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Autocar E3/Parker RunWise™ Hybrid Drive Featured in Las Vegas Testing

Autocar and Parker reach final stage of testing in partnership with Republic Services

Las Vegas, NV (July 31, 2009) – Autocar and Parker will be showcasing their innovative E3/RunWise™ Hybrid Drive refuse truck during several weeks of testing in the Las Vegas region. The truck incorporates RunWise™ technology by Parker Hannifin, the world's leading manufacturer of diversified motion and control systems. Autocar and Parker are excited to partner with Republic Services for this phase of testing. Republic Services will put the E3/RunWise™ unit through data collection on some of the most demanding waste collection routes in the area.

The introductory event at Republic's local headquarters will feature the truck in action, with "Ride & Drive" opportunities for attendees. Local and regional officials, as well as selected waste haulers from around the country will be able to experience first-hand the improved efficiencies offered by the Autocar E3/Parker RunWise™ Hybrid Drive. Environmental benefits of the E3/RunWise™ vehicle include 30% to 50% improved fuel savings, a comparable reduction in carbon dioxide emissions, reduced noise emissions, significant reduction in engine wear, and up to six times extension to brake replacement intervals. Autocar and Parker are very excited by the reception that the E3/RunWise™ truck has been given, and look forward to beginning limited production in the near future.

Unlike other class 8 hybrids, such as Hydraulic Launch Assists or Electric systems, the Autocar E3/Parker RunWise™ is the only advanced series hydrostatic hybrid system available. By combining Parker's advanced control software and most efficient hydraulic components, unprecedented results have been achieved. Removing the conventional transmission from the drive train and replacing it with an integrated two-speed hydrostatic drive for collection speeds, as well as a direct drive capability for higher speeds, the E3/RunWise™ delivers unparalleled fuel savings, reduced brake and engine wear, while improving drivability and productivity. This advanced series hybrid offers the most cost effective solution to energy recovery and emission reduction available today.

Designed from its inception to meet the demands and requirements of severe service refuse applications, the Autocar E3 featuring Parker's RunWise™ system is truly a state of the art value proposition that delivers where it matters – Environmentally, Efficiently, and Economically.

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About Autocar

Autocar LLC, headquartered in Hagerstown, Indiana, is the largest North American manufacturer of LCF Class 8 trucks and a leading engineering and manufacturing innovator. After gaining a commanding position in the refuse market with its Xpeditor line, Autocar has made a strong entry into the vocational truck and terminal tractor markets. With a legacy of hard-working trucks dating back more than a century, the company has more than 300 employees and steadily increasing annual sales. Autocar is a subsidiary of Highland Park, Illinois-based Grand Vehicle Works Holdings LLC (GVW).

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About Parker Hannifin

With annual sales exceeding \$12 billion, Parker Hannifin is the world's leading diversified manufacturer of motion and control technologies and systems, providing precision-engineered solutions for a wide variety of mobile, industrial and aerospace markets. The company's products are vital to virtually everything that moves or requires control, including the manufacture and processing of raw materials, durable goods, infrastructure development and all forms of transport. Traded on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol "PH," Parker is strategically diversified, value-driven and well positioned for global growth as the industry consolidator and supplier of choice.

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About Republic Services

Republic Services, Inc. is a leading provider of services in the domestic, non-hazardous solid waste industry. We provide non-hazardous solid waste collection services for commercial, industrial, municipal, and residential customers through 400 collection companies in 40 states and Puerto Rico. We also own or operate 242 transfer stations, 213 solid waste landfills and 79 recycling facilities. Republic serves millions of residential customers under terms of contracts with more than 3,000 municipalities for waste collection and residential services. We also serve some commercial customers throughout our expansive service area.

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