions. With 2007 revenues of \$14.6 billion, Carrier has approximately 43,000 employees worldwide and operations in more than 170 countries. Carrier is part of United Technologies Corp., a Hartford, Connecticut-based provider of products and services to the aerospace and building systems industries worldwide. Visit www.carrier.com for more information.

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