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Trane Opens Rental Equipment Stocking Location in Birmingham

Birmingham, Ala., July 6, 2006 – Trane is making heating, ventilation and air conditioning (HVAC) system rentals even more accessible by opening an additional stocking location in Birmingham to service customers' temporary needs throughout Alabama as well as portions of Georgia, Tennessee, and the Gulf Coast. This includes the Atlanta, Birmingham, Huntsville, Mobile and Montgomery areas.

Trane Rental Services has been providing short- and long-term temporary cooling or heating solutions for a variety of applications, including both emergency and planned situations for more than 14 years. As an industry leader of HVAC systems and services, Trane is equipped to supply fast and reliable solutions for any occasion. From a one-half ton portable cooler to thousands of tons of chilled water, Trane's modern fleet of air- and water-cooled chillers, air conditioners, generators and accessories are prepped and ready to ship at a moment's notice.

"Our part of the country requires temporary cooling, especially during unplanned events," said Brian Durr, sales manager for Alabama Trane. "Opening this depot will allow us to expeditiously serve our customers when they need us the most with immediate cooling systems and services."

Trane customers include manufacturing facilities, hospitals, universities and building owners, among others. Besides unplanned events, temporary solutions are great for unique or specialty cooling such as ice rinks, on-location television shows, tournaments, and special engagements.

In addition to opening the Birmingham location, Trane has stocking locations in major cities across the United States, Canada, and Mexico. Rental services can be ordered 24 hours each day by contacting your local Trane Office. Birmingham: 205-802-4800, Montgomery: 334-215-2900, and Huntsville: 256-837-1030. For more information on Trane Rental Services, please call 800-755-5115 or visit trane.com/commercial (Building Services).

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